

St. Paul Lutheran Church of Catonsville



The Resurrection of Our Lord
April 9, 2023

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Jesus calls us to be a Lutheran community gathered around Word and Sacrament and sends us to reach the lost, disciple the saved, and care for our neighbors everywhere.

Welcome to worship in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ! If you are a guest with us today, we would like to extend a special greeting from our family. We invite you to worship with us; sing with us; pray with us; believe with us; for God has sent His Son to bring life and salvation. The ushers will be glad to answer any questions you have. If you have special prayer requests or would like a visit, they will also be able to assist you. Make worship and Bible study the center of your weekly life. Be here each Sunday, that we may rejoice in the Lord together! May God bless us!



Please enter your information using the QR code or sign our guest book before you depart today.

For Those Who Desire to Receive The Lord's Supper

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at St. Paul in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until He comes.

Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the Sacrament, are asked first to speak with the pastor or an elder. For further study, see Matt. 5:23f.; 10:32f.; 18:15–35; 26:26–29; 1 Cor. 11:17–34. (Non-alcoholic wine is available in the center of the communion trays.)

Children's Bulletins change each week to correspond to the readings of the day. Each one includes 3 hand drawn illustrations, a word puzzle, and questions to draw children into the worship service. Suitable for all ages, try one yourself to stay more focused during worship!

Parents: We welcome children in the worship service. If your child needs a break during the worship service, the Learning Center is available to use. Turn right when you leave the sanctuary and follow the hall around. The service will be livestreamed there for you.

The Resurrection of Our Lord

April 9, 2023

Prelude: Today is risen Christ, our Lord. Alleluia

Helmut Walche
(1907-1991)

Easter Acclamation

P Christ is risen!

C He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

457 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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Service of the Word

Kyrie

Mark 10:47



C Lord, have mer - cy; Christ, have mer-cy; Lord, have mer - cy.

Gloria in Excelsis

Luke 2:14; John 1:29



C 1 To God on high be glo - ry And peace to all the earth;
2 To You, O sole-be - got - ten, The Fa - ther's Son, we pray;
3 For You a - lone are ho - ly; You on - ly are the Lord.



Good-will from God in heav - en Pro- claimed at Je-sus' birth!
O Lamb of God, our Sav - ior, You take our sins a - way.
For - ev - er and for - ev - er, Be wor-shipped and a - dored;



We praise and bless You, Fa - ther; Your ho - ly name, we sing—
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus; Re - ceive our heart - felt cry,
You with the Ho - ly Spir - it A - lone are Lord Most High,



Our thanks for Your great glo - ry, Lord God, our heav'n-ly King.
Where You in pow'r are seat-ed At God's right hand on high—
In God the Fa - ther's glo - ry. "A - men!" our glad re - ply.

Text: Stephen P. Starke

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us pray.

- C **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. Amen.**

Sit

Anthem: The Strife Is O'er

Henry G. Ley
(1887-1962)

The strife is o'er, the battle done: Now is the Victor's triumph won:

O let the song of praise be sung: Hallelujah!

Death's mightiest powers have done their worst, and Jesus hath His foes dispersed;

Let shouts of praise and joy outburst: Hallelujah!

On the third morn He rose again, Glorious in majesty to reign;

O let us swell the joyful strain: Hallelujah!

Lord, by the stripes which wounded Thee from death's dread sting Thy servants free,
that we may live, and sing to Thee: Hallelujah! Amen.

First Reading

Acts 10:34-43

³⁴Peter opened his mouth and said: "Truly I understand that God shows no partiality,
³⁵but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him.
³⁶As for the word that he sent to Israel, preaching good news of peace through Jesus Christ (he is Lord of all), ³⁷you yourselves know what happened throughout all Judea, beginning from Galilee after the baptism that John proclaimed: ³⁸how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power. He went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. ³⁹And we are witnesses of all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree, ⁴⁰but God raised him on the third day and made him to appear, ⁴¹not to all the people but to us who had been chosen by God as witnesses, who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. ⁴²And he commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one appointed by God to be judge of the living and the dead. ⁴³To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual (*spoken responsively*)

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 under his feet.

Bell Choir Anthem: Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

arr. Patricia A. Sanders

Epistle

Colossians 3:1–4

¹If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. ²Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. ³For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God.

⁴When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

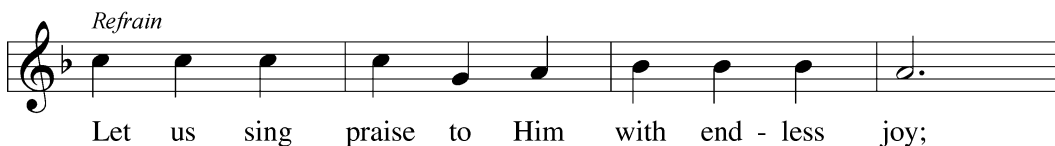
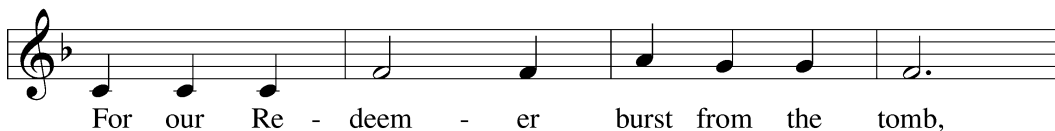
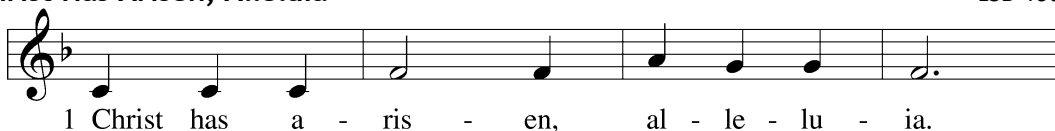
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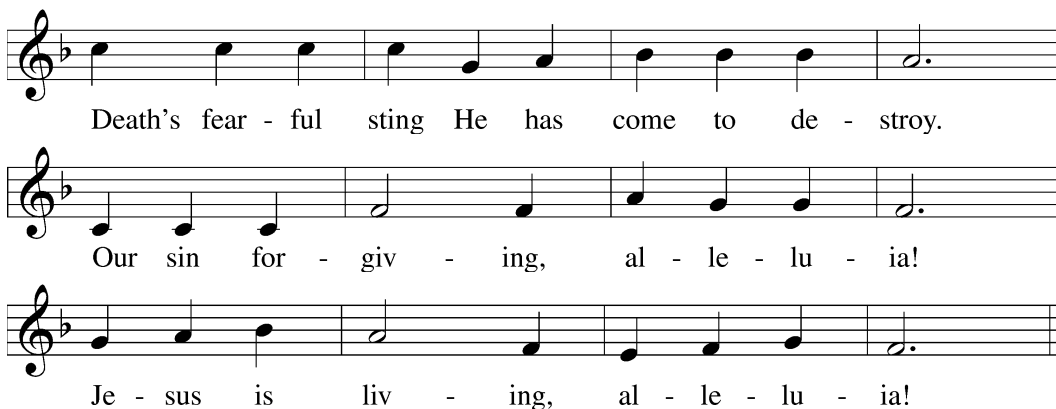
C **Thanks be to God.**

Stand

466 Christ Has Arisen, Alleluia

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Holy Gospel

Matthew 28:1–10

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-eighth chapter.

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

¹Now after the Sabbath, toward the dawn of the first day of the week, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. ²And behold, there was a great earthquake, for an angel of the Lord descended from heaven and came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. ³His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. ⁴And for fear of him the guards trembled and became like dead men. ⁵But the angel said to the women, “Do not be afraid, for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified. ⁶He is not here, for he has risen, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. ⁷Then go quickly and tell his disciples that he has risen from the dead, and behold, he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him. See, I have told you.” ⁸So they departed quickly from the tomb with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. ⁹And behold, Jesus met them and said, “Greetings!” And they came up and took hold of his feet and worshiped him. ¹⁰Then Jesus said to them, “Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee, and there they will see me.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise to You, O Christ.**



2 For three long days the grave did its worst
 3 The an - gel said to them, "Do not fear!
 4 "Go spread the news: He's not in the grave;
 5 Christ has a - ris - en; He sets us free;



Un - til its strength by God was dis - persed.
 You look for Je - sus who is not here.
 He has a - ris - en this world to save.
 Al - le - lu - ia, to Him prais - es be.



He who gives life did death un - der - go;
 See for your - selves the tomb is all bare;
 Je - sus' re - deem - ing la - bors are done;
 Je - sus is liv - ing! Let us all sing;



And in its con - quest His might did show.
 On - ly the grave cloths are ly - ing there."
 E - ven the bat - tle with sin is won."
 He reigns tri - um - phant, heav - en - ly King.

Refrain



Let us sing praise to Him with end - less joy;



Death's fear - ful sting He has come to de - stroy.



Our sin for - giv - ing, al - le - lu - ia!



Je - sus is liv - ing, al - le - lu - ia!
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Sit
Sermon

Stand
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.

Prayer of the Church

Offering

(An offering plate is available in the narthex. You may also give electronically through our website at stpaulcatonsville.org/donation. If you would like to send in an electronic offering via text, text the dollar amount you would like to give to 410-888-0161.)

Offertory: Christ the Lord is Ris'n

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1 "Christ the Lord is ris'n to - day!" Saints on earth and an - gels say;
 6 Hail the Lord of earth and heav'n! Praise to Thee by both be giv'n!



Raise your joys and tri - umphs high; Sing, ye heav'ns, and earth, re - ply.
 Thee we greet tri - um - phant now: Hail, the res - ur - rec - tion, Thou!

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Service of the Sacrament

Preface

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

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your hearts.

C **We lift them to the Lord.**

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.


C **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

P It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, for the countless blessings You so freely bestow on us and all creation. Above all, we give thanks for Your boundless love shown to us when You sent Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, into our flesh and laid on Him our sin, giving Him into death that we might

not die eternally. Because He is now risen from the dead and lives and reigns to all eternity, all who believe in Him will overcome sin and death and will rise again to new life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus

Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9



G Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth a - dored;
Heav'n and earth with full ac-claim shout the glo-ry of Your name.
Sing ho - san - na in the high-est, sing ho - san - na to the Lord;
Tru - ly blest is He who comes in the name of the Lord!

Text: Stephen P. Starke

Prayer of Thanksgiving

P Blessed are You, O Lord our God, king of all creation, for You have had mercy on us and given Your only-begotten Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

For Christ, our Passover Lamb, has been sacrificed. By His death, He has redeemed us from bondage to sin and death, and by His resurrection, He has delivered us into new life in Him.

Grant us to keep the Feast in sincerity and truth, faithfully eating His body given into death and drinking His life's blood poured out for our salvation until we pass through death to the promised land of life eternal.

Hear us as we pray in His name and as He has taught us:

Lord's Prayer

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

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 T 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 T 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

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

Agnus Dei

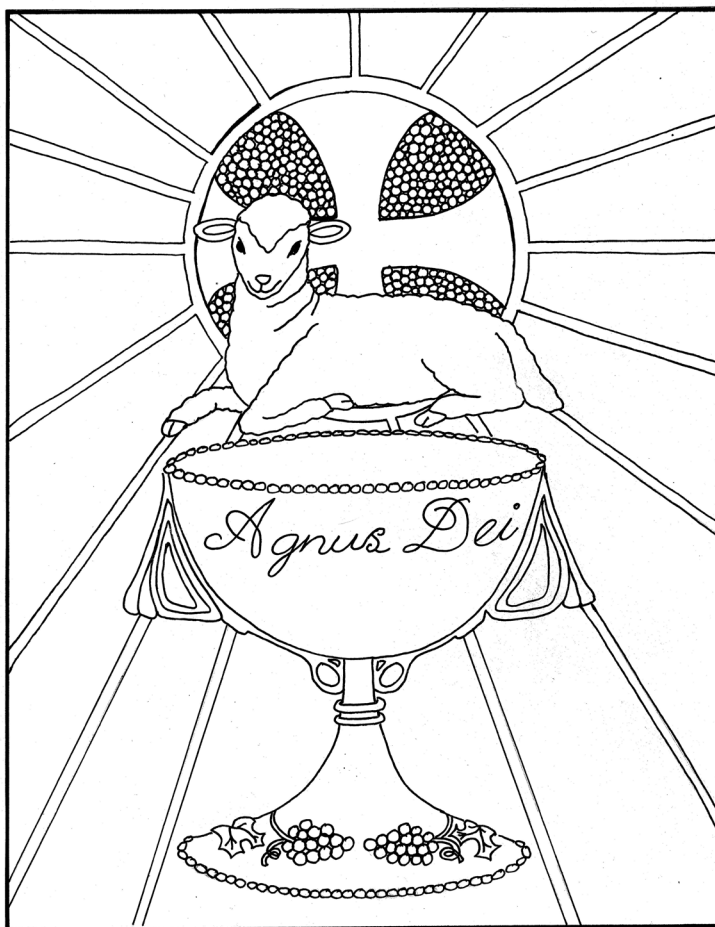
John 1:29

C 1 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
2 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
You take the sin of the world a - way;
You take the sin of the world a - way;

O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
 Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus Christ,
 Have mer - cy on us, Lord, we pray.
 And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.

Text: Stephen P. Starke

Sit



633 At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing

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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 - umphant 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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477 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:



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;



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,



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.

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480 He's Risen, He's Risen

LSB 480



1 He's ris - en, He's ris - en, Christ Je - sus, the Lord;
2 The foe was tri - um - phant when on Cal - va - ry
3 But short was their tri - umph; the Sav - ior a - rose,
4 O, where is your sting, death? We fear you no more;



He o - pened death's pris - on, the in - car - nate, true Word.
The Lord of cre - a - tion was nailed to the tree.
And death, hell, and Sa - tan He van - quished, His foes.
Christ rose, and now o - pen is fair E - den's door.



Break forth, hosts of heav - en, in ju - bi - lant song
In Sa - tan's do - main did the hosts shout and jeer,
The con - quer - ing Lord lifts His ban - ner on high;
For all our trans - gres - sions His blood does a - tone;



And earth, sea, and moun - tain their prais - es pro - long.
For Je - sus was slain, whom the e - vil ones fear.
He lives, yes, He lives, and will nev - er - more die.
Re - deemed and for - giv - en, we now are His own.

Text: C. F. W. Walther, 1811–87, abr.; tr. Anna M. Meyer, 1867–1941, alt.

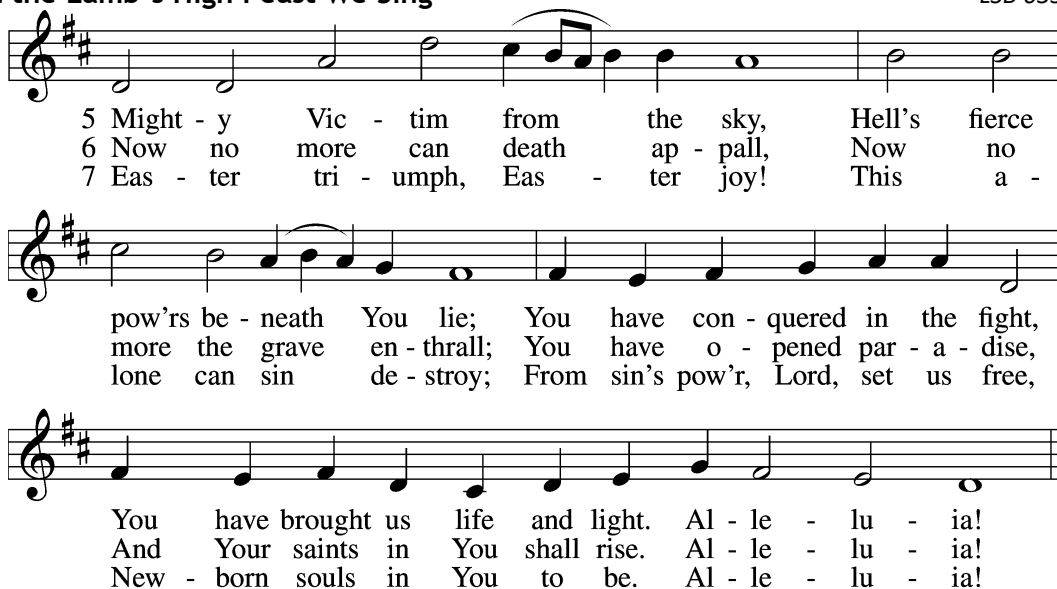
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633 At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing

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5 Might - y Vic - tim from the sky, Hell's fierce
 6 Now no more can death ap - pall, Now no
 7 Eas - ter tri - umph, Eas - ter joy! This a -

pow'rs be - neath You lie; You have con - quered in the fight,
 more the grave en - thrall; You have o - pened par - a - dise,
 lone can sin de - stroy; From sin's pow'r, Lord, set us free,

You have brought us life and light. Al - le - lu - ia!
 And Your saints in You shall rise. Al - le - lu - ia!
 New - born souls in You to be. Al - le - lu - ia!

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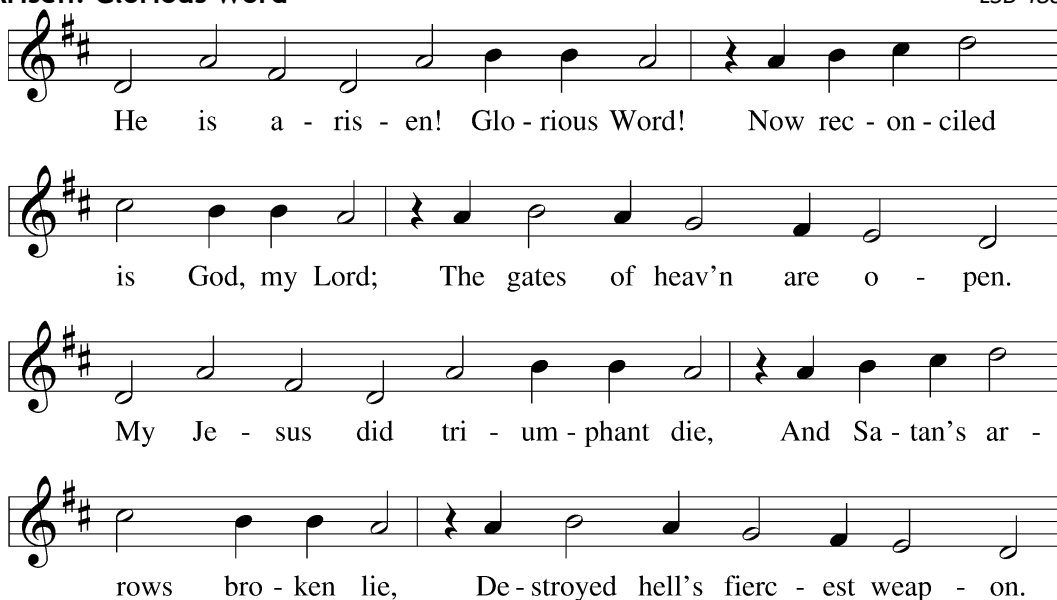
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Stand

Post Communion Blessing

He is Arisen! Glorious Word

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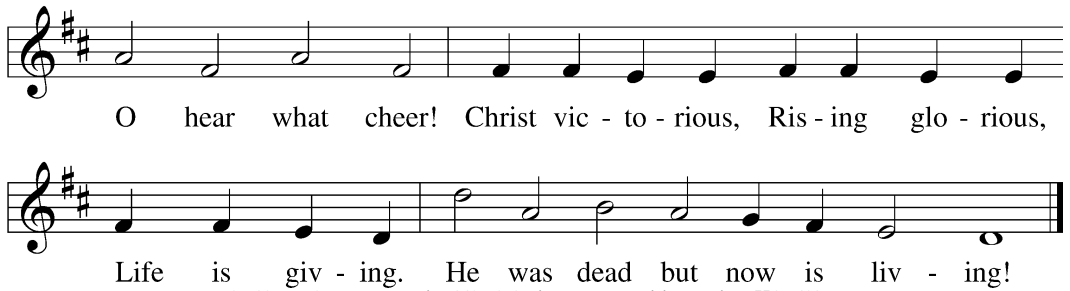


He is a - ris - en! Glo - rious Word! Now rec - on - ciled

is God, my Lord; The gates of heav'n are o - pen.

My Je - sus did tri - um - phant die, And Sa - tan's ar -

rows bro - ken lie, De - stroyed hell's fierc - est weap - on.



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Post-Communion Collect

- A Let us pray. . . .
C **Amen.**

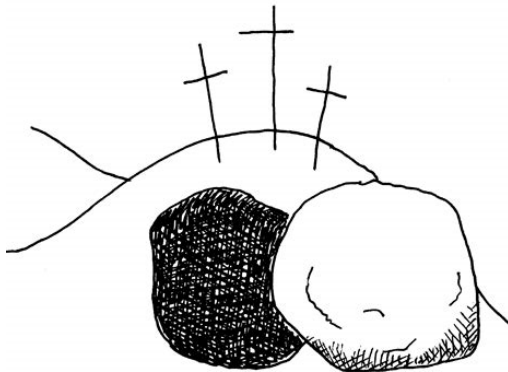
Benedicamus

Psalm 103:1

- A Let us bless the Lord.
C **Thanks be to God.**

Benediction

- P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and T give you peace.
C **Amen.**



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465 Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds

LSB 465



1 Now all the vault of heav'n re - sounds In
 2 E - ter - nal is the gift He brings, There -
 3 O fill us, Lord, with daunt - less love; Set
 4 A - dor - ing prais - es now we bring And



praise of love that still a - bounds: "Christ has tri - umphed!
 fore our heart with rap - ture sings: "Christ has tri - umphed!
 heart and will on things a - bove That we con - quer
 with the heav'n - ly bless - ed sing: "Christ has tri - umphed!



He is liv - ing!" Sing, choirs of an - gels, loud and
 He is liv - ing!" Now still He comes to give us
 through Your tri - umph; Grant grace suf - fi - cient for life's
 Al - le - lu - ia!" Be to the Fa - ther and our



clear! Re - peat their song of glo - ry
 life And by His pres - ence stills all
 day That by our lives we tru - ly
 Lord, To Spir - it blest, most ho - ly



here: "Christ has tri - umphed! Christ has tri - umphed!"
 strife. Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!
 say: "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"
 God, All the glo - ry, nev - er end - ing!



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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Prayer List

CHURCH MEMBERS

Jeff Piegols (recovering from heart valve replacement surgery)
Christina Unglesbee (Covid)
Rik Johnsson (recovering from shoulder surgery)
Rich Foks (recovering from knee surgery)
Debbie Frech (cancer)
John Gay (cancer)
Lindsey Gay
Paula Staudinger (strength and recovery from a back procedure)
Bruce Staudinger (strength and grace as Paula's full time caregiver)
Marilyn Haberl (scleroderma)



SHUT-INS

Mildred Klein, Betty Blackburn, and Janet Conklin.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS

The family and friends of John Garland, brother-in-law of Robbin Dungey, as they mourn his passing. May they know the peace of Christ's victory over death.
The family and friends of Philip James Clelland, son of frequent guest organist Nelda Clelland, as they mourn his passing. May they know the peace of Christ's victory over death.
Bill Schrott, friend of the Kyne's (in rehab after shoulder operation) 4/9
Corey Brown, father of 3 young boys, son of Doreen McDonald's coworker (kidney failure/dialysis) 4/9
Tammy Brown, friend of Doreen McDonald (possibly malignant cyst) 4/9
Cooper McGeath, new Marine son of Heather Krakat's friend (safety on his first deployment) 4/9
Martha McGlynn, LWML president of the Baltimore Zone (prayers for positive test results) 4/2
Bill Emmerich, twin brother of Betsy Mitchell (recovering from heart valve replacement) 3/19
Joseph Reynolds, father-in-law of Gloria Waibel Reynolds (in Home Hospice) 4/2
Arianna and Ian Grams, niece and nephew of Dana Stigdon (peace and wisdom as they learn to navigate life without parents) 4/2
Anita Cohen (hospitalized for weakness after chemo) 4/2
Ed Cohen, husband of Anita (strength and peace as caregiver) 4/2
Pastor Steve Schafer, father of Alicia Dreessen (skin cancer treatments) 4/2



Easter Lilies

Easter lilies are placed on the altar this Easter in memory of:

Friends, Margaret Wells, Ruth Milton, and Rován Wernsdorfer,
by Sandy Hayes

Debbie's father, E. Curtis Chandler, Jr., by Debbie & Bill Oldhouser

Bill's father, Wilson H. Oldhouser, Jr., by Debbie & Bill Oldhouser

Our loved ones, by Janet & Jim Lister

Parents, Roy & Edna Krakat and Harold Lipps, by Roy & Heather Krakat

Parents, Ed & Florence Borth, by John and Karyn Borth

Husband, Ron Loudén, by Carolyn Loudén

Parents, John & Audrey Neubert, by Carolyn Loudén

Parents, William Robert Cook & Rosa Kairis Cook, by Linda Lee Cook

Son, Christopher Paul Crouse, by Linda Lee Cook

Parents, William & Elsa Giguere and Alex & Mary Tews, by Norman & Irene Giguere

Brother-in-law, Hans Gude, by Kevin and Robbin Dungey

Mother of Kate, Jane Halloran, by the Baeder Family

Suzanne's parents, Henry and Martha Elling, and brother, John Elling,

by Pastor Greg & Suzanne Alms

Pastor's father, Paul Alms, by Pastor Greg & Suzanne Alms

Pastor's step-father, Walter Hirsch, by Pastor Greg & Suzanne Alms

Husband, Richard Klingmeyer, by Linda Klingmeyer

Jessie's father and Chris's mother, Tom Ball and Gay Meyer, by Chris & Jessie Meyer

Easter Lilies

Easter lilies are placed on the altar this Easter in honor of:

Our Parents, by Cameron & Vanessa Jones

Easter lilies are placed on the altar this Easter in celebration for:

St. Paul Lutheran Church and School, Catonsville, by Pastor Greg & Suzanne Alms

The birth of 1st grandbaby, Isaac, son of Derek and Brittany Eichelman,

By Bill & Karen Eichelman

Kevin Wm. Eichelman, Isaac's Godfather, by Bill & Karen Eichelman

Our faithful bulletin folders, by Dana Stigdon

*Easter lilies are placed on the altar this Easter
to the glory of God, by:*

The Nelson Family

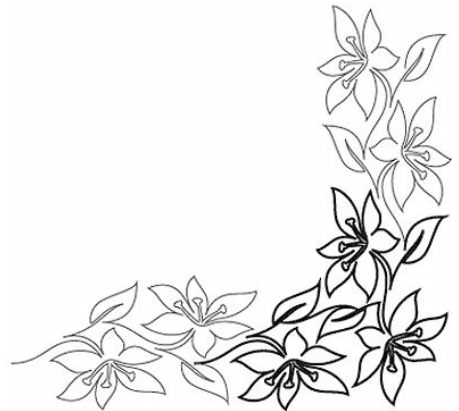
Steve & Barb Haar

Don Easton & Carolyn McDaniel

Amanda McKay

The Kyne's

Suzanne Giguere



News & Notes

Voter's Meeting

There will be a quick Voter's Meeting immediately following the church service on Sunday, April 16th to elect Roy Krakat to the Board of Elders.

Out of Town

Pastor Alms will be out of town from April 10th – April 16th. Please contact your elder or contact Kevin Dungey or Aaron Nelson for any pastoral needs.

Office Closed: The church office will be closed on Easter Monday.

Women's Guild Spaghetti Dinner and School Social Studies Fair

Women's Guild will be sponsoring a Spaghetti Dinner on April 27th from 5 until 6:30.



This coincides with the Social Studies Fair our school is having that begins at 6:00. Tickets are \$10.00 for adults, \$5.00 for children ages 3 through 12. Family tickets of \$25.00 will also be available. Please consider supporting the Women's Guild and take some time after you eat to go upstairs and see what the children have been working on. This is a wonderful opportunity for our church family and school family to come together for a meal and to support the children of the school.

Mission Trip

A mission trip is in the works for the week of July 9th. We will be traveling to western Kentucky to help with the rebuilding of housing needed after much was destroyed by a tornado in December 2021. There are still openings on the team. If you are interested in joining, please contact Pastor Alms.

Altar Care Committee

The Altar Care Committee is in need of substitutes who would be willing to serve occasionally. Also looking for volunteers to cover the months of April and July. Please contact Robbin Dungey if you are interested and want more information and/or training.

Church Workday

A workday is held the third Saturday of each month beginning at 9 am. Join us on Saturday April 15th. Stay and help for a couple hours or a couple minutes, whatever you have to offer. There is always work to be done around the church buildings and you don't have to have any special skills! Join in the fellowship of servants who wish to give a little of their time to serve God by keeping his house and buildings in tip top shape.

Stellar VBS in SPACE!

Mark your calendar for June 26th – 30th from 9am to 12pm and get ready to Shine Jesus' Light at Vacation Bible School. Your help and support is needed with this exciting experience to help kids praise God and learn more about the wondrous things He does. If you are willing and able to serve this year or know someone who is, please reach out to Kirsten Hall. There are many ways to get involved.

Volunteer Positions:

- Helping with decorations (creating/setting up/taking down)
- Leading a group of kids around to the stations (Preschool or Elementary aged kids)
- Leading a station for the elementary groups or preschool groups (Imagination Station, Video, Games, Snack, Bible Story)
- Helping with the Opening/Closing (leading songs or helping with message)
- Tech Assistants (photography, videos)
- Welcome crew (welcoming/guiding families in the morning)
- Donating food and supplies

Prayer Chain

Prayer is a great gift and privilege for Christians. If you would like to receive St. Paul Prayer Chain notices about people who need your prayers, please contact Kevin Dungey and he will add you to the Prayer Chain distribution list. Contact Kevin or Pastor Alms if you would like to put someone on the Prayer Chain.

To add people to the prayer list printed in the bulletin, please email or call the church office. Family and friends will automatically be removed after one month. If you want your request to stay on for another month, just contact the office.

Serving at St. Paul

	This week	Next week
Cantor	Steve Haar	Steve Haar
Reader	Suzanne Giguere	JB Jaeger
Usher	Bruce Staudinger	Jim Kyne
Usher	Paul Lubell	David Nguyen
Acolyte	Joshua Unglesbee	Gretchen Nelson
Greeter	Bruce Staudinger	Doris Schascheck

Daily Readings: ***Apr 9:*** Ex 14:10–31, Heb 7:23–8:13; ***Apr 10:*** Ex 15:1–18, Heb 9:1–28; ***Apr 11:*** Ex 15:19–16:12, Heb 10:1–18; ***Apr 12:*** Ex 16:13–35, Heb 10:19–39; ***Apr 13:*** Ex 17:1–16, Heb 11:1–29; ***Apr 14:*** Ex 18:5–27, Heb 12:1–24; ***Apr 15:*** Ex 19:1–25, Heb 13:1–21.



Sermon Notes

