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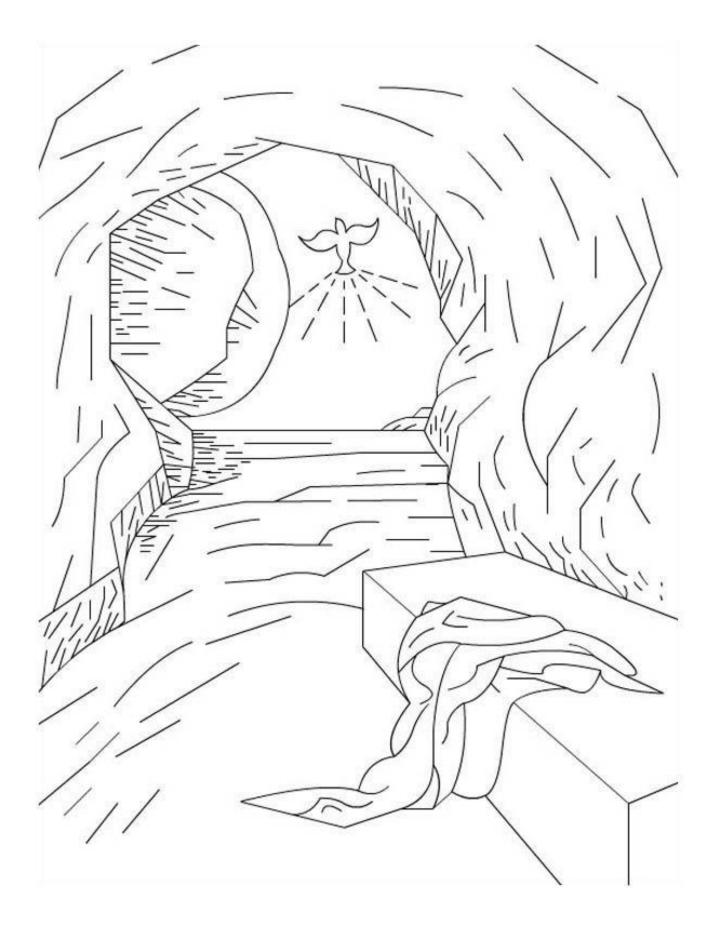
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April 16, 2023 Second Sunday of Easter 9:30 a.m.

Holy Communion Setting 4 - ELW (Evangelical Lutheran Book of Worship Year A)

INTRODUCTION

In today's gospel the risen Christ appears to the disciples and offers them the gift of peace. Even amid doubts and questions, we experience the resurrection in our Sunday gathering around word and meal, and in our everyday lives. Throughout the coming Sundays of Easter the first two readings will be from the Acts of the Apostles and the first letter of Peter. Even as the early Christians proclaimed the resurrection, we rejoice in the new birth and living hope we receive in baptism.

PRELUDE

Announcements are on page 20-21.

Please stand if you are able.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

A very warm welcome to all who worship here this morning, we thank God for sending you to Tabor.

THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, by whose hand we are given new birth, by whose speaking we are given new life. **Amen.**

Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism, we are welcomed, restored, and supported as citizens of the new creation.

Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

Holy God, holy and merciful, holy and mighty, you are the river of life, you are the everlasting wellspring.

In mercy and might you have freed us from death and raised us with Jesus, the firstborn of the dead. In baptismal waters our old life is washed away, and in them we are born anew.

Water may be poured into the font as the presiding minister continues. Glory to you for oceans and lakes, for rivers and streams.

Honor to you for waters that wash us clean, quench our thirst, and nurture both crops and creatures.

Praise to you for the life-giving water of baptism, the outpouring of the Spirit of the new creation.

Wash away our sin and all that separates us from you. Empower our witness to your resurrection. Strengthen our resolve in seeking justice for all.

Satisfy the world's need through this living water. Where drought dries the earth, bring refreshment. Where despair prevails, grant hope. Where chaos reigns, bring peace. We ask this through Christ, who with you and the Spirit reigns forever. **Amen.**

<u>GATHERING</u>

Thine Is the Glory



Text: Edmond Budry, 1854–1932; tr. R. Birch Hoyle, 1875–1939 Music: JUDAS MACCABAEUS, George Frideric Handel, 1685–1759

GREETING

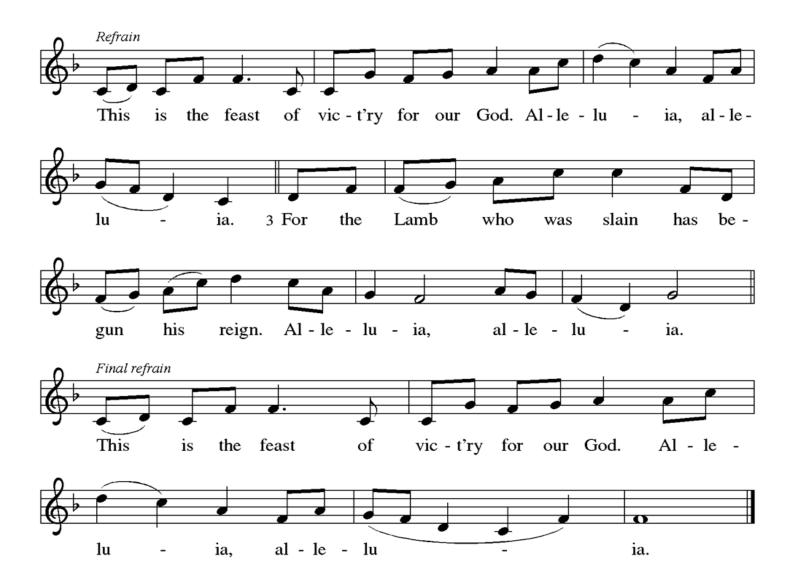
The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

CHILDREN GO TO JAM

The children are invited to come forward. The children are dismissed for Children's JAM Sunday School, returning during the Peace.





Text: John W. Arthur, 1922-1980

Music: Robert Buckley Farlee, b. 1950

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty and eternal God, the strength of those who believe and the hope of those who doubt, may we, who have not seen, have faith in you and receive the fullness of Christ's blessing, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

Please be seated.

WORD

FIRST READING: Acts 2:14a, 22-32

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

PSALM: Psalm 16

Read responsively

¹Protect me, O God, for I take ref- uge in you;

I have said to the LORD,

"You are my Lord, my good a- bove all other."

²All my delight is in the godly that are | in the land, upon those who are noble a- | mong the people.

³But those who run after other gods

shall have their troubles | multiplied.

⁴I will not pour out drink offerings to such gods, never take their names up- on my lips.

⁵O LORD, you are my portion and my cup; it is you who up- hold my lot.

⁶My boundaries enclose a | pleasant land;

indeed, I have a rich inheritance.

⁷I will bless the LORD who gives me counsel; my heart teaches me night after night.

⁸I have set the LORD al- ways before me;

because God is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.

⁹My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spir- it rejoices; my body also shall rest in hope.

¹⁰For you will not abandon me | to the grave, nor let your holy one | see the pit.

¹¹You will show me the path of life;

in your presence there is fullness of joy, and in your right hand are pleasures for- | evermore.

SECOND READING: 1 Peter 1:3-9

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Please stand if you are able.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION





The Holy gospel according to John, the 20th Chapter.

Glory to you O Lord.

GOSPEL: John 20:19-31

The gospel of the Lord

Praise to you O Christ.

Please be seated.

SERMON

Pastor Dominic Palacios

A brief silence for reflection.

Please stand if you are able.

HYMN OF THE DAY

That Easter Day with Joy Was Bright

ELW 384

music on page 9

That Easter Day with Joy Was Bright



Text: Latin hymn, 5th cent.; tr. John Mason Neale, 1818–1866, alt. Music: PUER NOBIS, European tune, adapt. Michael Praetorius, 1571–1621

NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.

Amen.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

United in the hope and joy of the resurrection, let us pray for the church, the world, and all in need.

A brief silence

Each petition ends:

Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

Prayers conclude with:

Rejoicing in the victory of Christ's resurrection, we lift our prayers and praise to you, almighty and eternal God; through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.

MEAL

PEACE

Amen.

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

The people may greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace, and may say: **Peace be with you.**

Please be seated.

OFFERING OF GIFTS, TITHES AND MUSIC

Special Piano music

Please stand if you are able.

OFFERTORY: ELW 462

Now We Join in Celebration



Text: Joel W. Lundeen, 1918-1990 Music: Johann Crüger, 1598-1662 Text © Joel W. Lundeen, admin. Augsburg Fortress.

OFFERING PRAYER

Generous God, in this meal you offer your very self. We give thanks for these gifts of the earth. In the breaking of this bread reveal to us the Risen One. In the pouring of this wine pour us out in service to the world; through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

DIALOGUE

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

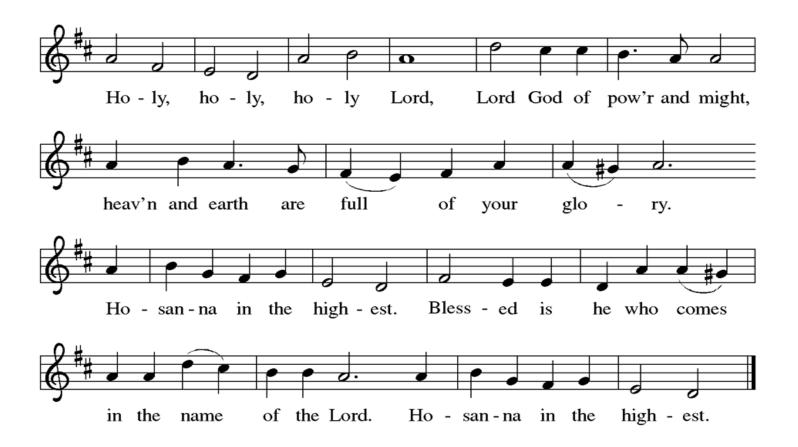
We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

PREFACE

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,
for the glorious resurrection of our Savior Jesus Christ,
the true Paschal Lamb who gave himself to take away our sin;
who in dying has destroyed death,
and in rising has brought us to eternal life.
And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection,
with earth and sea and all their creatures,
and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

O God most mighty, O God most merciful, O God our rock and our salvation...

... Remembering his death, we cry out Amen. **Amen.** Celebrating his resurrection, we shout Amen. **Amen.** Trusting his presence in every time and place, we plead Amen. **Amen.**

- O God, you are Breath: send your Spirit on this meal.
- O God, you are Bread: feed us with yourself.
- O God, you are wine: warm our hearts and make us one.

Through him, with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours almighty Father, now and forever.

Amen

LORD'S PRAYER

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.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Come and know Christ, broken and poured out for you. **Thanks be to God!**

COMMUNION

When giving the bread and cup, the communion ministers say
The body of Christ, given for you. The blood of Christ, shed for you.

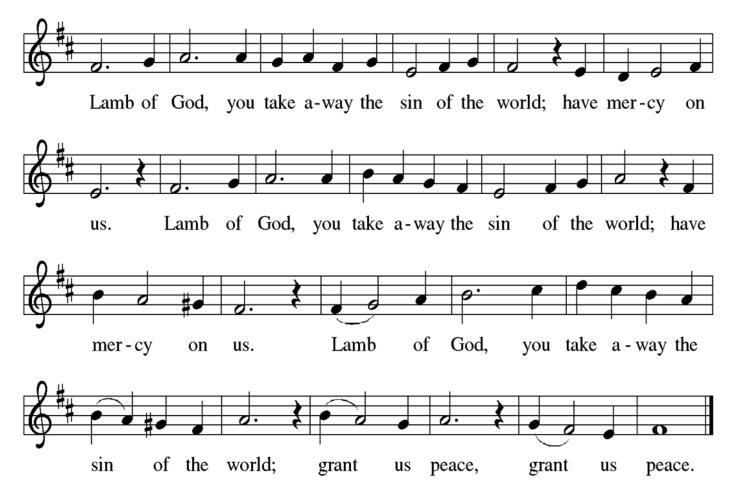
and each person may respond Amen.

The Lord's table is open to all worshipers from all denominations who wish to share in God's blessing of the sacrament of Holy Communion. The real presence of Christ is in the bread and wine. Please follow the directions of the ushers. Gluten free wafers and grape juice are available if you prefer.

Please let the usher know if you need assistance.

Please be seated.

COMMUNION SONG



COMMUNION HYMN Bread of Life from Heaven

ELW 474

Please repeat until Communion is complete

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Bread of Life from Heaven



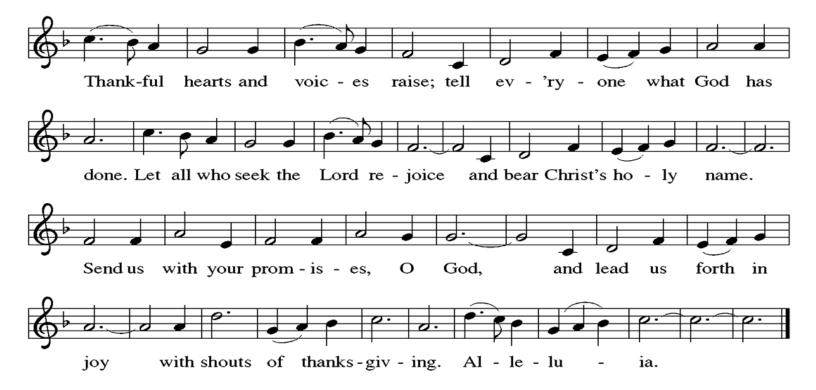
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Please stand if you are able.

COMMUNION BLESSING

The body and the blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace. **Amen.**

Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise



PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Gracious God, in you we live and move and have our being. With your word and this meal of grace, you have nourished our life together. Strengthen us to show your love and serve the world in Jesus' name.

Amen.

SENDING

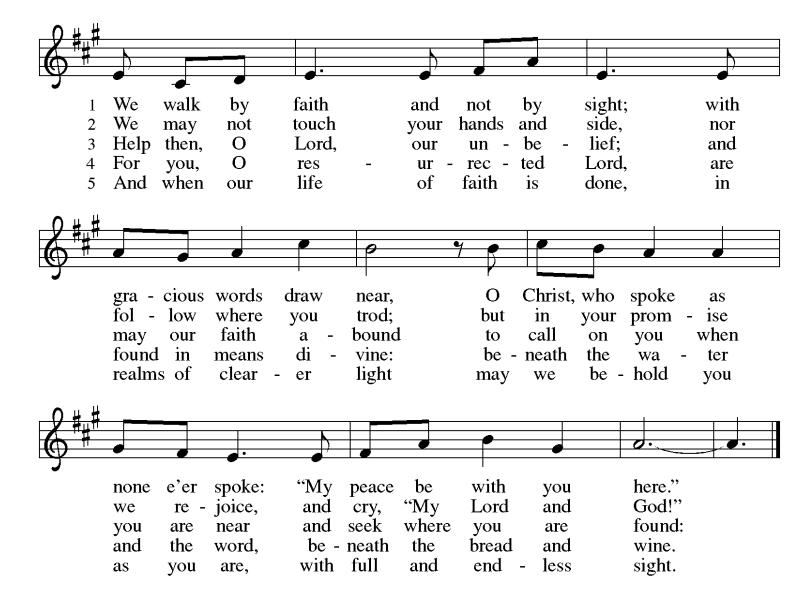
BLESSING

The God of all, who raised + Jesus from the dead, bless you by the power of the Holy Spirit to live in the new creation.

Amen.

SENDING HYMN ELW 635

We Walk by Faith



Text: Henry Alford, 1810–1871, alt. Music: SHANTI, Marty Haugen, b. 1950

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DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Risen One.

Thanks be to God.

Disciples Serving:	Today	Next Sunday
Assisting Minister:	Cyrisse Cooley	Cyrisse Cooley
Lector:	Cassie Walgren	Sue Kastelic
Presider:	Pastor Dominic Palacios	Pastor Dominic Palacios
Pianist:	Dr. J. Michael Beck	Dr. J. Michael Beck
Altar Guild:	Kathy Lambert/Linda Johnson	Kathy Lambert/Linda Johnson
Ushers/Greeters:	Jackie Cooley	Jackie Cooley
Counters:	Karen Dunton/Sue Kastelic	Kathy Lambert/Cassie Walgren

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

April 16	Jackie & Cyrisse Cooley	37 years
April 21	Scarlett Truxell	

PRAYERS

Members, Friends and Relatives	Added by Members
Doris Ask	People of Tabor
Shirley Bass	People of Tabor
Judy Davis	Sister of Donna Tittel
Shirley DeRungs	People of Tabor
Virgie Giannetto	Lynn Truxell
Janet Johnson	Sister of Nancy Piazza
Jean Reistad	Niece of Nancy Piazza
Pam Salas	People of Tabor
Bob Tristano	Husband of Denise Tristano
Aaron Truxell	Son of Roger & Lynn Truxell
Lynn Truxell	Truxell &Vargues Families
Marvin Truxell	Truxell & Vargues Families
Brooklyn Youngblood	Janis Youngblood

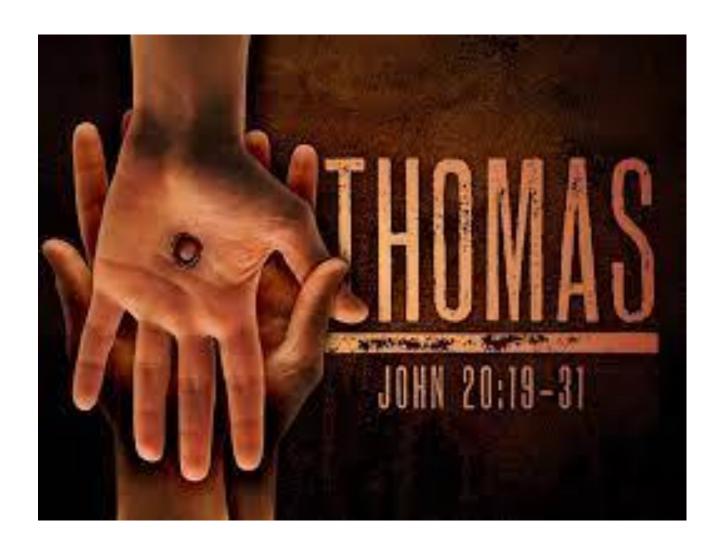
ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The next Confirmation Class will be held on April 23rd right after church.
- The last Confirmation Class will be held on May 7th.
- Confirmation Youth will host a Burrito Breakfast on Sunday, May 21st.
- Confirmation will be on May 28th.

Volunteers Calendar

April 2023

APR	Assistant Minister	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Usher/Greeter</u>	Altar Guild	Counters/Posters
2	Ryan Kessinger	Cassie Walgren	Jackie Cooley	Kathy Lambert Linda Johnson	Nancy Piazza Leanne Neu
9	Jerry Vargues	Sue Kastelic	Jackie Cooley	Kathy Lambert Linda Johnson	Sue Kastelic
16	Cyrisse Cooley	Cassie Walgren	Jackie Cooley	Kathy Lambert Linda Johnson	Karen Dunton Sue Kastelic
23	Cyrisse Cooley	Sue Kastelic	Jackie Cooley	Kathy Lambert Linda Johnson	Kathy Lambert Cassie Walgren
30	Jerry Vargues	Cassie Walgren	Jackie Cooley	Kathy Lambert Linda Johnson	Dorothy Hanscom Charlotte Vargues



Peace Be With You