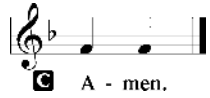


Collect For Peace

**L** 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.

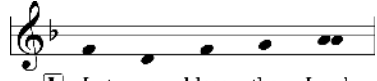


**C** A - men.

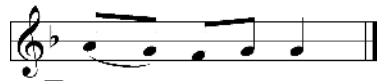
**P** Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:  
Lord's Prayer

*Stand*

Benedicamus



**L** Let us bless the Lord.

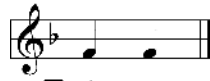


**C** Thanks be to God.

Benediction



**P** The almighty and merciful Lord, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, bless and pre-serve you.



**C** A - men.

Closing Hymn: O God, Our Help in Ages Past

LSB 733

*"Have A Happy  
and  
Blessed New Year"*



# NEWS YEAR'S EVE SERVICE

## EVE OF THE NAME OF JESUS

### DECEMBER 31, 2008

### Redeemer Lutheran Church & Child Care

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**WORSHIP SERVICES: 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:15 AM**

**ADULT BIBLE CLASS: 9:15 AM**

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Opening Hymn: All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night  
Service of Light

LSB 883

**L** Jesus Christ is the Light of the world,

**C** the light no darkness can o - ver - come.

**L** Stay with us, Lord, for it is eve - ning,

**C** and the day is almost o - ver.

**L** Let Your light scatter the dark - ness

**C** and il - lu - mine Your Church.

Hymn of Light

**L** Joy - ous light of glo - ry:

**C** of the im - mor - tal Fa - ther; heav - en - ly, ho - ly,

bles - ed Je - sus Christ. We have come to the

set - ting of the sun, and we look to the eve - ning light.

**L** 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:

**C** Lord, have mercy.

**L** For favorable weather, for an abundance of the fruits of the earth, and for peaceful times, let us pray to the Lord:

**C** Lord, have mercy.

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

**C** Lord, have mercy.

**L** For . . . [additional bids for prayer may be inserted here] . . . let us pray to the Lord:

**C** Lord, have mercy.

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

*Common:* **C** Al - le - lu - ia.  
*Lent:* **C** Thanks be - to - God.

**L** Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord.

*Silence for individual prayer may follow.*

**L** Rejoicing in the fellowship of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, one another, and our whole life to Christ, our Lord:

**C** To You, O Lord.

Holy Gospel Reading: Luke 2:21

And at the end of eight days, when he was circumcised, he was called Jesus, the name given by the angel before he was conceived in the womb.

- L** O Lord, have mercy on us.
- C** Thanks be to God.
- L** In many and various ways, God spoke to His people of old by the prophets.
- C** But now in these last days, He has spoken to us by His son.

Office Hymn: Jesus! Name of Wondrous Love

LSB 900

Sermon "What's In A Name" Luke 2:21

Offering: Organ Medley

Stand

Litany Prayer



**L** In peace let us pray to the Lord:



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.



- L** For the peace from above and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** Lord, have mercy.
- L** 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:
- C** Lord, have mercy.
- L** For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** Lord, have mercy.
- L** For all pastors in Christ, for all servants of the Church, and for all the people, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** Lord, have mercy.
- L** For all 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:
- C** Lord, have mercy.
- L** For those who work to bring peace, justice, health, and protection in this and every place, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** Lord, have mercy.



We sing to God, the Fa-ther, Son, and Ho-ly Spir-it:



You are wor-thy of be-ing praised with pure voic-es for -

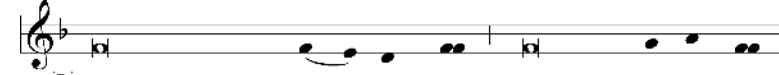


ev-er. O Son of God, O Giv-er of life:

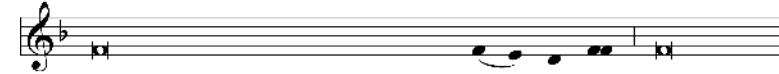


the u-ni-verse pro-claims Your glo-ry.

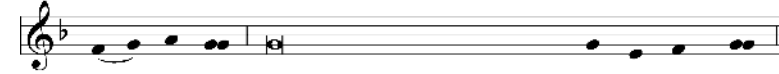
Thanksgiving For Light



**L** Blessèd are You, O Lord our God, king of the u-ni-verse,



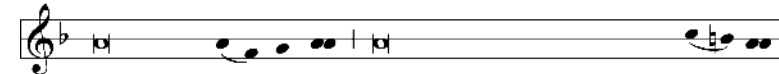
who led Your people Israel by a pillar of cloud by day and a pillar of



fire by night. Enlighten our darkness by the light of Your Christ:



may His Word be a lamp to our feet and a light to our path;



for You are mer-ci-ful, and You love Your whole cre-a-tion



and we, Your creatures, glo-ri-fy You, Fa-ther, Son, and Ho-ly Spir-it.



**C** A-men.

Sit

Psalmody - Psalm 141



**C** Let my prayer rise be - fore You as in - cense,  
the lift - ing up of my hands as the eve - ning sac - ri - fice.

**I** O Lord, I call to You; come to me quick - ly; hear my voice  
when I cry to You. **C** Let my prayer rise be - fore You as in - cense,  
the lift - ing up of my hands as the eve - ning sac - ri - fice.

**III** Set a watch be - fore my mouth, O Lord, and guard the door of my lips.

**I** Let not my heart in - cline to an - y e - vil thing;  
let me not be oc - cu - pied in wick - ed - ness with e - vil - do - ers.

**III** But my eyes are turned to You, O God; in You I take ref - uge.

Strip me not of my life. **C** Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and



to the Son and to the Ho - ly Spir - it; as it was in  
the be - gin - ning, is now, and will be for - ev - er. A - men.

Let my prayer rise be - fore You as in - cense,  
the lift - ing up of my hands as the eve - ning sac - ri - fice.

- L** Let us pray.
- L** Let the incense of our repentant prayer ascend before You, O Lord, and let Your loving-kindness descend on us that, with purified minds, we may sing Your praises with the Church on earth and the whole heavenly host and may glorify You forever.
- C** Amen.

Old Testament Reading: Numbers 6:22-27

The LORD spoke to Moses, saying, "Speak to Aaron and his sons, saying, Thus you shall bless the people of Israel: you shall say to them,  
The LORD bless you and keep you;  
the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;  
the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.  
So shall they put my name upon the people of Israel, and I will bless them."

- L** O Lord, have mercy on us.
- C** Thanks be to God.

Epistle Reading: Galatians 3:23-29

Now before faith came, we were held captive under the law, imprisoned until the coming faith would be revealed. So then, the law was our guardian until Christ came, in order that we might be justified by faith. But now that faith has come, we are no longer under a guardian, for in Christ Jesus you are all sons of God, through faith. For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ. There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is neither male nor female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus. And if you are Christ's, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to promise.

- L** O Lord, have mercy on us.
- C** Thanks be to God.