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**A SERVICE OF PRAYER AND SUPPLICATION  
ON OUR NATION'S ELECTION DAY**

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✠ *Jesus, Mercy!* ✠

The Opening Hymn

*Lutheran Service Book Hymn # 797*

“Praise the Almighty”



1 Praise the Al - might - y, my soul, a - dore Him!  
2 Trust not in rul - ers; they are but mor - tal;  
3 Bless - ed, oh, bless - ed are they for - ev - er  
4 Pen - i - tent sin - ners, for mer - cy cry - ing,  
△ 5 Praise, all you peo - ple, the name so ho - ly



Yes, I will laud Him un - til death; With songs and  
Earth - born they are and soon de - cay. Vain are their  
Whose help is from the Lord Most High, Whom from sal -  
Par - don and peace from Him ob - tain; Ev - er the  
Of Him who does such won - drous things! All that has



an - thems I come be - fore Him As long as  
coun - sels at life's last por - tal, When the dark  
va - tion can noth - ing sev - er, And who in  
wants of the poor sup - ply - ing, Their faith - ful  
be - ing, to praise Him sole - ly, With hap - py



He al - lows me breath. From Him my life and  
grave en - gulfs its prey. Since mor - tals can no  
hope to Christ draw nigh. To all who trust in  
God He will re - main. He helps His chil - dren  
heart its a - men sings. Chil - dren of God, with

all things came; Bless, O my soul, His ho - ly name.  
 help af - ford, Place all your trust in Christ, our Lord.  
 Him, our Lord Will aid and coun - sel now af - ford.  
 in dis - tress, The wid - ows and the fa - ther - less.  
 an - gel host Praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost!

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!  
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!  
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!  
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!  
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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The Opening Versicles:

- P** The Lord is merciful and gracious,
- C** **slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.** *Psalm 103:8*
  
- P** ✠ Make haste, O God, to deliver me;
- C** **make haste to help me, O Lord.** *Psalm 70:1*
  
- C** **Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;  
 as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

The Psalmody

*Psalm 146; antiphon: verse 2*

- P** <sup>Ant</sup>I will praise the LORD as long as I live;  
 I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.  
<sup>1</sup>Praise the LORD!  
 Praise the LORD, O my soul!
- C** <sup>2</sup>I will praise the LORD as long as I live;  
 I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.

- P** <sup>3</sup>Put not your trust in princes,  
in a son of man, in whom there is no salvation.
- C** <sup>4</sup>**When his breath departs he returns to the earth;  
on that very day his plans perish.**
- P** <sup>5</sup>Blessèd is he whose help is the God of Jacob,  
whose hope is in the LORD his God,
- C** <sup>6</sup>**who made heaven and earth,  
the sea, and all that is in them,  
who keeps faith forever;**
- P** <sup>7</sup>who executes justice for the oppressed,  
who gives food to the hungry.
- C** **The LORD sets the prisoners free;  
<sup>8</sup>the LORD opens the eyes of the blind.  
The LORD lifts up those who are bowed down;  
the LORD loves the righteous.**
- P** <sup>9</sup>The LORD watches over the sojourners;  
he upholds the widow and the fatherless,  
but the way of the wicked he brings to ruin.
- C** <sup>10</sup>**The LORD will reign forever,  
your God, O Zion, to all generations. Praise the LORD!**
- C** **Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**
- P** <sup>Ant</sup>I will praise the LORD as long as I live;  
I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.



The Scripture Reading

*1 Timothy 2:1-6*

<sup>1</sup>First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people, <sup>2</sup>for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way. <sup>3</sup>This is good, and it is pleasing in the sight of God our Savior, <sup>4</sup>who desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. <sup>5</sup>For there is one God, and there is one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus, <sup>6</sup>who gave himself as a ransom for all, which is the testimony given at the proper time.

**P** O Lord, have mercy on us.

**C** Thanks be to God.

The Great Litany:



**L** O Lord,



**C** have mer - cy.



**L** O Christ,



**C** have mer - cy.



**L** O Lord,



**C** have mer - cy.



**L** O Christ,



**C** hear us.



**L** God the Fa - ther in heaven,



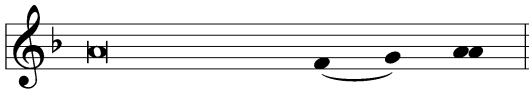
**C** have mer - cy.



**L** God the Son, Redeemer of the world,



**C** have mer - cy.



**L** God the Holy Spir - it,



**C** have mer - cy.





**L** Be gra - cious to us.



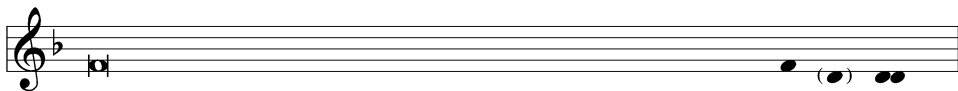
**C** Spare us, good Lord.



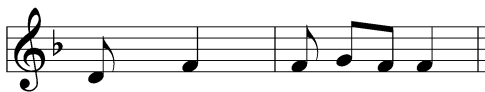
**L** Be gra - cious to us.



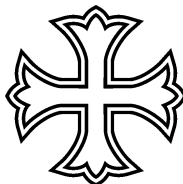
**C** Help us, good Lord.

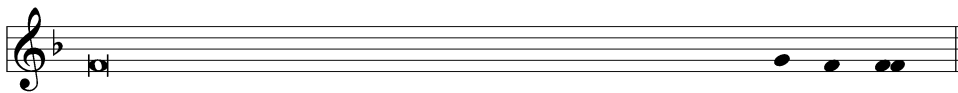


**L** From all sin, from all error, from all . . . . . e - vil;  
From the crafts and assaults of the devil; from sudden and e - vil death;  
From pestilence and famine;  
from war and bloodshed; from sedition and from re - bel - lion;  
From lightning and tempest;  
from all calamity by fire and water; and from ever - last - ing death:



**C** Good Lord, de - liv - er us.

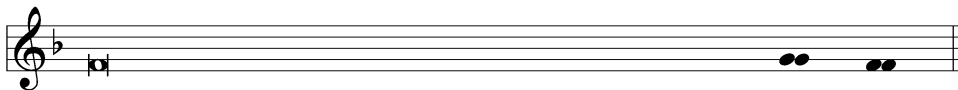




**L** By the mystery of Your holy incarnation; by Your holy na - tiv - i - ty;  
By Your baptism, fasting, and temptation;  
by Your agony and bloody sweat; by Your  
cross and passion; by Your precious death and . . . . . bur - i - al;  
By Your glorious resurrection and ascension;  
and by the coming of the Holy Spirit, the . . . . . Com - fort - er:



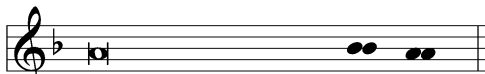
**C** Help us, good Lord.



**L** In all time of our tribulation; in all time  
of our prosperity; in the hour of death; and in the day of judg - ment:



**C** Help us, good Lord.



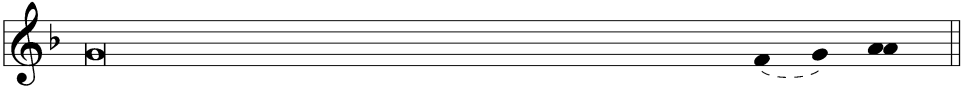
**L** We poor sinners im - plore You



**C** to hear us, O Lord.



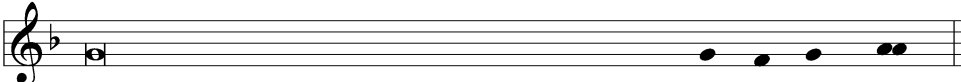




**L** To rule and govern Your holy Christian Church;  
to preserve all pastors and ministers of Your  
Church in the true knowledge and understanding  
of Your wholesome Word and to sustain them in holy . . . . . liv - ing;  
  
To put an end to all schisms and causes of offense;  
to bring into the way of truth all who have erred and . . . . . are de - ceived;  
  
To beat down Satan under our feet;  
to send faithful laborers into Your harvest;  
and to accompany Your Word with Your grace and . . . . . Spir - it:



**C** We implore You to hear us, good Lord.

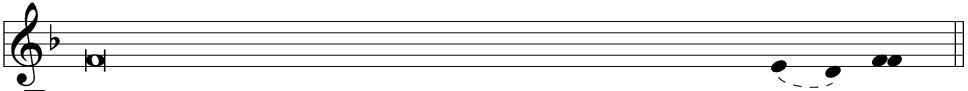


**L** To raise those who fall and to strengthen those  
who stand; and to comfort and help the weakhearted and the dis - tressed:

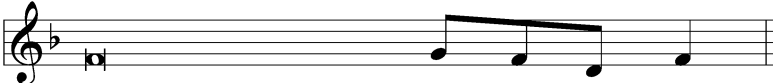


**C** We implore You to hear us, good Lord.

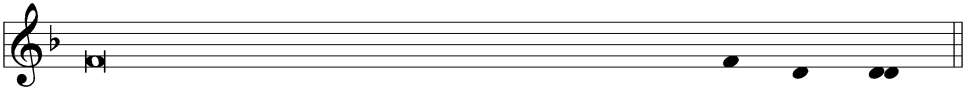




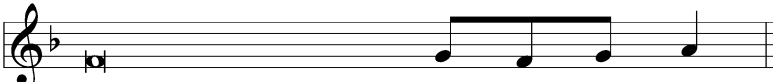
**L** To give to all peoples concord and peace;  
 to preserve our land from discord and strife;  
 to give our country Your protection in every . . . . . time of need;  
 To direct and defend our *president/queen/king* and all in  
 authority; to bless and protect our magistrates and all our peo - ple;  
 To watch over and help all who are in danger,  
 necessity, and tribulation; to protect and guide all who trav - el;  
 To grant all women with child, and all mothers  
 with infant children, increasing happiness in  
 their blessings; to defend all orphans and widows and pro-vide for them;  
 To strengthen and keep all sick persons and  
 young children; to free those in bondage; and to have mercy on us all:



**C** We implore You to hear us, good Lord.



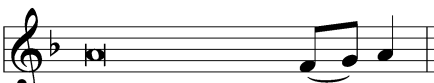
**L** To forgive our enemies, persecutors, and slanderers  
 and to turn their hearts; to give and preserve for our  
 use the kindly fruits of the earth; and graciously to hear our prayers:



**C** We implore You to hear us, good Lord.



**L** Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God,



**C** we implore You to hear us.



**L** Christ, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world,



**C** have mer - cy.



**L** Christ, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world,



**C** have mer - cy.



**L** Christ, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world,



**C** grant us Your peace.



**L** O Christ,



**C** hear us.



**L** O Lord,



**C** have mer - cy.



**L** O Christ,



**C** have mer - cy.



**L** O Lord,



**C** have mer - cy. A - men.

The Lord's Prayer:



**C** Our Fa - ther who art in heav - en, hal - low - ed be Thy name,



Thy king - dom come, Thy will be done on earth as



it is in heav - en; give us this day our dai - ly



bread; and for - give us our tres - pass - es as we for - give



those who tres - pass a - gainst us; and lead us not in -

to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us from e - vil.  
 For Thine is the king - dom and the pow'r and the glo -  
 ry for - ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

The Collects:

*For Responsible Citizenship*

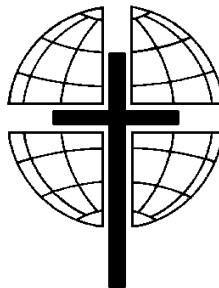
**P** By me kings reign, and rulers decree | what is just.

**C** by me, princes rule, and nobles, all who govern | justly.

*Proverbs 8:15-16*

**P** Lord, keep this nation under Your care. Bless the leaders of our land that we may be a people at peace among ourselves and a blessing to the other nations of the earth. Grant that we may choose trustworthy leaders, contribute to wise decisions for the general welfare, and serve You faithfully in our generation; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

**C** A - men.



*For Peace*

- P** The Lord will give strength to His | people!
- C** **The Lord will bless His people | with peace!**

*from Psalm 29:11*

- P** O God, from whom come all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works, give to us, Your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey Your commandments and also that we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may live in peace and quietness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

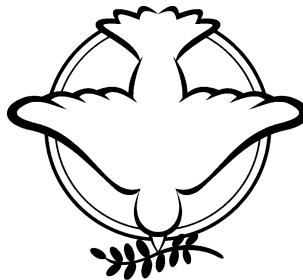


The *Benedicamus* and Apostolic Benediction:

- P** Let us bless the Lord.



- P** The grace of our Lord ✠ Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.



The Hymn to Depart

Lutheran Service Book Hymn # 886

“The Day Thou Gavest”



1 The day Thou gavest, Lord, is ended,  
 2 We thank Thee that Thy Church, un-sleep-ing  
 3 As o'er each con-ti-nent and is-land  
 4 The sun, that bids us rest, is wak-ing  
 5 So be it, Lord! Thy throne shall nev-er,



The dark-ness falls at Thy be-hest;  
 While earth rolls on-ward in-to light,  
 The dawn leads on-an-oth-er day,  
 Thy saints be-neath the west-ern skies,  
 Like earth's proud em-pires, pass a-way;



To Thee our morn-ing hymns as-cend-ed,  
 Through all the world her watch is keep-ing,  
 The voice of prayer is nev-er si-lent,  
 And hour by hour, as day is break-ing,  
 Thy king-dom stands and grows for-ev-er,



Thy praise shall sanc-ti-fy our rest.  
 And nev-er rests by day or night.  
 Nor dies the strain of praise a-way.  
 Fresh hymns of thank-ful praise a-rise.  
 Till all Thy crea-tures own Thy sway.

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✠ *To God Be All Praise and Glory!* ✠

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