



# *Faith Lutheran Church*

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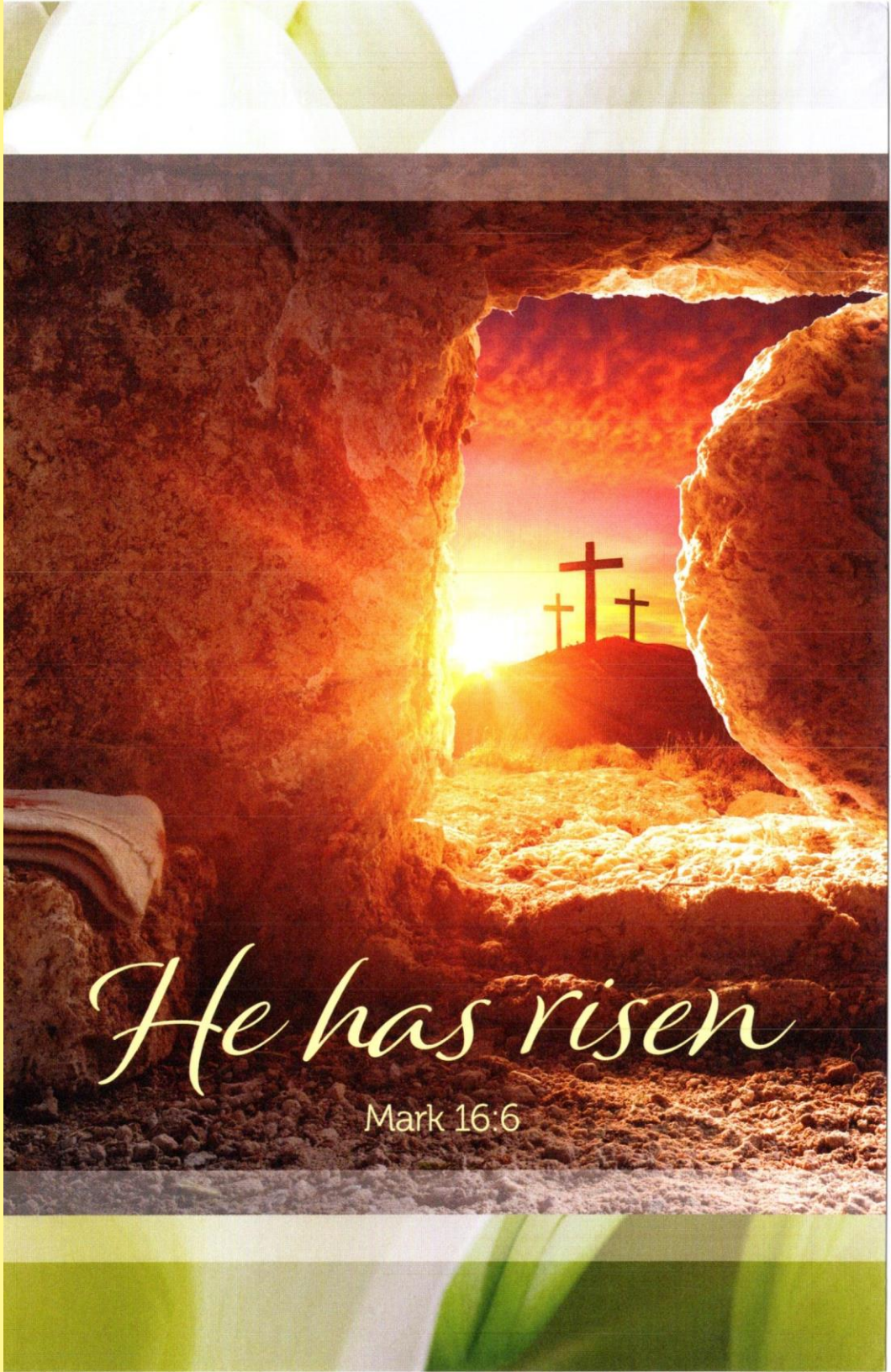
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# *He has risen*

Mark 16:6

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## THE PURPOSE OF FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

*In the power, guidance, and strength of the Holy Spirit, we seek God's presence in worship to open our hearts and minds that He may be glorified and we may be empowered to love and serve all people, that souls may be won for Jesus Christ.*

*The Resurrection of Our Lord*

*March 31, 2024*

**Faith Lutheran Church is a congregation of baptized believers gathered together by Christ around His life-giving word and sacraments, who are sent out into the world as witnesses to Christ as they serve their neighbors in love within their individual, God-given vocations.**

**Prayer upon Entering Church:** Almighty God, give us grace that we may cast away the works of darkness and put upon ourselves the armor of light now in the time of this mortal life in which Your Son, Jesus Christ, came to visit us in great humility, that in the Last Day, when He shall come again in glorious majesty to judge both the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. *Amen.* †

**Guests:** We welcome you in the name of our Savior and invite you to worship with us regularly. If you do not have a church home, why not make ours yours? If you have a spiritual concern, or would like to know more about our church, please consult with Pastor Winterstein.

**Holy Communion:** The practice of the Lutheran church is to receive Holy Communion with members of churches with whom we are in fellowship. If you are not a member of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, The Lutheran Church-Canada, or The American Association of Lutheran Churches, please speak to the pastor before communing. If you have not been baptized and instructed in what we teach and confess, you are welcome to come forward for a blessing. You may indicate this by crossing your arms over your chest. The individual cups in the middle of the trays contain grape juice with a minimal amount of wine in them. If you use the individual cup, the pastor will direct you to drink with the words of Jesus. If you have questions or concerns about receiving the Sacrament of the Altar here at Faith, please speak to Pr. Winterstein.

**Parish Nurse:** Carol Trunzo is available by appointment at 509 393-9938 or [cat121551@gmail.com](mailto:cat121551@gmail.com).

**Prayer Requests:** If you have a prayer request that you would like included in the Prayer of the Church, you may fill out a prayer card from the table by the offering plate and give it to the pastor or an usher. You may also speak to the pastor prior to the beginning of the service.

**The Rite of Friendship:** There is a red vinyl pad on the aisle side of the pew. Before worship, please record your first and last name and, if you are a guest, please include your mailing address. This information helps us with ministering to the needs of guests and members. Members, please record address and phone number changes, as well as your current email address, if you would like to receive a weekly update from the church.

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# The Resurrection of Our Lord

## Prelude

### Hymn of Invocation: Alleluia, Alleluia! Hearts to Heaven LSB 477



1 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Hearts to heav'n and voic - es raise:  
2 Al - le - lu - ia, Christ is ris - en! Death at last has met de - feat:  
△ 3 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Glo - ry be to God on high:



Sing to God a hymn of glad - ness, Sing to God a hymn of praise;  
See the an - cient pow'rs of e - vil In con - fu - sion and re - treat;  
Al - le - lu - ia to the Sav - ior Who has gained the vic - to - ry;



He who on the cross a vic - tim For the world's sal - va - tion bled—  
Once He died, and once was bur - ied: Now He lives for - ev - er - more,  
Al - le - lu - ia to the Spir - it, Fount of love and sanc - ti - ty!



Je - sus Christ, the King of Glo - ry, Now is ris - en from the dead.  
Je - sus Christ, the world's Re - deem - er, Whom we wor - ship and a - dore.  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia To the tri - une Maj - es - ty!

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At each ✠, one may make the sign of the cross in remembrance of one's Baptism. At each ❖, one may bow in reverence.

## Invocation

- P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
**C** Amen.

## Exhortation

*Hebrews 10:22; Psalm 124:8; Psalm 32:5*

- P** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,  
**C** **who made heaven and earth.**
- P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,  
**C** **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

*Since we all stand individually before our God, asking for His mercy in Jesus Christ, we take this time of silence to examine ourselves and our sin in light of His Word.*

## Confession of Sins

- P** O almighty God, merciful Father,  
**C** **I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**

## Absolution

*[John 20:19-23]*

- P** Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C** Amen.

# Service of the Word

## Introit

*Exodus 15:2a, 6, 13, 17–18; antiphon: v. 1b*

I will sing to the LORD, for he has triumphed | gloriously; \*  
the horse and his rider he has thrown in- | to the sea.

**The LORD is my strength | and my song, \*  
and he has become my sal- | vation.**

Your right hand, O LORD, glorious | in power, \*  
your right hand, O LORD, shatters the | enemy.

**You have led in your steadfast love the people whom you | have  
redeemed; \***

**you have guided them by your strength to your ho- | ly abode.**

You will bring them in and plant them on your own | mountain, \*  
the place, O LORD, which you have made for | your abode,

**the sanctuary, O Lord, which your hands have es- | tablished. \***

**The LORD will reign forever and | ever.**

**❖ *Glory be to the Father and / to the Son \* and to the Holy / Spirit;  
as it was in the be- / ginning, \* is now, and will be forever. | Amen.***

I will sing to the LORD, for he has triumphed | gloriously; \*  
the horse and his rider he has thrown in- | to the sea.

## Kyrie

*Mark 10:47*



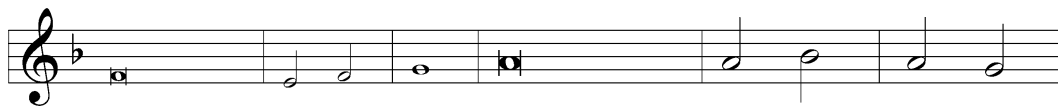
Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

# Gloria in Excelsis

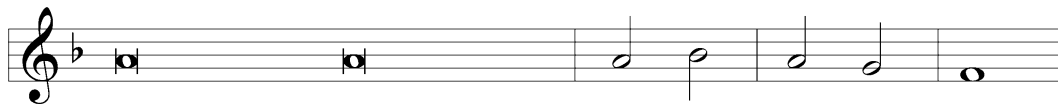
*Luke 2:14; John 1:29*



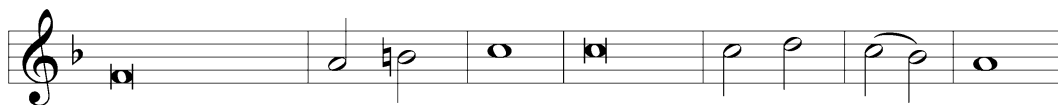
**P** Glory be to God on high: **C** and on earth peace, good - will toward



men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,



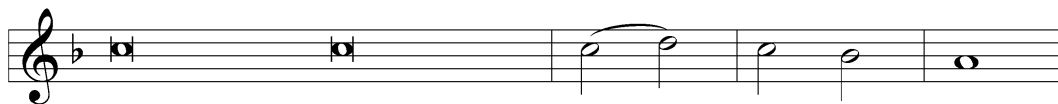
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.



O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty.



O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;



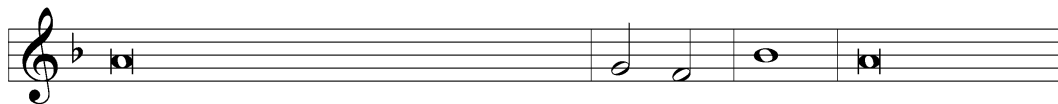
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,



that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.



Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.

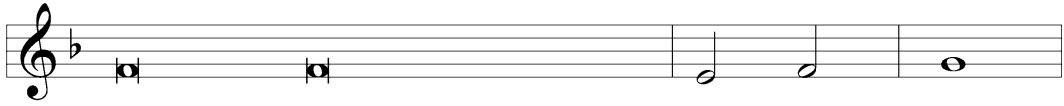


Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-





on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on - ly art the Lord.

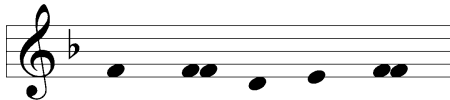


Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost,



art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

### Salutation and Collect of the Day



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.

**P** Let us pray.

Almighty God the Father, through Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, You have overcome death and opened the gate of everlasting life to us. Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of our Lord's resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin by Your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

*Sit*

### Old Testament Reading

*Isaiah 25:6-9*

*from God Will Swallow Up Death Forever*

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Gradual

*adapt. from Matthew 28:7; Hebrews 2:7; Psalm 8:6*

Christ has risen | from the dead.\*

**[God the Father] has crowned him with glory and | honor.**

He has given him dominion over the works | of his hands;\*

**he has put all things un- | der his feet.**

## Epistle

*1 Corinthians 15:1–11*

### *The Resurrection of Christ*

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

*Stand*

## Alleluia



**C** Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

## Holy Gospel

*Mark 16:1–8*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the sixteenth chapter.



**C** Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

### *The Resurrection*

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



**C** Praise be to Thee, O Christ.



## Nicene Creed

**C** I believe in one God,  
the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth  
and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord ❖ *Jesus Christ*,  
the only-begotten Son of God,  
begotten of His Father before all worlds,  
God of God, Light of Light,  
very God of very God,  
begotten, not made,  
being of one substance with the Father,  
by whom all things were made;  
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven  
❖ *and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary  
and was made man*;  
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.  
He suffered and was buried.  
And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures  
and ascended into heaven  
and sits at the right hand of the Father.  
And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and  
the dead,  
whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Lord and giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son together is ❖ *worshiped and  
glorified*,  
who spoke by the prophets.  
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,  
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,  
and I look for the resurrection of the dead  
and the life ✠ of the world to come. Amen.

## Hymn of the Day: Christ Jesus Lay in Death's Strong Bands

LSB 458



1 Christ Je - sus lay in death's strong bands For our of - fens -  
 2 No son of man could con - quer death, Such ru - in sin  
 3 Christ Je - sus, God's own Son, came down, His peo - ple to  
 4 It was a strange and dread - ful strife When life and death



es giv - en; But now at God's right hand He stands  
 had wrought us. No in - no - cence was found on earth,  
 de - liv - er; De - stroy - ing sin, He took the crown  
 con - tend - ed; The vic - to - ry re - mained with life,



And brings us life from heav - en. There - fore let us  
 And there - fore death had brought us In - to bond - age  
 From death's pale brow for - ev - er: Stripped of pow'r, no  
 The reign of death was end - ed. Ho - ly Scrip - ture



joy - ful be And sing to God right thank - ful - ly  
 from of old And ev - er grew more strong and bold  
 more it reigns; An emp - ty form a - lone re - mains;  
 plain - ly saith That death is swal - lowed up by death,



Loud songs of al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!  
 And held us as its cap - tive. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Its sting is lost for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Its sting is lost for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - ia!

5 Here our true Paschal Lamb we see,  
Whom God so freely gave us;  
He died on the accursèd tree—  
So strong His love—to save us.  
See, His blood now marks our door;  
Faith points to it; death passes o'er,  
And Satan cannot harm us.  
Alleluia!

6 So let us keep the festival  
To which the Lord invites us;  
Christ is Himself the joy of all,  
The sun that warms and lights us.  
Now His grace to us imparts  
Eternal sunshine to our hearts;  
The night of sin is ended.  
Alleluia!

7 Then let us feast this Easter Day  
On Christ, the bread of heaven;  
The Word of grace has purged away  
The old and evil leaven.  
Christ alone our souls will feed;  
He is our meat and drink indeed;  
Faith lives upon no other!  
Alleluia!

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## Votum

**P** The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

**C** Amen.

## Offertory

*Psalm 51:10-12*

**C** Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -  
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -



way from Thy pres-ence, and take not Thy Ho-ly Spir-it  
 from me. Re-store un-to me the joy of Thy sal-va-  
 tion, and up-hold me with Thy free spir-it. A-men.

## Prayer of the Church

- P** Lord, in your mercy:
- C** Hear our prayer.

## Service of the Sacrament

### Preface

*2 Timothy 4:22; [Colossians 3:1]; [Psalm 136]*



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir-it.



**P** Lift up your hearts.



**C** We lift them up un-to the Lord.



**P** Let us give thanks un - to the Lord, our God.



**C** It is meet and right so to do.

### Proper Preface

**P** It is truly meet, right, and salutary .... evermore praising You and saying:

### Sanctus

*Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9*



**C** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;



heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,



ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He,



bless - ed is He, bless - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

## Lord's Prayer

*Matthew 6:9-13*

**C** Our Father who art in heaven,  
hallowed be Thy name,  
Thy kingdom come,  
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;  
give us this day our daily bread;  
and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass  
against us;  
and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us ✠ from evil.  
For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and  
ever.  
Amen.

## The Words of Our Lord

*Matthew 26:26-28; Mark 14:22-24; Luke 22:19-20; 1 Corinthians 11:23-25*

**P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread,  
and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples  
and said: "Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This  
do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had  
given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this  
cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the  
forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance  
of Me."

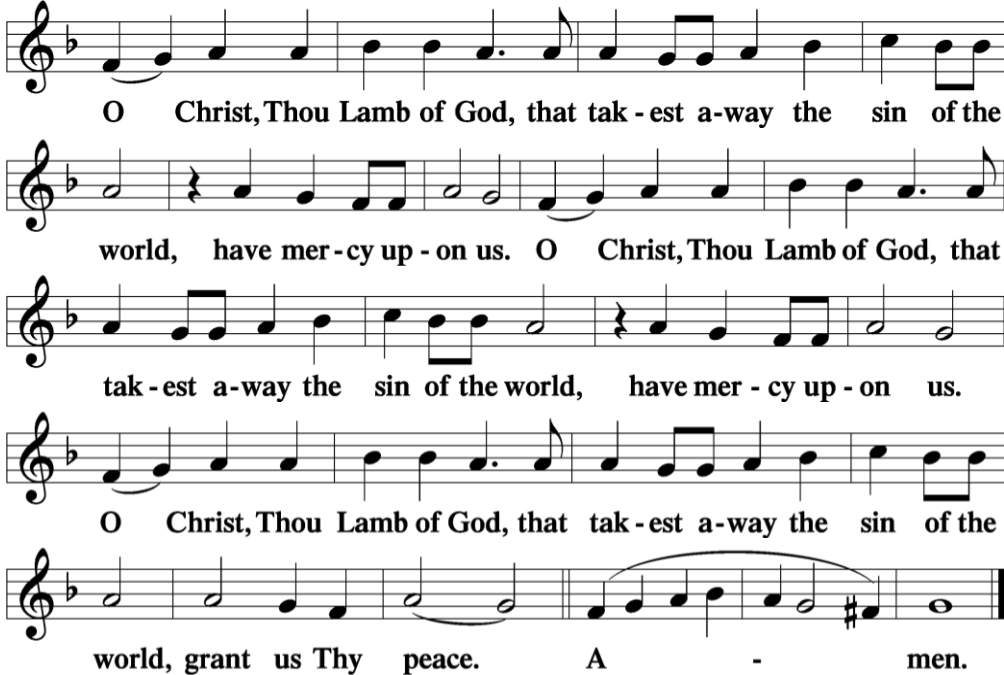
## Pax Domini

*John 20:19*

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.  
**C** Amen.

## Agnus Dei

John 1:29



O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the sin of the  
world, have mer - cy up - on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that  
tak - est a-way the sin of the world, have mer - cy up - on us.  
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the sin of the  
world, grant us Thy peace. A - - men.

*Sit*

## Distribution

**Prayer before receiving Christ's Body and Blood:** Lord, I am not worthy that You should come under my roof, but speak the word and I shall be healed. [For further preparation, you may want to consider Luther's Christian Questions with their Answers on pp. 329-330 of Lutheran Service Book.]

**Prayer after receiving Christ's Body and Blood:** Almighty and everlasting God, we thank and praise You for feeding us the life-giving body and blood of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ. Send us Your Holy Spirit that, having with our mouths received the holy Sacrament, we may by faith obtain and eternally enjoy Your divine grace, the forgiveness of sins, unity with Christ, and life eternal, through Jesus Christ, our Lord.



Distribution Hymn: *I Know That My Redeemer Lives*

LSB 461



1 I know that my Re - deem - er lives; What com - fort  
 2 He lives tri - um - phant from the grave; He lives e -  
 3 He lives to bless me with His love; He lives to  
 4 He lives to grant me rich sup - ply; He lives to



this sweet sen - tence gives! He lives, He lives, who  
 ter - nal - ly to save; He lives all - glo - rious  
 plead for me a - bove; He lives my hun - gry  
 guide me with His eye; He lives to com - fort



once was dead; He lives, my ev - er - liv - ing head.  
 in the sky; He lives ex - alt - ed there on high.  
 soul to feed; He lives to help in time of need.  
 me when faint; He lives to hear my soul's com - plaint.

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| <p>5 He lives to silence all my fears;<br/>                 He lives to wipe away my tears;<br/>                 He lives to calm my troubled heart;<br/>                 He lives all blessings to impart.</p> <p>6 He lives, my kind, wise, heav'nly friend;<br/>                 He lives and loves me to the end;<br/>                 He lives, and while He lives, I'll sing;<br/>                 He lives, my Prophet, Priest, and King.</p> | <p>7 He lives and grants me daily breath;<br/>                 He lives, and I shall conquer death;<br/>                 He lives my mansion to prepare;<br/>                 He lives to bring me safely there.</p> <p>8 He lives, all glory to His name!<br/>                 He lives, my Jesus, still the same;<br/>                 Oh, the sweet joy this sentence gives:<br/>                 I know that my Redeemer lives!</p> |
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# Distribution Hymn: Christ the Lord Is Risen Today: Alleluia

LSB 463



1 Christ the Lord is ris'n to - day; Al - le - lu - ia!  
2 For the sheep the Lamb has bled, Al - le - lu - ia!  
3 Hail, the vic - tim un - de - filed, Al - le - lu - ia!  
4 Chris - tians, on this ho - ly day, Al - le - lu - ia!



Chris-tians, has - ten on your way; Al - le - lu - ia!  
Sin - less in the sin - ner's stead. Al - le - lu - ia!  
God and sin - ners rec - on - ciled, Al - le - lu - ia!  
All your grate - ful hom - age pay; Al - le - lu - ia!



Of - fer praise with love re - plete, Al - le - lu - ia!  
Christ the Lord is ris'n on high; Al - le - lu - ia!  
When con - tend - ing death and life, Al - le - lu - ia!  
Christ the Lord is ris'n on high; Al - le - lu - ia!



At the pas - chal vic - tim's feet. Al - le - lu - ia!  
Now He lives, no more to die. Al - le - lu - ia!  
Met in strange and awe - some strife. Al - le - lu - ia!  
Now He lives, no more to die. Al - le - lu - ia!

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Distribution Hymn: *At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing* LSB 633



1 At the Lamb's high feast we sing Praise to  
 2 Praise we Him, whose love di - vine Gives His  
 3 Where the pas - chal blood is poured, Death's dread  
 4 Praise we Christ, whose blood was shed, Pas - chal



our vic - to - rious King, Who has washed us in the tide  
 sa - cred blood for wine, Gives His bod - y for the feast—  
 an - gel sheathes the sword; Is - rael's hosts tri - um-phantly go  
 vic - tim, pas - chal bread; With sin - cer - i - ty and love



Flow - ing from His pierc - ed side. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Christ the vic - tim, Christ the priest. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Through the wave that drowns the foe. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Eat we man - na from a - bove. Al - le - lu - ia!

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| <p>5 Mighty Victim from the sky,<br/>             Hell's fierce pow'rs beneath You lie;<br/>             You have conquered in the fight,<br/>             You have brought us life and light.<br/>             Alleluia!</p> <p>6 Now no more can death appall,<br/>             Now no more the grave enthrall;<br/>             You have opened paradise,<br/>             And Your saints in You shall rise.<br/>             Alleluia!</p> | <p>7 Easter triumph, Easter joy!<br/>             This alone can sin destroy;<br/>             From sin's pow'r, Lord, set us free,<br/>             Newborn souls in You to be.<br/>             Alleluia!</p> <p>△ 8 Father, who the crown shall give,<br/>             Savior, by whose death we live,<br/>             Spirit, guide through all our days:<br/>             Three in One, Your name we praise.<br/>             Alleluia!</p> |
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# Distribution Hymn: Sent Forth by God's Blessing

LSB 643



1 Sent forth by God's bless-ing, Our true faith con-fess-ing,  
2 With praise and thanks-giv-ing To God ev-er-liv-ing,



The peo-ple of God from His dwell-ing take leave.  
The tasks of our ev-'ry-day life we will face.



The Sup-per is end-ed. O now be ex-tend-ed  
Our faith ev-er shar-ing, In love ev-er car-ing,



The fruits of this ser-vice in all who be-lieve.  
Em-brac-ing His chil-dren of each tribe and race.



The seed of His teach-ing, Re-cep-tive souls reach-ing,  
With Your feast You feed us, With Your light now lead us;



Shall blos-som in ac-tion for God and for all.  
U-nite us as one in this life that we share.



His grace did in-vite us, His love shall u-nite us  
Then may all the liv-ing With praise and thanks-giv-ing



To work for God's king-dom and an-swer His call.  
Give hon-or to Christ and His name that we bear.

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Stand

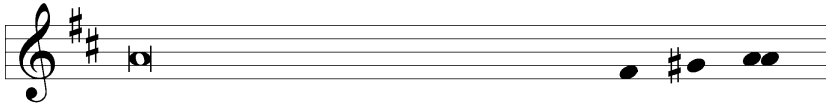
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Luke 2:29-32

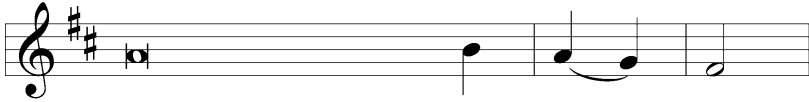
**C** Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people, a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

## Thanksgiving

*Psalm 107:1*



**A** O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,



**C** and His mercy endureth for - ev - er.

## Post-Communion Collect

**A** Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

## Salutation

*2 Timothy 4:22*



**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And with thy spir - it.

## Benedicamus

*Psalm 103:1*

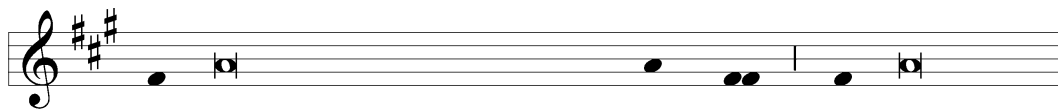


**A** Bless we the Lord.

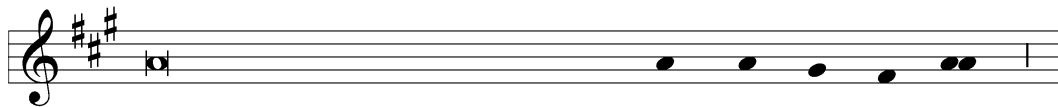
**C** Thanks be to God.

## Benediction

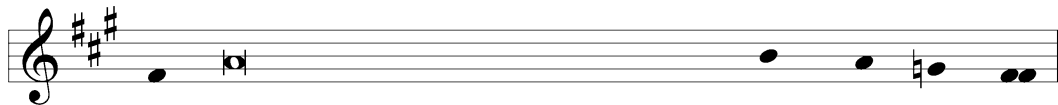
*Numbers 6:24-26*



**P** The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make



His face shine upon you and be gra - cious un - to you.



The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ✠ give you peace.



**C** A-men, a-men, a - men.

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# Hymn to Depart: *Jesus Christ is Risen Today*

LSB 457



1 Je - sus Christ is ris'n to - day, Al - le - lu - ia!  
2 Hymns of praise then let us sing, Al - le - lu - ia!  
3 But the pains which He en - dured, Al - le - lu - ia!  
△ 4 Sing we to our God a - bove, Al - le - lu - ia!



Our tri - um - phant ho - ly day, Al - le - lu - ia!  
Un - to Christ, our heav'n - ly king, Al - le - lu - ia!  
Our sal - va - tion have pro - cured; Al - le - lu - ia!  
Praise e - ter - nal as His love; Al - le - lu - ia!



Who did once up - on the cross, Al - le - lu - ia!  
Who en - dured the cross and grave, Al - le - lu - ia!  
Now a - bove the sky He's king, Al - le - lu - ia!  
Praise Him, all ye heav'n - ly host, Al - le - lu - ia!



Suf - fer to re - deem our loss. Al - le - lu - ia!  
Sin - ners to re - deem and save. Al - le - lu - ia!  
Where the an - gels ev - er sing. Al - le - lu - ia!  
Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. Al - le - lu - ia!

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## Announcements

- P** Go in the peace of the Lord.
- C** Thanks be to God.

## Postlude

Alleluia!  
He is Risen!



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# Prayers

**Prayers for Missionaries:** Mark Winterstein, Rachel Krause, Deaconess Kim Bueltmann and Pastor Hugo Gevers, working with Middle Eastern refugees in Germany; Pastor James May with Lutherans in Africa

**Prayers for our Synod's Leaders:** Dr. Matthew Harrison, Rev. Paul Linnemann

**Prayers for our Nation:** Our President, Congress, Governor, and Legislators

**Prayers for our World:** Locations of conflict and wars

**Prayers for our Military:** Caleb Barger, Levi Barger, Captain Robert Haight

**Prayers for Continued Healing:** Matt Bruggman, Flo Brunner, Laura Cornwall, Liz Eberle and Melinda Lowery, Becky Fischer, David Kerby, Maxine Melcher, Barbara Miller, Joan Olson, Neel Riyali, Diana Snell, Karter Spurgeon, Don Woodworth

**Prayers for Expectant Mothers:** Alice (Loebsack) Brecht, Nicole (Stone) Bernal, Carissa Stone

**Prayers for Shut-Ins:** Mim Schwich

**Prayers for Students:** Faith Lutheran Preschool staff and preschool children

**Prayers for Local Charities:** Alatheia Riding Center, Brave Warrior Project, Cancer Care of NCW, Habitat for Humanity, Chelan-Douglas Literacy Council, Wenatchee Rescue Mission, Real Options Pregnancy Center, Sage Advocacy, Serve Wenatchee Valley, Wellness Place

**General Prayers:** For those seeking employment and/or experiencing hardship in these difficult times

## Announcements


**Re:Vitality Survey:** *Today is the last day* to fill out the re:Vitality Survey at <http://lcms.cadds.alchemer.com/s3/&cong=C270914>. If you prefer to fill out a paper survey, they are available in the Narthex. Please return them to the box labeled Revitalize in the Narthex *today*. Thank you!

**Thrivent Choice Dollars:** The deadline for Thrivent policy holders to designate their allocations of Choice Dollars is today, March 31, 2024. This special funding opportunity becomes available to our church by Thrivent policy holders calling 1 800 847-4836 or visiting the website at [thrivent.com](http://thrivent.com). Questions can be answered at the local office, 509 884-9777, or speak to Bev Wischnofske. All policy holders are reminded that a designation must be made each year; the designation does not automatically renew.

**Baby Bottle Campaign:** The Baby Bottle Campaign to support “Real Options” begins next Sunday, April 7. Baby Bottles will be available in the Narthex, you can return them to the office the week of May 5, and Real Options will pick them up! Please keep your baby bottles until then, so your donations remain safe. If you have any questions, please contact Lorna Osborne at 509 393-6332. Remember also, *a new volunteer is welcome to coordinate a campaign next year*. This is a fun spring activity, but Real Options welcomes your donations any time! Thank you!

**Benefit Concert:** Join us for a heartfelt afternoon of music, interspersed with testimonials and inspirational messages as we raise funds to help local Ukraine refugees in need of support. Spring Ukraine Refugee Benefit Concert, Sunday, April 21 at 2:00 pm at Grace Lutheran Church in Wenatchee. This concert is free; donations will be gratefully accepted.

**LCMS Missionary Spotlight:** Rachel Krause! Pray for Rachel as she serves in Germany. Ask God to be with her as she enhances her German fluency, (and learns Farsi and / or Arabic as needed). Pray that God opens the heart of the people with whom Rachel will work and live. Pray for peace from the wars and strife, the refugees have witnessed, and that they will find true peace in relationship with Jesus Christ. Ask God to use Rachel as he has planned, and that her words and actions bring him honor and glory. Give thanks to the Lord for Rachel, serving God’s children in this part of the world.

<i>Sunday 31 The Resurrection of Our Lord</i>	 Easter Breakfast <b>Divine Service</b> Children's Easter Egg Hunt	7:30 am <b>9:30 am</b> 11:00 am
<b>Preschool Schedule</b>	<i>No Preschool for Spring Break</i>	
<b>Monday 1</b>		
<b>Tuesday 2</b>	LWML/Women's Circle	2:00 pm
<b>Wednesday 3</b>		
<b>Thursday 4</b>	Tabitha Circle Thursday Prayer	9:30 am 10:00 am
<b>Friday 5</b>	Men's Bible Study Ladies' Bible Study	7:30 am 9:00 am
<b>Saturday 6</b>		
<b>Sunday 7 The Second Sunday of Easter</b>	<b>Divine Service</b> Coffee Fellowship Sunday School/Adult Bible Study	<b>9:30 am</b> 10:45 am 11:00 am

**Readings for Sunday, April 7:** Acts 4:32-35; 1 John 1:1-2:2; John 20:19-31

	<b>Usher</b>	<b>Organist</b>	<b>Greeter</b>
<b>Today</b>	Mike Borman	Substitute Organist System	
<b>Next Sunday</b>	Carl Ericksen	Susan Rumble	
<b>Altar Care</b>	Marilyn Delzer & Peggy Christensen		
<b>Flowers</b>	<i>Flowers today are given to the glory of God by Marita Hinderer in loving memory of Arnie</i>		
<i>Offerings Last Week:</i> \$3,950	<i>Offerings This Month:</i> \$15,340	<i>Attendance Last Week:</i> 84	



### About the Cover

On the first Easter, the morning sun helped to put an end to mourning. For it revealed that Christ's tomb is empty. "He is not here," the angel says (Mark 16:6). Jesus was laid in the place of death, but He did not stay there. Neither will the grave be able to hold all who believe in Him on the Last Day. Though there is much to cause mourning in this life, we know that it is all fleeting because of that first Easter morning. Christ is risen!

## THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD

### Old Testament Reading:

Isaiah 25:6–9

- <sup>6</sup> On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wine, of rich food full of marrow, of aged wine well refined.
- <sup>7</sup> And he will swallow up on this mountain the covering that is cast over all peoples, the veil that is spread over all nations.
- <sup>8</sup> He will swallow up death forever; and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has spoken.
- <sup>9</sup> It will be said on that day, "Behold, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us. This is the LORD; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."

### Epistle: 1 Corinthians 15:1–11

<sup>1</sup>Now I would remind you, brothers, of the gospel I preached to you, which you received, in which you stand, <sup>2</sup>and by which you are being saved, if you hold fast to the word I preached to you—unless you believed in vain.

<sup>3</sup>For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, <sup>4</sup>that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures, <sup>5</sup>and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. <sup>6</sup>Then he

appeared to more than five hundred brothers at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have fallen asleep. <sup>7</sup>Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. <sup>8</sup>Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. <sup>9</sup>For I am the least of the apostles, unworthy to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. <sup>10</sup>But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me was not in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them, though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. <sup>11</sup>Whether then it was I or they, so we preach and so you believed.

### Holy Gospel: Mark 16:1–8

<sup>1</sup>When the Sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene and Mary the mother of James and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. <sup>2</sup>And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. <sup>3</sup>And they were saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance of the tomb?" <sup>4</sup>And looking up, they saw that the stone had been rolled back—it was very large. <sup>5</sup>And entering the tomb, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, dressed in a white robe, and they were alarmed. <sup>6</sup>And he said to them, "Do not be alarmed. You seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen; he is not here. See the place where they laid him. <sup>7</sup>But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going before you to Galilee. There you will see him, just as he told you." <sup>8</sup>And they went out and fled from the tomb, for trembling and astonishment had seized them, and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.