

A SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING FOR ANIMALS

Welcome



Let us praise the Lord our God

who is from everlasting

Blessed be his glorious name, let it be exalted above all blessing and praise; Let us praise the Lord our God

who is from everlasting

He alone is the Lord, he made the highest heavens and all the starry host, the earth and all that is on it, the seas and all that is in them; Let us praise the Lord our God

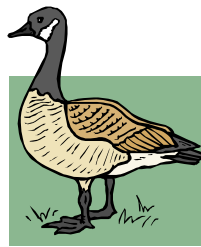
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He gives life to everything, the multitudes of heaven worship him; Let us praise the Lord our God

who is from everlasting

We praise you, O God, for you have created all things and made us anew In Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen!

Hymn



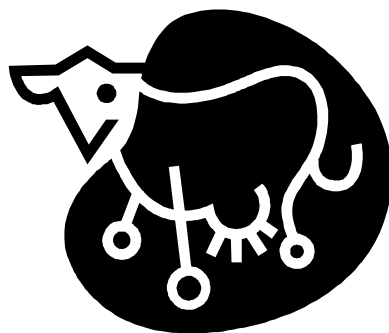
Prayers of Praise

Let all praise the name of the Lord!

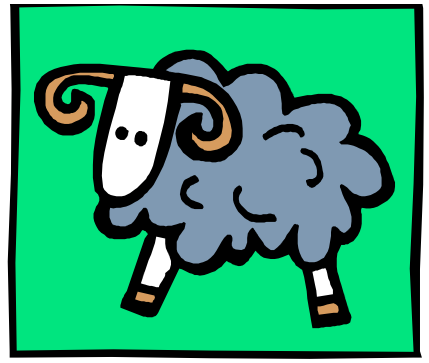
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Prayers

To the bidding: "... O Lord our God"

please respond: **We praise your holy name!**

Hymn

Blessing of Animals

God, whose glory the heavens declare, whose handiwork the skies proclaim, who speaks through his creation, bless all these your creatures that they may join with all creation to praise your name. **Amen.**

Dedication

**Eternal God and Father,
you create and redeem us
by your loving power:
guide and strengthen us by your Spirit,
that we may give ourselves
in love and service
to one another and to you;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Blessing

Hymn

Dismissal

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord!

In the name of Christ. Amen!

