

Zechariah: Your Kingdom Come!



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Zechariah 13:1-2

Our Savior Lutheran Church
In His Arms Childcare

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LENTEN MIDWEEK WORSHIP 6

April 1, 2020

Theme of the Day: Jesus, my Redeemer, has set up a refinery to purify and cleanse all of the rotten and rancid stuff in my heart. From Calvary a fountain of living and cleansing water flows to purify my polluted heart.

PRE SERVICE HYMN SING

738 Lord of All Hopefulness, 2 stanzas

537 Beautiful Savior, 2 stanzas

575 My Hope is Built on Nothing Less, 2 stanzas

702 My Faith Looks Up to Thee, 2 stanzas

748 I'm But a Stranger Here, 3 stanzas

WELCOME**INVOCATION AND CALL TO WORSHIP** *(From selected verses in Zechariah 9:9–10)*

Pastor: In the Name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

Pastor: Behold, your King comes to you—

People: Righteous and having salvation.

Pastor: Speaking peace to the nations.

People: And ruling from sea to sea—

Pastor: To the ends of the earth!

People: God's kingdom comes—

Pastor: To us!

ALL: Through Jesus Christ our Lord!

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, Your prophet Zechariah spoke of a cleansing fountain that would be opened. Grant that I may always know the grace and life eternal found in the fountain You did indeed open at the cross Your precious Son, Jesus Christ, my Lord. We pray in His powerful and priceless name.

ALL: Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING Zechariah 13:1-2 (IV84) *The Woman in a Basket*

“On that day a fountain will be opened to the house of David and the inhabitants of Jerusalem, to cleanse them from sin and impurity.

² “On that day, I will banish the names of the idols from the land, and they will be remembered no more,” declares the Lord Almighty. “I will remove both the prophets and the spirit of impurity from the land.

HYMN Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me 761

- 1 Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in Thee;
Let the water and the blood,
From Thy riven side which flowed,
Be of sin the double cure:
Cleanse me from its guilt and pow’r.

- 2 Not the labors of my hands
Can fulfill Thy Law’s demands;
Could my zeal no respite know,
Could my tears forever flow,
All for sin could not atone;
Thou must save, and Thou alone.

- 3 Nothing in my hand I bring;
Simply to Thy cross I cling.
Naked, come to Thee for dress;
Helpless, look to Thee for grace;
Foul, I to the fountain fly;
Wash me, Savior, or I die.

- 4 While I draw this fleeting breath,
When mine eyelids close in death,
When I soar to worlds unknown,
See Thee on Thy judgment throne,
Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in Thee.

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SERMON

The Sixth Part in the Series
Your Kingdom Come
The Redeemer’s Refinery
Zechariah 13:1–2

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HYMN Guide Me O Thou Great Redeemer 918

- 1 Guide me, O Thou great Redeemer,
Pilgrim through this barren land.
I am weak, but Thou art mighty;
Hold me with Thy pow'rful hand.
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven,
Feed me till I want no more;
Feed me till I want no more.

- 2 Open now the crystal fountain
Whence the healing stream doth flow;
Let the fiery, cloudy pillar
Lead me all my journey through.
Strong deliv'rer, strong deliv'rer,
Be Thou still my strength and shield;
Be Thou still my strength and shield.

- 3 When I tread the verge of Jordan,
Bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of death and hell's destruction,
Land me safe on Canaan's side.
Songs of praises, songs of praises
I will ever give to Thee;
I will ever give to Thee.

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PASSION READING PART 6

The Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ
Drawn from the Four Gospels as translated from the Greek Text in
GOD'S WORD TO THE NATIONS: The New Testament
New Evangelical Translation (NET)

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Pastor: For the peace from above and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For all pastors in Christ, for all servants of the Church, and for all the people, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For our public servants, for the government and those who protect us, that they may be upheld and strengthened in every good deed, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For those who work to bring peace, justice, health, and protection in this and every place, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For those who bring offerings, those who do good works in this congregation, those who toil, those who sing and all the people here present who await from the Lord great and abundant mercy, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For favorable weather, for an abundance of the fruit of the earth, and for peaceful times, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For our deliverance from all affliction, wrath, danger, and need, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For preservation in this pandemic and every illness, for healing and strength to those who are sick, for protection those who care for them, for steady minds and calm hearts in the face of fear, for a strengthening in faith and an increase in love; let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: For the faithful who have gone before us and are with Christ, let us give thanks to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

People: Amen.

PRAYER (*Luther's Evening Prayer*)

Pastor: We pray,

People: I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have graciously kept me this day; and I pray that You would forgive me all my sins where I have done wrong, and graciously keep me this night. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

**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**

BENEDICTION *(From Zechariah 9:9)*

Pastor: Behold, your King comes to you—

People: Righteous and having salvation.

Pastor: Speaking peace to the nations.

People: And ruling from sea to sea—

Pastor: To the ends of the earth!

People: God's kingdom comes—

Pastor: To us!

People: By His Spirit.

Pastor: God's kingdom comes through us—

People: To the ends of the earth! Amen.

HYMN "All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night" 883

- 1 All praise to Thee, my God, this night
For all the blessings of the light.
Keep me, O keep me, King of kings,
Beneath Thine own almighty wings.
- 2 Forgive me, Lord, for Thy dear Son,
The ill that I this day have done,
That with the world, myself, and Thee,
I, ere I sleep, at peace may be.
- 3 Teach me to live that I may dread
The grave as little as my bed.
Teach me to die that so I may
Rise glorious at the awe-full day.
- 4 Oh, may my soul in Thee repose,
And may sweet sleep mine eyelids close,
Sleep that shall me more vig'rous make
To serve my God when I awake!
- 5 When in the night I sleepless lie,
My soul with heav'nly thoughts supply;
Let no ill dreams disturb my rest,
No pow'rs of darkness me molest.

- 6 Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

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Silent Prayer: "Foul, I to the fountain fly, wash me Savior or I die!" Amen.

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