## **Christ Our Shepherd Lutheran Church**

Peachtree City, Georgia

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9:45 a.m.

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## PRELUDE SONG: Build My Life

Verse 1

Worthy of ev'ry song we could ever sing. Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring. Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe, We live for You.

### Verse 2

Jesus the name above ev'ry other name. Jesus the only one who could ever save. Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe, We live for You, We live for You.

### Chorus

Holy, there is no one like You,
There is none beside You.
Open up my eyes in wonder
and show me who You are,
And fill me with Your heart
And lead me in Your love to those around me.

### Verse 1

Worthy of ev'ry song we could ever sing. Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring. Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe, We live for You.

### Verse 2

Jesus the name above ev'ry other name.
Jesus the only one who could ever save.
Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever breathe,
We live for You, We live for You.

# Chorus (Sing twice.)

Holy, there is no one like You,
There is none beside You.
Open up my eyes in wonder
and show me who You are,
And fill me with Your heart
And lead me in Your love to those around me.

## Bridge (Sing twice.)

I will build my life upon Your love. It is a firm foundation. I will put my trust in You alone, And I will not be shaken. Chorus (Sing twice.)

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and show me who You are,
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## **WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS**

# **OPENING SONG: Lion**

## Verse 1

God of Jacob, Great I Am, King of Angels, Son of Man, Voice of many waters, Song of heaven's throne, Louder than the thunder, Make Your glory known.

### Chorus 1

Hail, hail, Lion of Judah. Let the Lion roar.
Hail, hail, Lion of Judah. Let the Lion roar.
Hail, hail, Lion of Judah. Let the Lion roar.
Hail, hail, Lion of Judah. Let the Lion roar.
(Roar) (roar) Roar (roar)
Roar (roar)

### Verse 2

Pride of Zion, Prophets spoke,
Our Messiah, Flesh and bone.
You alone are worthy To open up the scroll.
Like a lamb You suffered, But the Lion has arose.

### Chorus 1

Hail, hail, Lion of Judah. Let the Lion roar.
Hail, hail, Lion of Judah. Let the Lion roar.
Hail, hail, Lion of Judah. Let the Lion roar.
Hail, hail, Lion of Judah. Let the Lion roar.
(Roar) (roar)
Roar (roar)

Roar (roar)

## Bridge

**Prepare the way, Prepare the way of the Lord.** [Repeat 3x]

O valley, be raised up. O mountain, be made low. [Repeat 5x]

Interlude

Low (low) Low (low)
Let the lion roar (roar) Roar (roar)

Chorus 2

Hail, hail, Lion of Judah. Let the Lion roar. Hail, hail, Lion of Judah. Let the Lion roar.

## Ending

O valley, be raised up. O mountain, be made low. [Repeat 5x]

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### **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P Let us pray.

Eternal and all-merciful God, with all the angels and all the saints we laud your majesty and might. By the resurrection of your Son, show yourself to us and inspire us to follow Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. 

Amen.

## **READING: Acts 9:1-6**

- L Today's lesson from Acts, the ninth chapter.
- Saul, still breathing threats and murder against the disciples of the Lord, went to the high priest <sup>2</sup> and asked him for letters to the synagogues at Damascus, so that if he found any who belonged to the Way, men or women, he might bring them bound to Jerusalem. <sup>3</sup>Now as he was going along and approaching Damascus, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. <sup>4</sup>He fell to the ground and heard a voice saying to him, "Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?" <sup>5</sup>He asked, "Who are you, Lord?" The reply came, "I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting. <sup>6</sup>But get up and enter the city, and you will be told what you are to do."
- L Word of God, word of life.
- Thanks be to God.

### **GOSPEL: John 21:1-17**

- P After [he appeared to his followers in Jerusalem,] Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. <sup>2</sup>Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples.

READER 1: <sup>3</sup>Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing."

- They said to him, "We will go with you."
- P They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. <sup>4</sup>Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus.
- READER 2: 5 Jesus said to them, "Children, you have no fish, have you?"
- They answered him, "No."

  READER 2: <sup>6</sup>He said to them, "Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some."
- P So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish.
- READER 1: <sup>7</sup>That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!"
- When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the sea. <sup>8</sup>But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off. <sup>9</sup>When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread.
- READER 2: <sup>10</sup>Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish that you have just caught."
- P <sup>11</sup>So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn.
- READER 2: 12 Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast."
- Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they knew it was the Lord.
- P ¹³Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. ¹⁴This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

READER 2: <sup>15</sup>When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?"

READER 1: He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you."

READER 2: Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs."

<sup>16</sup>A second time he said to him, "Simon son of John, do you love me?"

READER 1: He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you."

READER 2: Jesus said to him, "Tend my sheep."

17He said to him the third time, "Simon son of John, do you love me?"

READER 1: Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, "Do you love me?" And he said to him, "Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you."

READER 2: Jesus said to him, "Feed my sheep."

**P** The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

**SERMON** 

Pastor Fritz

# **SONG OF THE DAY: Holy Water**

Verse 1

God, I'm on my knees again.
God, I'm begging, please again.
I need You, Oh, I need You.
Walking down these desert roads,
Water for my thirsty soul,
I need You, Oh, I need You.

### Chorus

Your forgiveness Is like sweet, sweet honey on my lips, Like the sound of a symphony to my ears, Like holy water on my skin.

### Verse 2

Dead man walking, slave to sin,
I wanna know about being born again.
I need You, Oh God, I need You.
So take me to the riverside,
Take me under, baptize.
I need You, Oh God, I need You.

### Chorus

Your forgiveness Is like sweet, sweet honey on my lips, Like the sound of a symphony to my ears, Like holy water on my skin. Bridge [Sing 4x]

I don't wanna abuse Your grace. God, I need it ev'ry day. It's the only thing that ever really Makes me wanna change.

Chorus [Sing twice.]

Your forgiveness Is like sweet, sweet honey on my lips, Like the sound of a symphony to my ears, Like holy water on my skin.

## **Ending**

Yeah, it's like holy water on my skin. Oh, it's like holy water.

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## **OUR PROFESSION OF FAITH: The Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

### PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

When the petition concludes "God of mercy," please respond, "hear our prayer."
When the prayers conclude, please respond, "Amen."

### **INVITATION TO OFFERING**

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### OFFERING SONG: What He's Done

#### Verse 2

See, on the hill of Calvary, My Savior bled for me, My Jesus set me free.

Look at the wounds that give me life.

Grace flowing from His side,

No greater sacrifice.

#### Chorus

What He's done, What He's done, All the glory and the honor to the Son. My sins are forgiven, My future is Heaven. I praise God for what He's done.

### Verse 2

Sing for the freedom He has won.
Even death is dead and done.
His life has overcome.
Speak say the Name above all names.
Over every broken place
He is risen from the grave.

### Chorus

What He's done, What He's done, All the glory and the honor to the Son. My sins are forgiven, My future is Heaven. I praise God for what He's done.

## Verse 3

Now on a throne of majesty, The Father's will complete. He reigns in victory. Sing hallelujah to the King. He is worthy to receive All the worship we can bring.

## Chorus (sing twice)

What He's done, What He's done, All the glory and the honor to the Son. My sins are forgiven, My future is Heaven. I praise God for what He's done. I praise God for what He's done.

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### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

- P The Lord be with you.
- And also with you.
- P Lift up your hearts.
- **G** We lift them to the Lord.
- **P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- It is right to give our thanks and praise.
- P It is indeed right, our duty and our joy that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, for the glorious resurrection of our Savior Jesus Christ, the true Paschal Lamb who gave himself to take away our sin; who in dying has destroyed death, and in rising has brought us to eternal life. And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with earth and sea and all their creatures, and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we praise your name.

### WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying:

This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name; your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread; forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us; Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

### **SHARING COMMUNION**

As you see the pastors and worshipers commune, please join them by communing at home, saying to each other/yourself with these ancient words of promise: "The body of Christ for you" and "The blood of Christ for you."

## **COMMUNION SONG: Thank You, Jesus**

#### Verse 1

I was a wretch. I remember who I was.
I was lost, I was blind, I was running out of time.
Sin separated, the breach was far too wide,
But from the far side of the chasm,
You had me in Your sight.

#### Verse 2

So You made a way across the great divide, Left behind Heaven's throne to build it here inside. There at the cross You paid the debt I owed, Broke my chains, freed my soul. For the first time I had hope.

### Chorus

Thank You, Jesus, for the blood applied.
Thank You, Jesus, it has washed me white.
Thank You, Jesus, You have saved my life,
Brought me from the darkness into glorious light.

#### Verse 3

You took my place, laid inside my tomb of sin.
You were buried for three days,
But then You walked right out again.
And now death has no sting and life has no end,
For I have been transformed by the blood of the Lamb.

### Chorus

Thank You, Jesus, for the blood applied.
Thank You, Jesus, it has washed me white.
Thank You, Jesus, You have saved my life,
Brought me from the darkness into glorious light.

## Bridge (sing twice)

There is nothing stronger
Than the wonder working power of the blood,
The blood that calls us sons and daughters.
We are ransomed by our Father
Through the blood, the blood.

# Chorus

Thank You, Jesus, for the blood applied.
Thank You, Jesus, it has washed me white.
Thank You, Jesus, You have saved my life,
Brought me from the darkness into glorious light.

### Ending

Glory to His name, Glory to His Name. There to my heart was the blood applied. Glory to His name.

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## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

- P We give you thanks, generous God,
- G for in this bread and cup we have tasted the new heaven and earth where hunger and thirst are no more. Send us from this table as witnesses to the resurrection, that through our lives, all may know life in Jesus' name. Amen.

### **BENEDICTION**

- Amen.

### **SENDING SONG: Ain't No Grave**

### Verse 1

Shame is a prison as cruel as a grave.

Shame is a robber and he's come to take my name.

Love is my redeemer, lifting me up from the ground.

Love is the power where my freedom song is found.

### Chorus 1

There ain't no grave gonna hold my body down. There ain't no grave gonna hold my body down. When I hear that trumpet sound I'm gonna rise up out of the ground. There ain't no grave gonna hold my body down. Verse 2

Fear is a liar with a smooth and velvet tongue.
Fear is a tyrant he's always telling me to run.
Love is resurrection and love is a trumpet sound.
Love is my weapon; I'm gonna take my giants down.

### Chorus 1

There ain't no grave gonna hold my body down.
There ain't no grave gonna hold my body down.
When I hear that trumpet sound
I'm gonna rise up out of the ground.
There ain't no grave gonna hold my body down.

### Verse 3

There was a battle, a war between death and life. There on a tree the Lamb of God was crucified. He went on down to hell. He took back every key. He rose up as a lion. Now He's setting all the captives free.

### Chorus 2

There ain't no grave could hold His body down.
There ain't no grave could hold His body down.
When He heard the trumpet sound
He rose up out of the ground.
There ain't no grave could hold His body down.
There ain't no grave could hold His body down.

### Chorus 1

There ain't no grave gonna hold my body down. There ain't no grave gonna hold my body down.

If you walked out of the grave, I'm walking, too. [Repeat multiple times.]

## Chorus 1

There ain't no grave gonna hold my body down.
There ain't no grave gonna hold my body down.
When I hear that trumpet sound
I'm gonna rise up out of the ground.
There ain't no grave gonna hold my body down.

## **Ending**

There ain't no grave gonna hold my body down. There ain't no grave gonna hold my body down.

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### **DISMISSAL**

- L Alleluia! Christ is risen.
- Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!
- P Go in peace. Tell what God has done.
- Thanks be to God.