

# Morrison Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod

Thanksgiving

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## THANKFUL THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

Opening Hymn: 610 *“Now Thank We All Our God”*  
(please stand before singing verse 3)

**M:** Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD; let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.

**C:** Let us come before him with thanksgiving.

**M:** Let us extol him with music and song.

**We praise you, O God, our Redeemer, Creator!**  
**In grateful devotion our tribute we bring:**  
**We lay it before you we kneel and adore you;**  
**We bless your holy name; glad tidings we sing.**

**M:** Sing to the LORD, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day.

**C:** Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples.

**M:** Worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness; come into his courts with praise.

**We worship you, God of our fathers; we bless you.**  
**Through trial and tempest our guide you have been;**  
**When perils o’ertake us, you will not forsake us,**  
**And with your help, O Lord, our battles we win.**

**M:** Sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things;

**C:** The LORD has made his salvation known and revealed his righteousness to the nations.

**M:** All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.

**With voices united our praises we offer;**  
**To you, great Jehovah, glad anthems we raise.**  
**Your strong arm will guide us; our God is beside us.**  
**To you, our great Redeemer, fore’er be praise!**

*Be seated*

## BE THANKFUL DURING ADVENT

Thank God for His gift of hope! Luke 1:39-47, 54-55

Hymn of Thanks: 23:1, 4 *“Oh, Come, Oh, Come, Emmanuel”*

## BE THANKFUL DURING CHRISTMAS

Thank the Lord for His gift of joy! Luke 2:8-14

Hymn of Thanks: 62:1-2 *“Joy to the World”*

## BE THANKFUL DURING EPIPHANY

Thank God for making Himself known to us! John 1:1-5, 10-17

Hymn of Thanks: 82:1,5 *“Songs of Thankfulness and Praise”*

## BE THANKFUL DURING LENT

Thank the Lord for access into His grace! Hebrews 10:19-25

Hymn of Thanks: 114:1-2 *“Christ, the Life of All the Living”*

## BE THANKFUL DURING EASTER

Thank God for our new birth! 1 Peter 1:3-9

Hymn of Thanks: 152:1,7 *“I know that My Redeemer Lives”*

## BE THANKFUL AT ASCENSION

Thank the Lord that He rules all things forever Ephesians 1:17-23

Hymn of Thanks: 175:1,4 *“Hail the Day that Sees Him Rise”*

## BE THANKFUL DURING PENTECOST

Thank God for the gifts of the Spirit! Galatians 5:16-25

Hymn of Thanks: 176 *“Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord”*

## BE THANKFUL AT THANKSGIVING

Thank the Lord for teaching us to appreciate His blessings!

Psalm 148 (page 121) Wed. Choir: *A Thanksgiving Prayer Thursday*

**Offering** – an expression of our thanks for what God has done for us

*stand*

## Prayer of the Church

### Lord’s Prayer

**M:** The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look on you with favor and give you peace.

**C:** (sung) **Amen, Amen, Amen.**

*Be Seated*

Hymn: 260

*“Let All Things Now Living”*