Jesus Christ is Our True Savior

BY JEFFREY E. BURKART

A hymn for young children in celebration of the 2021-2022 National Lutheran Schools week. Based on the five daily National Lutheran Schools Week themes: Christ, Children, Church, Creation, and Community. Sung to the tune: RINGE RECHT (“Sweet the Moments, Rich in Blessing” – TLH 155)

CHRIST
Jesus Christ is our true Savior; 
All creation sings His praise.
He took on salvation’s labor,
Bearing all our sins away.

Scripture References
Jesus Christ is our true Savior; Acts 4:11-12
All creation sings His praise. Psalm 148
He took on salvation’s labor, Isaiah 53:1-6
Bearing all our sins away. 1 Peter 2:24

CHILDREN
Jesus once said to His students,
“Let the children come to me.”
To Him children aren’t a nuisance;
Heav’n belongs to such as these!

Scripture References
Jesus once said to His students, Matthew 19:13-14
“Let the children come to me.”
To Him children aren’t a nuisance;
Heav’n belongs to such as these!

CHURCH
In the Church we hear God’s message
Urging us to run our race.
Through each sermon, hymn, and passage,
We learn of God’s law and grace.

Scripture References
In the Church we hear God’s message Hebrews 12:1-3
Urging us to run our race.
Through each sermon, hymn, and passage,
We learn of God’s law and grace.

CREATION
“Jesus is Lord of Creation!”
All the stars above proclaim.
Jesus’ pow’r on earth, in heaven,
We, with all the saints, acclaim!

Scripture References
“Jesus is Lord of Creation!” Colossians 1:15-17
All the stars above proclaim. Psalm 19:1; Psalm 66:4; Psalm 148
Jesus’ pow’r on earth, in heaven, Matthew 28:18-20
We, with all the saints, acclaim!

COMMUNITY
Jesus, help us serve our neighbor
And, like you, supply their needs;
Showing all God’s love and favor
Here, and where Your Spirit leads.

Scripture References
Jesus, help us serve our neighbor Mark 12:28-31
And, like you, supply their needs;
Showing all God’s love and favor Romans 8:14
Here, and where Your Spirit leads.

DOXOLOGY

Faith, Son, and Holy Spirit,
Help us speak Your Word of grace
So that all the world may hear it
And loud alleluias raise! Amen.

Scripture References
“Missionscher Christenschatz” Ephesians 4:29
Basel, 1745
Meter: 87 87

Jesus Is Our One True Savior
Copyright © 2021 Jeffrey E. Burkart
All rights reserved.
Tune: RINGE RECHT Public domain.
1/11/21