

ASCENSION LUTHERAN CHURCH

NOVEMBER 26, 2025 | THANKSGIVING EVE 7:00 PM

◆ OPENING HYMN "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" (#892)
◆ HYMN OF PRAISE "Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart" (#806)

♦ **READINGS** Genesis 6:5-8, Genesis 7:17-24, Gensis 8:15-22

♦ **HYMN OF THE DAY** "Now Thank We All Our God" (#895)

◆ THE SERMON "The Sacrifice of Thanksgiving" Pastor Scott Goltl

▶ **COMMUNION HYMNS** "Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence" (#621)

♦ **COMMUNION HYMNS** "Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord" (#637)

◆ **CLOSING HYMN** "Go, My Children, with My Blessing" (#922)

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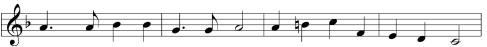
CONGREGATION PLEASE STAND

THE OPENING HYMN

892 Come, Ye Thankful People, Come



- 1 Come, ye thank-ful peo ple, come; Raise the song of har-vest home.
- 2 All the world is God's own field, Fruit un to His praise to yield;
- 3 For the Lord, our God, shall come And shall take His har-vest home,
- 4 E ven so, Lord, quick ly come To Thy fi nal har vest home;



All be safe - ly gath - ered in Ere the win - ter storms be - gin; Wheat and tares to - geth - er sown, Un - to joy or sor - row grown. From His field shall in that day All of - fens - es purge a - way, Gath - er Thou Thy peo - ple in, Free from sor - row, free from sin,



God, our mak - er, doth pro-vide be sup-plied. For our wants to First the blade and then the ear, Then the full corn shall ap - pear. Give His an - gels charge at last In the fire the tares to cast, There, for - ev - er pu - ri - fied, In Thy gar - ner a - bide: to



Come to God's own tem-ple, come; Raise the song of har-vest home. Lord of har-vest, grant that we Whole-some grain and pure may be. But the fruit-ful ears to store In His gar-ner ev-er-more. Come with all Thine an-gels, come, Raise the glo-rious har-vest home.

†THE PREPARATION†

P: In the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

Call to Confession (From Genesis 6)

P: The Lord saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every intention of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually.

C: Yet Noah found favor in the eyes of the Lord.

P: Tonight we remember that the same God who judged the world by water has shown us mercy through the cleansing flood of Baptism. Let us come before Him in humility, confessing our sins and trusting in His promise of forgiveness.

Confession of Sins

C: Almighty God, Maker of heaven and earth, we confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed. You created us for fellowship with You, to walk humbly in faith, love, and obedience. But our hearts have turned away; we have sought to take Your place, trusting in ourselves rather than in Your Word. We grieve the harm our sin has done to Your creation and to our neighbors. Have mercy upon us, O Lord. Cleanse us by Your grace and renew in us a thankful heart.

Absolution

P: Almighty God, in His mercy, has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. Just as He remembered Noah and all who were with him in the ark, God remembers you in His steadfast love. In the waters of Baptism, He has made you His own. Therefore, as a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

THE HYMN OF PRAISE

806 Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart



THE PRAYER OF THE DAY

- L: The Lord be with you.
- C: And also with you.
- **L:** Let us pray:
- C: Almighty and gracious God, You spared Noah and his family from the flood, and through him preserved life upon the earth. You have spared us as well, not because of our righteousness, but because of Your mercy in Jesus Christ. As Noah offered a sacrifice of thanksgiving so fill our hearts with gratitude for Your daily mercies—for seedtime and harvest, cold and heat, summer and winter, day and night that shall not cease. Grant that our thanksgiving may rise before You as a pleasing offering, through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

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†THE SERVICE OF THE WORD†

THE FIRST READING Genesis 6:5-8

⁵ The Lord saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every intention of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually. ⁶ And the Lord regretted that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him to his heart. ⁷ So the Lord said, "I will blot out man whom I have created from the face of the land, man and animals and creeping things and birds of the heavens, for I am sorry that I have made them." ⁸ But Noah found favor in the eyes of the Lord.

- L: This is the Word of the Lord.
- C: Thanks be to God.

THE SECOND READING Genesis 7:17-24

¹⁷ The flood continued forty days on the earth. The waters increased and bore up the ark, and it rose high above the earth. ¹⁸ The waters prevailed and increased greatly on the earth, and the ark floated on the face of the waters. ¹⁹ And the waters prevailed so mightily on the earth that all the high mountains under the whole heaven were covered. ²⁰ The waters prevailed above the mountains, covering them fifteen cubits^[d] deep. ²¹ And all flesh died that moved on the earth, birds, livestock, beasts, all swarming creatures that swarm on the earth, and all mankind. ²² Everything on the dry land in whose nostrils was the breath of life died. ²³ He blotted out every living thing that was on the face of the ground, man and animals and creeping things and birds of the heavens. They were blotted out from the earth. Only Noah was left, and those who were with him in the ark. ²⁴ And the waters prevailed on the earth 150 days.

- L: This is the Word of the Lord.
- C: Thanks be to God.

THE THIRD READING Genesis 8:15-22

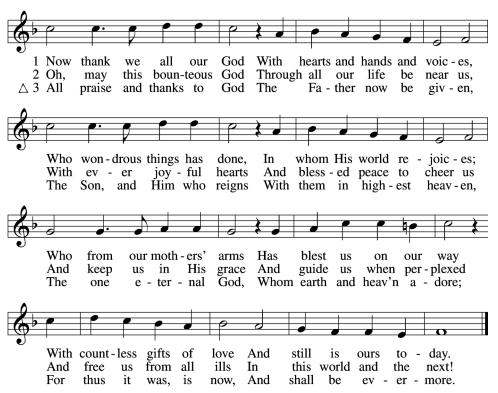
Then God said to Noah, ¹⁶ "Go out from the ark, you and your wife, and your sons and your sons' wives with you. ¹⁷ Bring out with you every living thing that is with you of all flesh—birds and animals and every creeping thing that creeps on the earth—that they may swarm on the earth, and be fruitful and multiply on the earth." ¹⁸ So Noah went out, and his sons and his wife and his sons' wives with him. ¹⁹ Every beast, every creeping thing, and every bird, everything that moves on the earth, went out by families from the ark. ²⁰ Then Noah built an altar to the Lord and took some of every clean animal and some of every clean bird and offered burnt offerings on the altar. ²¹ And when the Lord smelled the pleasing aroma, the Lord said in his heart, "I will never again curse ^[a] the ground because of man, for the intention of man's heart is evil from his youth. Neither will I ever again strike down every living creature as I have done. ²² While the earth remains, seedtime and harvest, cold and heat, summer and winter, day and night, shall not cease."

L: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

THE HYMN OF THE DAY

895 Now Thank We All Our God



If you would like to talk more about today's message, contact: Pastor Scott at 316-207-3431

CONGREGATION PLEASE STAND

THE NICENE CREED

C: I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life † of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Prayer bulletins are available on the welcome table located in the mix area.

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THE OFFERING To give, text "GIVE (and the \$ amount)" to 833-429-8050. Or use the QR code provided. Thank you.

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HOLY COMMUNION PARTICIPATION:

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine, but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until He comes.

Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the Sacrament, are asked to first speak with the pastor or an usher. Gluten-Free wafers are available at the communion table. Please inform your server when you come forward.

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

THE LORD'S PRAYER

C: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

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L: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

of the world;

C: And also with you.

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THE COMMUNION HYMNS

621 Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence



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THE COMMUNION HYMNS

637 Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord



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L: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you.

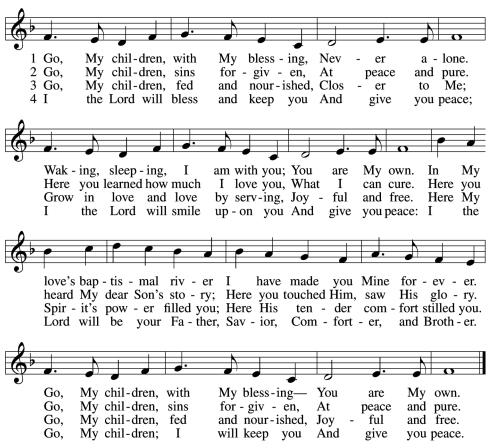
And be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and † give you peace.

C: Amen.

THE CLOSING HYMN

922 Go, My Children, with My Blessing



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5:45pm Wednesdays

God With Us

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WORSHIP HOURS

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12-10 TYLER	Advent 5:45 - 6:15 PM
12-17 TYLER	Advent 5:45 - 6:15 PM
12-24 TYLER	4:00, 6:30, 11:00 PM
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