

**Order Of Service**

Singing: Psalm 19—CW page 70

Reading: Psalm 18:16-24

Opening Hymn: CW 260

Reading: Revelation 2:12-17

Request Hymn: CW Supplement 702

Reading: John 4:1-6

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*A Ravished Heart*

Prayer

The Apostles' Creed, TLH page 12

Holy Communion

The Lord's Prayer

The Blessing

Closing Hymn: CW 245

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Bible Study: Lambs: I Kings 19:9-12, 18; A Still, Small Voice  
Sheep: Proverbs 10:31-32



*God's Beautiful Creation*

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## WATER OF LIFE

Independent Christian Church—Conservative Lutheran Doctrine

Worship Service: 9:30 a.m.

Bible Study: 10:45 a.m.

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**Sermon Text: Song Of Solomon 4:9**

### *A Ravished Heart*

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**Song of Solomon 4:9** **Thou hast ravished my heart, my sister, my spouse; thou hast ravished my heart with one of thine eyes, with one chain of thy neck.**

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We have here an absolutely amazing repetition:

***Thou hast ravished my heart! . . . Thou hast ravished my heart!***

And remember—these are the words of the Bridegroom (Jesus Christ) speaking to his Bride (the elect Church).

What is even more amazing is that this love which the Son of God has for his elect applies to our condition *right now*. As another has aptly said—“Jesus will love us no better in heaven than he loves us now!” His love for us stretches from eternity past into eternity future! It doesn’t change! We think of Ephesians 3.



### *The Great Marriage*

**Ephesians 3:15** Of whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named,  
:16 That he would grant you, according to the riches of his glory, to be strengthened with might by his Spirit in the inner man;  
:17 That Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith; that ye, being rooted and grounded in love,  
:18 May be able to comprehend with all saints what is the breadth, and length, and depth, and height;  
:19 ***And to know the love of Christ, which passeth knowledge, that ye might be filled with all the fulness of God.***  
:20 ***Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think,*** according to the power that worketh in us,  
:21 Unto him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end. Amen.