

Eucharistic Prayer #9 from Evangelical Lutheran Worship

The Celebration of the Eucharist Eucharistic Prayer

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

All **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Celebrant It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Saviour Jesus Christ,

You call your people to cleanse their hearts and
prepare with joy for the Easter feast,
That renewed in the gift of baptism,
We may come to the fullness of your grace.
And so, with all the choirs of angels,
With the church on earth and the hosts of heaven,
We praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Sanctus

Celebrant Holy God,
You alone are holy

You alone are God.
The universe declares your praise;
beyond the stars;
beneath the sea;
within each cell;
with every breath.

All

We praise you, O God.

Celebrant

Generations bless your faithfulness;
through the water; by night and day,
across the wilderness;
out of exile, into the future.

All

We bless you, O God.

Celebrant

We give you thanks for your dear Son:
at the heart of human life;
near to those who suffer;
beside the sinner; among the poor;
with us now.

All

We thank you, O God.

Celebrant

In the night
in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread,
and gave thanks; broke it,
and gave it to his disciples,
saying: Take and eat;
this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper,
he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink,
saying: This cup
is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people
for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Remembering his love for us
on the way, at the table,
and to the end,
we proclaim the mystery of faith.

All

**Christ has died.
Christ has risen.
Christ will come again.**

Celebrant

We pray
for the gift of your Spirit;
in our gathering;
within this meal;
among your people;
throughout the world.

Blessing, praise, and thanks to you,
holy God, through Christ Jesus,
by your Spirit, in your church,
without end.

All

Amen.