

OUR SAVIOUR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
SUNDAY WORSHIP



*I give you a new commandment, that you
love one another. Just as I have loved you, you
also should love one another.*

- John 13:34

Sunday Worship
May 15, 2022 ~ Easter 5

*ELW = Evangelical Lutheran Worship: You will find this book in
your pew rack. The hymn numbers are located near the hymn
names, often on the top of the page.*

Prelude



Gathering

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

Welcome

Please rise in body/spirit.

Thanksgiving for Baptism

PM: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

C: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

PM: In the waters of baptism...

... To you, our Beginning and our End, our Shepherd and Open
Door, be honor and thanksgiving, now and forever.

C: Amen.

Gathering Song ~ ELW #819

"Come, All You People"

Greeting

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

C: And also with you.

Hymn of Praise ~ ELW #167

"Now the Feast and Celebration"

Refrain



Now the feast and cel - e - bra - tion, all of cre - a - tion



sings for joy to the God of life and love and free-dom;



praise and glo - ry for - ev - er - more!



1 Now is the feast of the Lamb once slain, whose blood has



Refrain
freed and u - nit-ed us to be one great peo-ple of God.



2 Pow - er and rich-es, wis-dom and might, all hon - or and



Refrain
glo - ry to Christ for - ev - er.



3 For God has come to dwell with us, to make us peo-ple of



Refrain
God; to make all things new.

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Prayer of the Day

The congregation is seated.

Word

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

First Reading

A reading from Acts 11:1-18

AM: Word of God, word of life

C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 148

Psalm Tone 9



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**¹Hallelujah! Praise the LORD! from the heavens;
praise God | in the heights.**

**²Praise the LORD, | all you angels;
sing praise, all you | hosts of heaven.**

**³Praise the LORD, | sun and moon;
sing praise, all you | shining stars.**

**⁴Praise the LORD, heav- | en of heavens,
and you waters a- | bove the heavens.**

**⁵Let them praise the name | of the LORD,
who commanded, and they | were created,**

**⁶who made them stand fast forev- | er and ever,
giving them a law that shall not | pass away.**

⁷Praise the LORD | from the earth,
you sea monsters | and all deeps;
⁸**fire and hail, | snow and fog,**
tempestuous wind, do- | ing God's will;
⁹mountains | and all hills,
fruit trees | and all cedars;
¹⁰**wild beasts | and all cattle,**
creeping things and | flying birds;
¹¹sovereigns of the earth | and all peoples,
princes and all rulers | of the world;
¹²**young | men and maidens,**
old and | young together.
¹³Let them praise the name | of the LORD,
whose name only is exalted, whose splendor is over | earth
and heaven.
¹⁴**The LORD has raised up strength for the people and**
praise for all | faithful servants,
the children of Israel, a people who are near
the LORD. | Hallelujah!

Please rise in body/spirit.

Gospel Reading

PM: The Holy Gospel according to John
C: Glory to you, O Lord.

John 13:31-35

PM: This is the gospel of the Lord.
C: Praise to you, O Christ.

The congregation may be seated.

Sermon

Silence for reflection

The congregation stands.

Hymn of the Day ~ ELW Hymn #377

"Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen!"

Statement of Faith

PM: With the whole church, let us confess our faith.

PM: Alleluia, Christ is risen.

C: Christ is risen, indeed. Alleluia!

PM: Alleluia, Christ is risen.

C: Christ is risen, indeed. Alleluia!

PM: Alleluia, Christ is risen.

C: Christ is risen, indeed. Alleluia!

Prayers of the People

After each petition of the prayers:

AM: God, in your mercy,

C: Hear our prayer.

PM: In your mercy, O God, respond to these prayers, and
renew us by your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ, our
Savior.

C: Amen.

Sharing of the Peace

PM: La Paz de Cristo/The peace of Christ be with you
always.

C: And also with you.

Please be seated.



Meal

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

Offering

Offertory

Offering Prayer

PM: Merciful God, as grains of wheat scattered upon the hills were gathered together to become one bread, so let your church be gathered together from the ends of the earth into your kingdom, for yours is the glory through Jesus Christ, now and forever. **Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving

PM: The Lord be with you

C: And also with you

PM: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them up to the Lord.

PM: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Preface

PM: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy...And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, Holy, Holy

Congregation:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly are you, God of pow - er and
might; Heav - en and earth are filled with your
glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est!

The image shows three staves of musical notation in G major (one sharp) and 6/8 time. The first staff begins with the instruction 'Congregation:'. The lyrics are written below the notes: 'Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly are you, God of pow - er and might; Heav - en and earth are filled with your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est!'.

Thanksgiving At The Table

PM: O God most mighty...

...

Do this for the remembrance of me.

Following Christ's life, we say Amen. **[Amen.]**

Remembering Christ's death, we cry out Amen. **[Amen.]**

Celebrating Christ's resurrection, we shout Amen. **[Amen.]**

Trusting Christ's presence in every time and place, we plead Amen. **[Amen.]**

The 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

PM: Come to God's table.

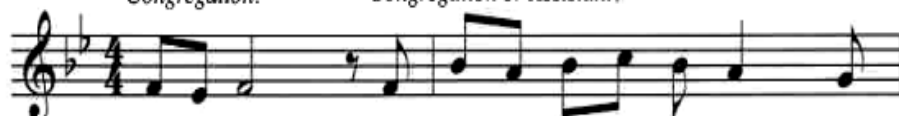
There is a place for you and enough for all.

The congregation may be seated.

This is Christ's table. You and all are welcome here, without exception. Please follow the ushers' direction, filling in the communion rail starting on the right side. You may stand or kneel. If you prefer a blessing, cross your hands over your heart. Gluten free wafers are available. The wine is red; the grape juice is clear. Please let an usher know if you would like communion brought to your pew.

Lamb of God

Congregation: *Congregation or Assistant:*



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
you break the chains of ha - tred and
you are the way of jus - tice and
you are the way of mer - cy and

Congregation:



world: have mer - cy on us, mer - cy on us,
fear:
peace:
love.

Final Stanza
Congregation or Assistant:



mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you

Congregation:



take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace,



grant us peace, grant us peace.

Communion Music

~ ELW Hymn #642 "Ubi caritas et amor"
~ ELW Hymn #482 "I Come with Joy"

Post-Communion Blessing

The living body and life blood of Jesus Christ strengthen and keep you in grace. **Amen.**

Prayer after Communion

AM: We give you thanks, generous God,
for in this bread and cup
we have tasted the new heaven and earth
where hunger and thirst are no more.
Send us from this table as witnesses to the resurrection,
that through our lives, all may know life in Jesus' name.
C: Amen.

Blessing

PM: May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in be-
lieving, so that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy
Spirit.
C: Amen.

Sending Hymn ~ ELW Hymn #535 "Hallelujah! We Sing Your Praises"

Dismissal

AM: Alleluia! Christ is risen.
C: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!
AM: Go in peace. Tell what God has done.
C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

*You may leave during this time, join us on the patio for coffee, or
stay to listen to the music. Please use this time in whatever way is
most worshipful for you.*

**THOSE SERVING
TODAY (5/15/22)**

Pastor/Presider
Pastor Amalia Vagts

Accompanist
Sophia Rankin

Cantor
Sophia Rankin

Djembe
Michael Marty

Assisting Minister
Ginny Phillips

**Communion
Assistant**
David Johnson

Acolyte
Jennifer Strand

Ushers
Patty Sirls
Jennifer Strand

Sound & Video
Kent Pflibsen
Tracy Ratliff
Timothy Bustamonte
William Alvord
Jack Ryan

**THOSE SERVING
NEXT SUNDAY (5/22/22)**

Pastor/Presider
Pastor Amalia Vagts

Accompanist
John Merrill

Cantor
Jordan Fouts

Assisting Minister
Pam Hardman

**Communion
Assistant**
Mary Durham-Pflibsen

Acolyte
Ginny Phililps

Ushers
Michael Marty
Paige Marty

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Tracy Ratliff
Timothy Bustamonte
William Alvord
Jack Ryan

Please add to your prayer list:

Mert Ingvaldstad
Gerry Meyer
June Williams
Mary Hewlett
Yash Roberts
Phyllis W. Smith
Erna Rosten
Lilian
Family of Ralph Saxlund
Family of John Sarrow
Family of Edward Butchart
Family of Bev Osvarek

**May 22 2022
Easter 6**
Acts 16:9-15,
Psalm 67,
John 14:23-29

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