

Amazing Grace Lutheran Church  
Order of Worship  
November 24, 2024

**8:00 – TRADITIONAL - ORGAN**

**PRESERVICE MUSIC**                      Organ Prelude                      Ruth Bremer

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**✠ PREPARATION ✠**

**OPENING HYMN**                      *“Wake, Awake, for Night is Flying”*                      LSB 516

**INVOCATION**

Pastor:            In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
People:            **Amen.**

**OPENING SENTENCES**

Pastor:            The LORD reigns; He is robed in majesty;  
People:            **the LORD is robed; He has put on strength as His belt.**

Pastor:            Oh come, let us worship and bow down;  
People:            **let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!**

**CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

Pastor:            Jesus said, “Everyone who is of the truth listens to My voice.” Today we humbly come before Him, our king, confessing the truth that we have sinned against our creator’s clear commands. Let us make our heartfelt petition for mercy, forgiveness, and salvation.  
People:            **Most merciful Lord, whose majesty has been shown to all nations by Your triumph over all sin and death on Your glorious cross, from Your exalted throne at the right hand of the Father You live and reign over all creation. Receive our humble plea for mercy, life, and forgiveness of our sin, and grant to us Your grace by speaking Your liberating word of truth.**

Pastor:            Upon this, your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
People:            **Amen.**

**HYMN OF PRAISE**                      *“When All the World Around Was Cursed”* (V. 3, 4)                      LSB 346

**✠ WORD ✠**

**READING** – Revelation 1:4b-8

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Reader: This is the Word of the Lord  
People: **Thanks be to God.**

## HOLY GOSPEL – Luke 16:1-14

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the sixteenth chapter.  
People: **Glory to You, O Lord.**

*(Pastor reads the scripture)*

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
People: **Praise to You, O Christ.**

**PROFESSION OF FAITH**   Apostle's Creed

**HYMN OF THE DAY**                    *"We Praise You, O God"*                    LSB 785

**MESSAGE**                    "The Genius of Generosity: It's All About Relationship"

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**  
**LORD'S PRAYER**

✠ **SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER** ✠

**PREFACE**

Pastor: The Lord be with you.  
People: **And also with you.**

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.  
People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
People: **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

**PROPER PREFACE**

Pastor: It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who, out of love for His fallen creation, humbled Himself by taking on the form of a servant, becoming obedient unto death, even death upon a cross. Risen from the dead, He has freed us from eternal death and given us life everlasting. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

**SANCTUS - LSB 161**

**THE WORDS OF OUR LORD**

**PAX DOMINI**

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.  
People: **Amen.**

**AGNUS DEI - LSB 163**

**DISTRIBUTION**                    *(reflective instrumental music)*

**POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING**

Pastor: Let us pray.  
Gracious God, our heavenly Father, You have given us a foretaste of the feast to come in the Holy Supper of Your Son's body and blood. Keep us firm in the true faith throughout our days of pilgrimage that, on the day of His coming, we may, together with all Your saints, celebrate the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: **Amen.**

### **BENEDICTION**

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

People: **Amen.**

**CLOSING HYMN**      *"I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light"*

LSB 411

### **DISMISSAL**

Pastor: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
People: **Thanks be to God!**

**10:15 – MODERN – PRAISE TEAM**

**PRESERVICE MUSIC VIDEOS**

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**INVOCATION**

**OPENING PRAISE**

*“Sing to the King”  
“In Christ Alone”*

**READING** – Revelation 1:4b-8

**PROFESSION OF FAITH**

Apostles Creed (*scripture reader will ask them to stand*)

**SONG**

*“I Speak Jesus”*

**THE MESSAGE**

*“Genius of Generosity: It’s All About Relationship”  
Pastor Paul Burtzloff*

**PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

**LORD’S PRAYER**

**SONG**

*“Ancient Words”*

**CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION**

**THE LORD’S SUPPER**

WORDS OF CHRIST

DISTRIBUTION

SONG

Media files

**COMMUNION BLESSING**

**CLOSING SONG**

*“Hold Us Together”*

**BENEDICTION**

**DISMISSAL**

**REPRISE/MUSIC VIDEOS**

*“Hold Us Together”*