

# **LUTHERAN CHAPEL**



**HOLDEN EVENING PRAYER**

**Wednesdays in Lent 2020**

**7:00 pm**

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*\*Congregation stands*

## Lenten Hymns from LBW

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#368 I Love Your Kingdom, Lord
- Mar 11** #555 When In Our Music God Is Glorified  
(substitute "Kyrie" for alleluias)  
#559 Oh, For A Thousand Tongues to Sing
- Mar 18** #170 Crown Him With Many Crowns  
#272 Abide With Me
- Mar 25** #203 Now We Join In Celebration  
#416 O God of Every Nation
- Apr 1** #234 Almighty God, Your Word Is Cast  
#453 If You But Trust In God To Guide You

## Lenten Lessons and Homily

- Mar 4** 1 Thess. 5:17 *"To Live Among God's Faithful People"*
- Mar 11** Deut. 6: 5-6 & 2 Tim. 3: 16  
*"To Hear the Word of God and Share in the Lord's Supper"*
- Mar 18** Matt. 28: 19 & 2 Cor. 9: 7  
*"To Proclaim the Good News of God In Christ Through Word and Deed"*
- Mar 25** Micah 6: 8 *"To Serve All People, Following the Example of Jesus"*
- Apr 1** 2 Thess. 3:13 *"To Strive For Just and Peace In All the Earth"*

## Lenten Offertory Anthems

- Mar 4** All Who Believe and Are Baptized Wittenberg 1524 arr. R. Myers
- Mar 11** In All Our Grief Charles R. Anders
- Mar 18** Go Forth For God setting: Eugene Butler
- Mar 25** When Pain of the World Surrounds Us Jim Strathdee arr. R. Myers
- Apr 1** Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer Dale Wood

# By Grace I'm Saved LSB 566

Christian Ludwig Scheidt, 1709-61  
tr. The Lutheran Hymnal 1941, alt.

O Dass Ich Tausend Zungen Hätte  
Cornelius Heinrich Dretzel, 1697-1775

By grace I'm saved, grace free and bound-less; My soul, be -  
By grace! None dare lay claim to mer - it; Our works and  
By grace On this I'll rest when dy - ing; In Je - sus'

lieve and doubt it not. Why stag - ger at this word of  
con - duct have no worth, God in His love sent our Re -  
prom - ise I re - joice; For though I know my heart's con -

prom - ise? Has Scrip - ture ev - er false - hood taught? No! Then this  
deem - er, Christ Je - sus, to this sin - ful earth; His death did  
di - tion, I al - so know my Sav - ior's voice. My heart is

word must true re - main: By grace you too will life ob - tain.  
for our sins a - tone, And we are saved by grace a - lone.  
glad, all grief has flown Since I am saved by grace a - lone.

The musical score consists of four systems, each with a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The key signature is one flat (B-flat) and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are printed below the vocal line, with hyphens indicating syllables that span across two notes. The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line with chords that support the vocal melody.

# Create in Me a Clean Heart

## *Offering Song*

The musical score is written on four staves in a single system. Each staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The first staff starts with a 7-measure rest, followed by a melody. The lyrics are: "Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re - new a right". The second staff continues the melody with lyrics: "spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a - way from your pres - ence, and take". The third staff continues with lyrics: "not your Ho - ly Spir - it from me. Re - store to me the joy of". The fourth staff concludes the melody with lyrics: "your sal - va - tion, and up - hold me with your free Spir - it." The piece ends with a double bar line.

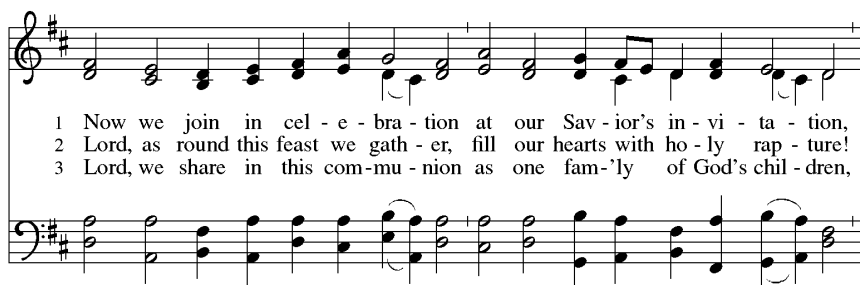
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not your Ho - ly Spir - it from me. Re - store to me the joy of  
your sal - va - tion, and up - hold me with your free Spir - it.

Music: Richard W. Hillert, b. 1923

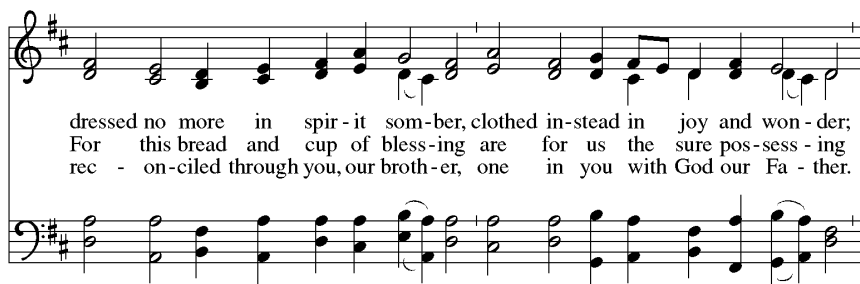
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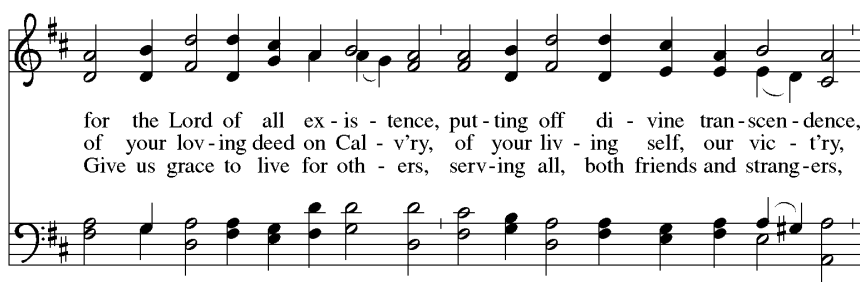
## Now We Join in Celebration



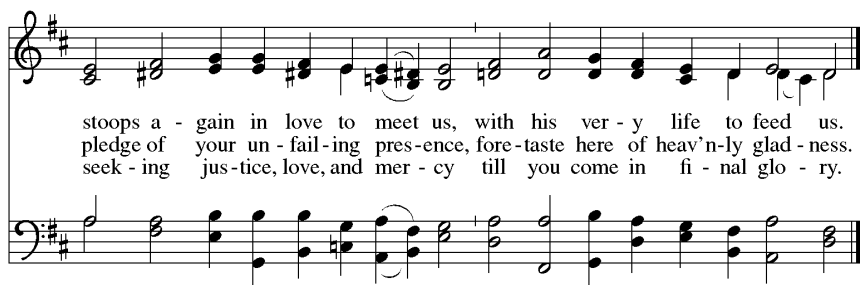
1 Now we join in cel - e - bra - tion at our Sav - ior's in - vi - ta - tion,  
2 Lord, as round this feast we gath - er, fill our hearts with ho - ly rap - ture!  
3 Lord, we share in this com - mu - nion as one fam - 'ly of God's chil - dren,



dressed no more in spir - it som - ber, clothed in - stead in joy and won - der;  
For this bread and cup of bless - ing are for us the sure pos - sess - ing  
rec - on - ciled through you, our broth - er, one in you with God our Fa - ther.



for the Lord of all ex - is - tence, put - ting off di - vine tran - scen - dence,  
of your lov - ing deed on Cal - v'ry, of your liv - ing self, our vic - t'ry,  
Give us grace to live for oth - ers, serv - ing all, both friends and strang - ers,



stoops a - gain in love to meet us, with his ver - y life to feed us.  
pledge of your un - fail - ing pres - ence, fore - taste here of heav'n - ly glad - ness.  
seek - ing jus - tice, love, and mer - cy till you come in fi - nal glo - ry.

Text: Joel W. Lundeen, 1918-1990

Music: Johann Crüger, 1598-1662

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# O God of Every Nation



1 O God of ev - 'ry na - tion, of ev - 'ry race and land,  
2 From search for wealth and pow - er and scorn of truth and right,  
3 Lord, strength-en all who la - bor that all may find re - lease  
4 Keep bright in us the vi - sion of days when war shall cease,



re - deem your whole cre - a - tion with your al - might - y hand;  
from trust in bombs that show - er de - struc-tion through the night,  
from fear of rat - tling sa - ber, from dread of war's in - crease;  
when ha - tred and di - vi - sion give way to love and peace,



where hate and fear di - vide us and bit - ter threats are hurled,  
from pride of race and sta - tion and blind-ness to your way,  
when hope and cour-age fal - ter, Lord, let your voice be heard;  
till dawns the morn-ing glo - rious when truth and love shall reign,



in love and mer - cy guide us and heal our strife - torn world.  
de - liv - er ev - 'ry na - tion, e - ter - nal God, we pray.  
with faith that none can al - ter, your ser - vants un - der - gird.  
and Christ shall rule vic - to - rious o'er all the world's do - main.

Text: William W. Reid Jr., b. 1923

Music: TUOLUMNE, Dale Wood, b. 1934

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**The offering received during the Lenten Evening Prayer**

**Services** will be sent to The Cathy Mabry Cloninger Center - A Domestic Violence Shelter. The Home serves as a temporary shelter for clients to work on goals to establish new housing, jobs, daycare, etc. while providing a safe, emergency residence where victims can live in times of crisis. Other services provided include counseling, court advocacy, support group meetings for women and children's programs. When the families leave, the staff wants them to be strong, hopeful for the future and know that there is always someone only a phone call away if help is needed.

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