

**CONSECRATION OF THE ELEMENTS  
(COMMUNION AT HOME WITH WAFER)**

**AT THIS TIME, PLEASE RECEIVE THE BODY OF CHRIST**

**SENDING HYMN.....HES GOT THE WHOLE WORLD IN HIS HANDS**

He's got the whole world in his hands,  
He's got the whole, wide, world in his hands,  
He's got the whole world in his hands,  
He's got the whole world in his hands!

He's got the itty bitty baby in his hands,  
He's got the itty bitty baby in his hands,  
He's got the itty bitty baby in his hands,  
He's got the whole world in his hands !

**BENEDICTION**

P: May the God who is above you watch over you, beside you, befriend you, behind you pick you up when you fall, ahead of you lead you every step of the way, may you go in peace, joy, and with -

**C: ENTHUSIAM**

**SENDING HYMN.....(cont)**

He's got you and me, brother, in his hands,  
He's got you and me, sister, in his hands,  
He's got you and me, brother, in his hands,  
He's got the whole world in his hands!

He's got everybody here in his hands,  
He's got everybody here in his hands,  
He's got everybody here in his hands,  
He's got the whole world in his hands!

He's got the whole world in his hands,  
He's got the whole, wide, world in his hands,  
He's got the whole world in his hands,  
He's got the whole world in his hands!



# Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

-A Church of Joy-

## Welcomes You to Worship



**April 26th, 2020**

**3rd Sunday of Easter**

**9 am & 10:30 am worship**

**Pastor Remo A. Madsen**

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THE MINISTERS

The People of Good Shepherd Lutheran Congregation

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SERMON.....REMO. A. MADSEN

OFFERING AND TITHES RECEIVED

OFFERATORY PRAYER

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known and from whom no secrets are hid; Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your Holy Name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

P: Most merciful God;

C: **We confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Holy Name.**

In the mercy of Almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for you, and for his sake, God forgives you all your sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ he gives the power to become the children of God, and bestows on them the Holy Spirit.

C: AMEN



## 1 Peter 1:18-23

You know that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your ancestors, not with perishable things like silver or gold, Through him you have come to trust in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are set on God. Now that you have purified your souls by your obedience to the truth so that you have genuine mutual love, love one another deeply from the heart. You have been born anew, not of perishable but of imperishable seed, through the living and enduring word of God.

## Luke 24: 33 - 35

That same hour they got up and returned to Jerusalem; and they found the eleven and their companions gathered together. They were saying, "The Lord has risen indeed, and he has appeared to Simon!" Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he had been made known to them in the breaking of the bread

**L: Word of God, Word of Life C: Thanks be to God**

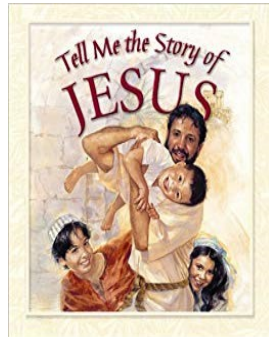
## SERMON HYMN.....I LOVE TO TELL THE STORY

I love to tell the story, of unseen things above  
Of Jesus and his glory, of Jesus and his love  
I love to tell the story, because I know it's true  
It satisfies my longing,  
as nothing else would do

I love to tell the story;  
I'll sing this theme in glory,  
And tell the old, old story,  
of Jesus and his love

I love to tell the story, How pleasant to repeat  
What seems each time I tell it,  
more wonderfully sweet!  
I love to tell the story, for some have never heard  
The message of salvation from God's own Holy Word

I love to tell the story;  
I'll sing this theme in glory,  
And tell the old, old story  
of Jesus and his love



# Order of Service

## CALL TO WORSHIP

## PASTOR'S WORDS OF WELCOME

## PROCESSIONAL HYMN .....I COME TO THE GARDEN

I come to the garden alone,  
While the dew is still on the roses;  
And the voice I hear, falling on my ear,  
The Son of God discloses

And he walks with me, and he talks with me,  
And he tells me I am his own;  
And the joy we share as we tarry there,  
None other has ever known.

He speaks, and the sound of his voice  
Is so sweet the birds hush their singing;  
And the melody that he gave to me  
Within my heart is ringing.

And he walks with me, and he talks with me,  
And he tells me I am his own;  
And the joy we share as we tarry there,  
None other has ever known.



## CHILDREN'S SERMON .....PASTOR REMO

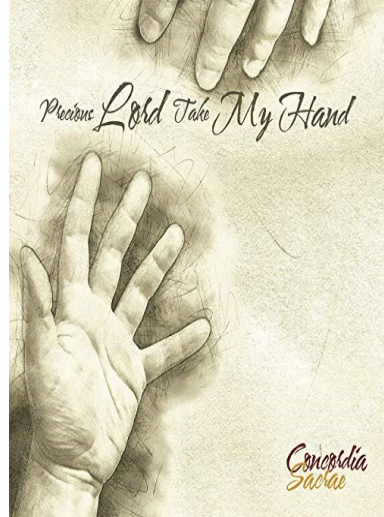


## HYMN OF PRAISE.....PRECIOUS LORD, TAKE MY HAND

Precious Lord, take my hand,  
Lead me on , let me stand  
I am tired, I am weak, I am worn  
Through the storm, through the night  
Lead me on to the light  
Take my hand, Precious Lord,  
Lead me home

When my way grows drear,  
Precious Lord, linger near.  
When my life is almost gone,  
Hear my cry, hear my call,  
Hold my hand, lest I fall.  
Take my hand, precious Lord,  
Lead me home.

When the darkness appears  
And the night draws near,  
And the day is past and gone,  
At the river I stand  
Guide my feet, hold my hand.  
Take my hand, precious Lord , lead me home



## APOSTLE'S CREED (CONGREGATION)

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Creator of Heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,\* the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen**



## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (sitting)

**A.M.: Lord in your mercy, C.: Hear our prayer**

## THE LORD'S PRAYER (Congregation)

**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,  
The power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

## FIRST READING/SCRIPTURES:

### Acts 2:14a, 38-41

Peter said to them, "Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ so that your sins may be forgiven; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is for you, for your children, and for all who are far away, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to him." So those who welcomed his message were baptized, and that day about three thousand persons were added.

### Psalm 116: 1, 2

I love the LORD, because he has heard my voice and my supplications,  
Because he inclined his ear to me, therefore I will call on him as long as I live.