

# *Emanuel Lutheran Church*

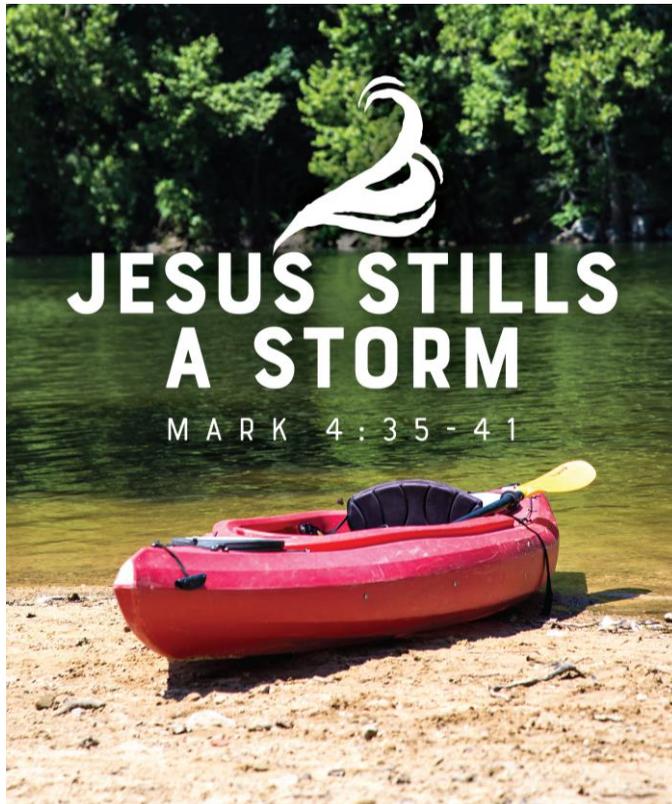
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## *Contemporary Worship*

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**Mission Statement:**

**Emanuel: God with Us ~ Loving Christ, Loving Others**

## *Praise Band*

*Teri Turner.....Director & Keyboard*  
*Tom Schifer & Kevin Ballard..... Drums/Percussion*  
*Pat Thomas..... Bass/Guitar*  
*Daniel Bradshaw, Rick Lyon & Pastor Mark.....Guitar*

## *Praise Chorus*

*Carolyn Bailey, Daniel & Kim Bradshaw,*  
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## **Welcome to the Year of Generosity**

*"For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also."*

-Matthew 6:21

**Covid Update:** Face Masks are no longer required for *fully vaccinated* people. If you are not fully vaccinated, please wear your mask, *covering both nose and mouth*, even when seated in the pews throughout the service. Thank You.

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## Welcome and Opening Reading

### Gathering

*"There is Joy in the Lord"*

There is joy in the Lord, There is love in His Spirit.

There is hope in the knowledge of Him.

There's a fountain that flows-like a river from heaven,  
Abounding in love to my soul.

All blessing and honor are His, All glory and power are His.

Let all wisdom and strength be the Lord's in this place.

Let all glory be given to Him.

There is joy in the Lord, There is love in His Spirit.  
There is hope in the knowledge of Him.  
There's a fountain I know- every time I am near it,  
My heart over flows to the Lord.  
All blessing and honor are His, All glory and power are His.  
Let all wisdom and strength be the Lord's in this place.  
Let all glory be given to Him.  
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There is hope in the knowledge of Him.  
There's a fountain that flows-like a river from heaven,  
Abounding in love to my soul. There is joy in the Lord.

Call to Worship                      Psalm 107:1-3, 23-32

L: Give thanks to the LORD, for the LORD is good, for God's mercy endures forever.

C: **Let the redeemed of the LORD proclaim that God redeemed them from the hand of the foe,**

L: gathering them in from the lands; from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.

C: **Some went down to the sea in ships, plying their trade in deep waters.**

L: They beheld the works of the LORD, God's wonderful works in the deep.

C: **Then God spoke, and a stormy wind arose, which tossed high the waves of the sea.**

L: They mounted up to the heavens and descended to the depths; their souls melted away in their peril. They staggered and reeled like drunkards, and all their skill was of no avail. Then in their trouble they cried to the LORD, and you delivered them from their distress.

C: **You stilled the storm to a whisper and silenced the waves of the sea.**

L: Then were they glad when it grew calm, when you guided them to the harbor they desired.

C: **Let them give thanks to you, LORD, for your steadfast love and your wonderful works for all people.**

L: Let them exalt you in the assembly of the people; in the council of the elders, let them sing hallelujah!

Song *"Praise is the Offering"*

### **Musical Introduction**

Come and let us sing for joy, Let us praise and shout aloud  
To the lifter of our heads, To the Rock we're standing on  
Your salvation is our song, Now we can't stay silent  
We will sing how, Great is Your love for us  
And Great are the things You've done  
And Praise is the offering we bring to You

### **Interlude**

Lord, we come to worship You, Lord, we bow our hearts in awe  
By Your love, we are redeemed, We are Yours and You're our God  
Your salvation is our song, Now we can't stay silent  
We will sing how Great is Your love for us  
And Great are the things You've done  
And Praise is the offering we bring to You  
All of our heart and soul  
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### Confession and Forgiveness

L: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, the God of manna, the God of miracles, the God of mercy. **Amen.**

Drawn to Christ and seeking God's abundance, let us confess our sin.

\*Silence is kept for reflection.

God, our provider,

C: **help us. It is hard to believe there is enough to share. We question your ways when they differ from the ways of the world in which we live. We turn to our own understanding rather than trusting in you. We take offense at your teachings and your ways. Turn us again to you. Where else can we turn? Share with us the words of eternal life and feed us for life in the world. Amen.**

L: Beloved people of God: in Jesus, the manna from heaven, you are fed and nourished. By Jesus, the worker of miracles, there is always more than enough. Through Jesus, † the bread of life, you are shown God's mercy: you are forgiven and loved into abundant life. **Amen.**

### Prayer of the Day

L: O God of creation, eternal majesty, you preside over land and sea, sunshine and storm. By your strength pilot us, by your power preserve us, by your wisdom instruct us, and by your hand protect us, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

### Song

*"When It's All Been Said and Done"*

When it's all been said and done, There is just one thing that matters;  
That You gave Your only son for me to win eternity  
When it's all been said and done, All my treasures will mean nothing;

Only what You've done for love's reward  
Will stand the test of time  
Lord, Your mercy is so great  
That You look beyond our weakness;  
And find purest gold in miry clay  
Making sinners into saints.  
I will always sing Your praise,  
Here on earth and ever after;  
For You've shown me  
heaven's my true home,  
When it's all been said and done,  
You're my life when life is gone.  
When it's all been said and done,  
There is just one thing that matters:  
That you gave Your only son for me  
To win eternity, To win eternity.

### Offertory & Special Music

\*There will be no offering collected by the passing of collection plates. Please either place your offering in the boxes at each entry/exit point or continue to give as you have been, by mail, your bank's online bill pay, our new online giving tool, or mobile app.

### First Reading

Job 38:1-11

<sup>1</sup>The LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind: <sup>2</sup>"Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? <sup>3</sup>Gird up your loins like a man, I will question you, and you shall declare to me. <sup>4</sup>"Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding. <sup>5</sup>Who determined its measurements—surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? <sup>6</sup>On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone <sup>7</sup>when the morning stars sang together and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy? <sup>8</sup>"Or who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb? — <sup>9</sup>when I made the clouds its garment, and thick

darkness its swaddling band,<sup>10</sup> and prescribed bounds for it, and set bars and doors,<sup>11</sup> and said, 'Thus far shall you come, and no farther, and here shall your proud waves be stopped'?"

### Second Reading

### 2 Corinthians 6:1-13

<sup>1</sup>As we work together with him, we urge you also not to accept the grace of God in vain. <sup>2</sup>For he says, "At an acceptable time I have listened to you, and on a day of salvation I have helped you." See, now is the acceptable time; see, now is the day of salvation! <sup>3</sup>We are putting no obstacle in anyone's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, <sup>4</sup>but as servants of God we have commended ourselves in every way: through great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, <sup>5</sup>beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; <sup>6</sup>by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, holiness of spirit, genuine love, <sup>7</sup>truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; <sup>8</sup>in honor and dishonor, in ill repute and good repute. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; <sup>9</sup>as unknown, and yet are well known; as dying, and see—we are alive; as punished, and yet not killed; <sup>10</sup>as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing everything. <sup>11</sup>We have spoken frankly to you Corinthians; our heart is wide open to you. <sup>12</sup>There is no restriction in our affections, but only in yours. <sup>13</sup>In return—I speak as to children—open wide your hearts also.

### Song of the Day

### "It is Well with My Soul"

Our scars are a sign of grace in our lives,  
And Father how you brought us through.

When deep were the wounds and dark was the night,  
The promise of Your love You proved.

Now every battle still to come,  
Let this be our song:

It is well, (it is well)  
With my soul, (with my soul)  
It is well, it is well, with my soul!  
Weeping may come, remain for a night,  
But joy will paint  
The morning sky.  
You're there in the fast,  
You're there in the feast .  
Your faithfulness will always shine.  
Now every battle still to come,  
Let this be our song:  
It is well, (it is well)  
With my soul, (with my soul)  
It is well, it is well, with my soul!  
I trust Your ways (I trust Your ways)  
I Trust Your name (I Trust Your name)  
It is well, it is well, with my soul!  
You lead us through battles, (You lead us through battles)  
You lead us to blessing, (You lead us to blessing)  
And You make us fruitful, (And You make us fruitful)  
In the land of our suffering God.  
It is well, it is well, with my soul!

### **Instrumental**

It is well, (it is well) with my soul, (with my soul).  
It is well, it is well with my soul!  
I trust Your ways (I trust Your ways),  
I trust Your name (I trust Your name),  
It is well, it is well with my soul!  
It is well, it is well with my soul!  
It is well, (it is well) with my soul, (with my soul).  
It is well, it is well with my soul!

I trust Your ways (I trust Your ways),  
I trust Your name (I trust Your name),  
It is well, it is well with my soul!

Holy Gospel

Mark 4:35-41

<sup>35</sup>When evening had come, [Jesus said to the disciples,] "Let us go across to the other side." <sup>36</sup>And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. <sup>37</sup>A great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. <sup>38</sup>But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" <sup>39</sup>He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. <sup>40</sup>He said to them, "Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?" <sup>41</sup>And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?"

Sermon

*"Peaceful Storms"*

Deacon Kevin

Mark 4:35-41

\*Please stand in body or spirit.

Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic**

church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## Prayers of the Church

### The 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.

### Blessing

L: The blessing of God, who provides for us, feeds us, and journeys with us, † be upon you now and forever. Amen.

### Sending Song

#### "You Are"

You are holy, You are faithful,  
You are Savior, You are friend;  
You are all I'll ever need, Lord, You are.  
You are every question's answer,  
You are every reason why; You are moving,  
You are still, Lord, You are.  
You are the Lord on high,  
You are the Way, the Truth, the Life; You are the Word made flesh,  
You are the Bright Morning Star, You are.  
You are "Glory, Hallelujah!"  
You are hope of peace on earth;  
You are Alpha and Omega, You are.  
You are comfort, You are refuge,

You are love personified;  
You are kindness and compassion, You are.  
You are the Lord on high,  
You are the Way, the Truth, the Life; You are the Word made flesh,  
You are the Bright Morning Star, You are.  
You are my God and my King.  
You are the words that I sing,  
You are the reason I make this offering.  
You are my God and my King.  
You are the words that I sing,  
You are the reason I make this off'ring  
You are the Lord on high,  
You are the Way, the Truth, the Life; You are the Word made flesh,  
You are the Bright Morning Star,  
You are the Lord on high,  
You are the Way, the Truth, the Life; You are the Word made flesh,  
You are the Bright Morning Star,  
You are the Word made flesh,  
You are the Bright Morning Star;----  
You are.  
You are my God and my King.  
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You are the reason I make this offering.  
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You are the words that I sing,  
You are the reason I make this offering.

### Dismissal

L: Go in peace. You are the body of Christ.

C: **Thanks be to God.**