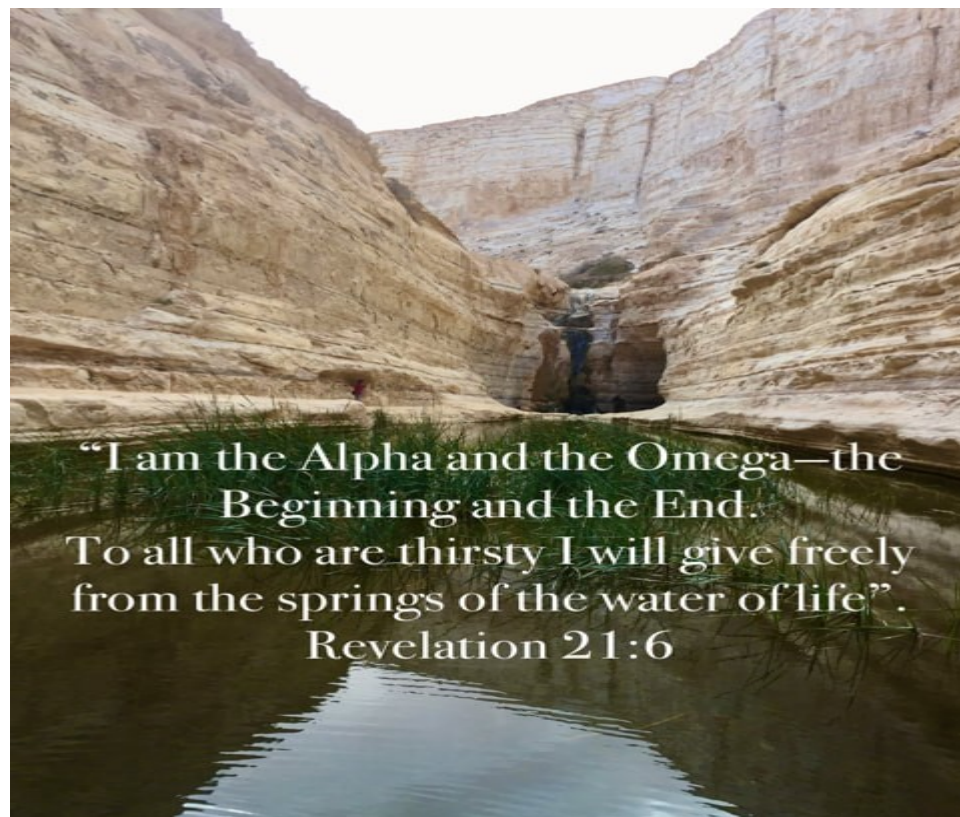


Good Shepherd Lutheran Church  
~A Church of Joy~  
Welcomes You to Worship



**May 15th ,2022**  
**5th Sunday Easter**  
**10:00 am Worship**  
**Rev. John Krahn**

# Good Shepherd Lutheran Church A Church of Joy!

## THE MINISTERS

The People of Good Shepherd Lutheran Congregation

### PASTOR

Reverend Remo A. Madsen

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## **SERVING THE LORD THIS WEEK**

**READER.....SORAYA CISOTTO**

**FILMING.....JIM MURRAY**

**COMMENTS.....WENDY MADDALENA**

**POWER POINT....DAWN MURRAY**

**USHERS.....MARK VALENCIA  
RICH GRUBER  
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Therefore I say to you,  
whatever things you ask  
when you pray, believe  
that you receive them,  
and you will have them.  
Mark 11:24

## **OUR MEMBERS AND LOVE ONES WITH SPECIAL PRAYER NEEDS**

### **OUR MEMBERS:**

Barbara Tung, Chick Lent and the Griggs family, Adina Perullo, Gary Regan, Lil Holiner, Marie Neznamy

### **OUR FAMILIES & FRIENDS WITH SPECIAL PRAYER NEEDS ARE:**

Lee Ann Lo Monaco-cousin of Fran Neri, Tracy Dolen-daughter of Gail George, Pauline DeMicco-mother of Paul George , Cara Smith-daughter of Peggy and Ken Bailey, Lily-friend of Jackie Pigeon, Karen Callahan-friend of Curt Neznamy, Linda Cucci-sister of Donna Berchoff , Larry Dolen-ex husband of Gail George, The Colon Family– friends of Donna Z, Lou Johnson– cousin of Gail George, Larry Albrecht—brother of Laura Albrecht, Cara Smith– daughter of Peggy Bailey, Bruce Little-cousin of Gail George

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## OUR PANTRY NEEDS OUR PARTNERSHIP

|                         |                 |
|-------------------------|-----------------|
| Cans of Vegetables      | Cereal /Oatmeal |
| Tomato Sauce (no glass) | Pancake Mix     |
| Cans of Fruit           | Hot Chocolate   |
| Mac and Cheese          | Coffee/Tea      |
| Soup                    |                 |

Place donations in the labeled container outside the tent

Any items you are able to donate will be greatly  
Appreciated

\*\*\*\*\* We also need Supermarket Gift Cards \*\*\*\*\*  
Place them in the offering basket

Contact Info: 516 655 9080 or 516-765-6522

Robin Waslin or Bill Wilson

## Order of Service

### CALL TO WORSHIP

### PASTOR'S WORDS OF WELCOME

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN.....THIS IS MY FATHER'S WORLD

This is my Father's world,  
And to my list'ning ears  
All nature sings, and round me rings  
The music of the spheres.

This is my Father's world,  
I rest me in the thought,  
Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas,  
His hand the wonders wrought

This is my Father's world;  
O, let me not forget  
That though the wrong seems oft so strong,  
God is the ruler yet.

This is my Father's world;  
Why should my heart be sad?  
The Lord is King, let the heavens ring;  
God reigns, let the earth be glad

### 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**



SCRIPTURES:

REVELATION 21: 1-6

A New Heaven and a New Earth

Then I saw “a new heaven and a new earth,” for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and there was no longer any sea. I saw the Holy City, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride beautifully dressed for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, “Look! God’s dwelling place is now among the people, and he will dwell with them. They will be his people, and God himself will be with them and be their God. ‘He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death’ or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away.” He who was seated on the throne said, “I am making everything new!” Then he said, “Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true.” He said to me: “It is done. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End. To the thirsty I will give water without cost from the spring of the water of life.

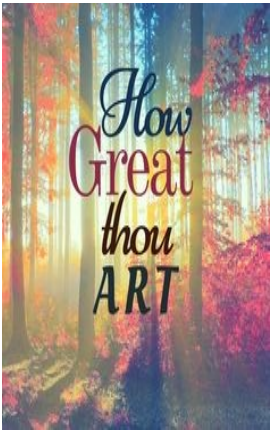
L: Word of God, Word of Life C: Thanks be to God

SERMON HYMN.....HOW GREAT THOU ART

O Lord, my God, when I in awesome wonder,  
Consider all the worlds thy hand hath made.  
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,  
Thy pow’r throughout the universe displayed;

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee,  
How great thou art! How great thou art!  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee,  
How great thou art! How great thou art!

When Christ shall come,  
with shout of acclamation,  
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!  
Then I shall bow in humble adoration  
And there proclaim, “My God, how great thou art!”



CHURCH NEWS

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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL IS BACK!

We will be offering it this summer in a shortened format around supper time. Family Fun!

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WORSHIP AREA AND ALTAR CARE:

Would you like to help beautify the Altar and our Tent? Dawn Murray is coordinating this effort. 516 647 2371.

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RENEWAL AND NEW MEMBERSHIP CLASS WITH PASTOR  
BEGINS ON MAY 22ND @ 11:45 AM

This class is for new members and people who wish to learn more about their faith.

Please call the office at 516 731 7387 if you wish to attend

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CHURCH FLOWER SALE  
BEGINNING EARLY MAY AND ENDING IN JUNE  
OPEN WEEKDAYS FROM 4—7 PM  
SATURDAY FROM 10— 5  
SUNDAYS 12—5

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## PRAYER AND BLESSING

### 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 .....SOON AND VERY SOON

Soon and very soon, we are goin' to see the King;  
Soon and very soon, we are goin' to see the King,  
Soon and very soon, we are goin' to see the King!  
Hallelujah, hallelujah, we're goin' to see the King!

No more cryin' there, we are goin' to see the King;  
No more cryin' there, we are goin' to see the King,  
No more cryin' there, we are goin' to see the King!  
Hallelujah, hallelujah, we're goin' to see the King!

No more dyin' there, we are goin' to see the King!  
No more dyin' there, we are goin' to see the King,  
No more dyin' there, we are goin' to see the King!  
Hallelujah, hallelujah, we're goin' to see the King!

Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee,  
How great Thou art, How great Thou art!  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee  
How great thou art, How great thou art !

### GOSPEL: JOHN 13: 31-35

#### Jesus Predicts Peter's Denial

When he was gone, Jesus said, "Now the Son of Man is glorified and God is glorified in him. If God is glorified in him,<sup>1</sup> God will glorify the Son in himself, and will glorify him at once.  
"My children, I will be with you only a little longer. You will look for me, and just as I told the Jews, so I tell you now: Where I am going, you cannot come.  
"A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another

**L: The gospel of our Lord**

**C: Thanks be to Christ**



**SERMON.....REV. JOHN KRAHN**



## 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**

## OFFERING AND TITHES WILL BE RECEIVED

## OFFERING HYMN....MY FAITH LOOKS UP TO THEE

My faith looks up to thee, thou Lamb of Calvary,  
Savior divine!  
Now hear me while I pray,  
take all my guilt away,  
Oh, let me from this day be wholly thine!

May thy rich grace impart  
strength to my fainting heart,  
My zeal inspire;  
As thou hast died for me,  
Oh, may my love to thee  
Pure, warm and changeless be, a living fire

While life's dark maze I tread,  
and grief around me spread,  
Be thou my guide;  
Bid darkness turn to day,  
wipe sorrow's tears away,  
Nor let me ever stray from thee aside.



## SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS

### 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.

