

The Festival of the Resurrection of Our Lord

March 31st, Year of our Lord 2024

The Reverend William Foy, Pastor

Order of Worship – Divine Service - Setting 3

Preludes- *Time for silent prayer and preparation for confession*

P Alleluia! Christ is risen!

C He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Please rise, face the procession, and turn to the altar when the celebrant has passed by.

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Procession Hymn - The Strife is o'er, the battle done



Invocation

- P In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.
- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

Please Kneel/Stand

- P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- C who made heaven and earth.
- P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- C and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.
- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- C I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

Absolution

- P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen

Please Rise



He is risen! Alle- | luia!*

Why do you seek the living among the dead? Alle- | luia! Remember how He told you, Alle- | luia,*

that the Son of Man must be crucified and on the third day rise. Alle- | luia!

P O LORD, our Lord, how majestic is Your name in | All the earth!*

You have set Your glory above the | heavens.

C	Yet You have made Him a little lower than the heavenly beings* and crowned Him with glory and honor.	
	You have given Him dominion over the works of Your hands;* You have put all things under His feet.	
P	O LORD, our Lord,* how majestic is Your name in all the earth!	
C	Glory be to the Father and to the Son* and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the be- ginning,* is now, and will be forever. Amen.	
P	He is risen! Alle- luia!* Why do you seek the living among the dead? Alle- luia! Remember how He told you, Alle- luia,* that the Son of Man must be crucified and on the third day rise. Alle- luia!	
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Salutation

Collect of the Day – *Prayed by Pastor*

Almighty God, through Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, You overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life. We humbly pray that we may live before You in righteousness and purity forever; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Please be seated. The Old Testament:

"Oh that my words were written! Oh that they were inscribed in a book! Oh that with an iron pen and lead they were engraved in the Rock

Job 19:23-27

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forever! For I know that my Redeemer lives, and at the last He will stand upon the earth. And after my skin has been thus destroyed, yet in my flesh I shall see God, whom I shall see for myself, and my eyes shall behold, and not another. My heart faints within me!"



let us rejoice and be | glad in it.

Oh give thanks to the LORD, for | He is good;*

for His steadfast love endures for- | ever

The Epistle:

1 Corinthians 15:51–57

Behold! I tell you a mystery. We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we shall be changed. For this perishable body must put on the imperishable, and this mortal body must put on immortality. When the perishable puts on the imperishable, and the mortal puts on immortality, then shall come to pass the saying that is written:

"Death is swallowed up in victory."

"O death, where is your victory? O death, where is your sting?" The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Please rise Alleluia



The Holy Gospel:

Mark 16:1-8

When the Sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene and Mary the mother of James and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint Him.

And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. And they were saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance of the tomb?" And looking up, they saw that the stone had been rolled back—it was very large. And entering the tomb, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, dressed in a white robe, and they were alarmed. And he said to them, "Do not be alarmed. You seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen; He is not here. See the place where they laid Him. But go; tell His disciples and Peter that He is going before you to Galilee. There you will see Him, just as He told you." And they went out and fled from the tomb, for trembling and astonishment had seized them, and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

Nicene Creed

Please be seated. **Hymn of the Day** - Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen 1 Al - le - lu - ia! Je - sus is ris - en! Trum - pets re -2 Walk-ing the way, Christ in the cen - ter Tell - ing the 3 Je - sus the vine, branch - es; Life We are the in the 4 Weep-ing, be gone; Sor - row, be si - lent: Death put a ev - er, Gold - en Je -5 Cit - y of God, Eas - ter for sound-ing in glo - ri - ous light! Splen-dor, the Lamb, Heav - en forsto - ry to o - pen our eyes; Break-ing our bread, Giv - ing us Spir - it the fruit of the tree; Heav - en to earth, Christ to the sun - der, and Eas - ter is bright. Cher - u - bim sing: "O grave, be ru - sa-lem, Je - sus the Lamb, Riv - er of life, Saints and archev er! Oh, what a mir - a - cle God has sight! in -Je - sus our bless - ing, our con - stant sur - prise. glo - ry: peo - ple, Gift of the fu - ture now flow - ing to me. o - pen!" Clothe us in won - der, a dorn us in light. an - gels, Sing with cre - a - tion AM! to God the Ι Refrain Je - sus is ris - en and we shall a rise:

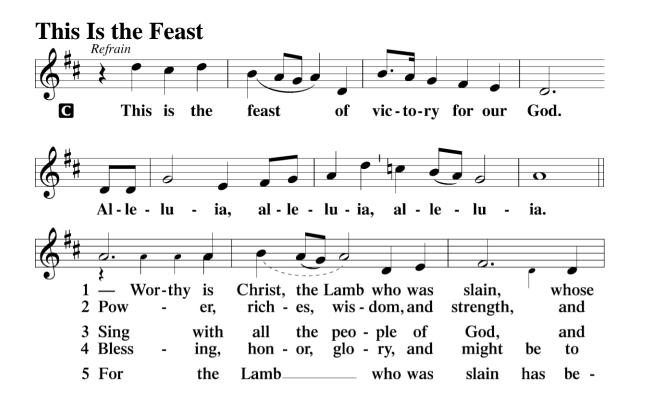
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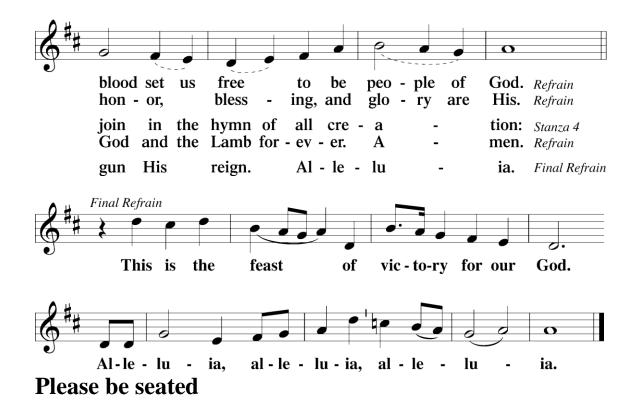
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Distribution

What we believe: The Sacrament of the Altar

We welcome to the Lord's Supper all those who are presently communicant members in good standing of Prince of Peace. If you have never received Holy Communion at Prince of Peace from Pastor Foy, please see him before you commune. Thank you

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Please face the procession until the celebrant has passed and then face back towards the altar.

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<u>SUNDAY - Bible Study:</u> We are studying the Word of God, after the Divine Service, in the Parish Hall. We will begin at 10:45 and go to 11:30 each Sunday morning. Thank you. Pastor Foy

<u>WEDNESDAY – Bible Study:</u> We are studying the Gospel According to St. Matthew at 11:45 in the conference room on Wednesdays. Please join us if you are able. Pastor

The Easter Flowers adorning the chancel were graciously given by:



<u>Name</u>

Barbara Beach **Steve Beach Family** Diane Callahan Carl & Stephanie Devries Pastor & Diana Foy Heidi Frisch Gregg & Shannon Haliburt Josh Hardesty Family Pam Hardesty Nancy Keane Dale & Sue Kuder Kyle Kuder Family Lilly Layton Bill & Deb Lomis Dave & Donna McCall Darlene MacDonald The Mowbray Family Nancy Peterson **Troy Peterson** Helene Reichard Penny Robinson Joann Schultz Jeff & Marilyn Skinner

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You may take home your plants after service. The ladies of the Altar guild will bring the plants to the choir risers for you to pick them up.

<u>**Pastor on vacation**</u> for two weeks. In case of emergency please contact Pastor Fickel 219-309-7635

For the coming WeekOrganist: Jennifer SymerElders: Jeff, Josh and CarlAltar Guild Servers: Shirley, PennyBible Study: No Bible study this weekBethesda Service: No Bethesda this week

<u>Service:</u> No services this week <u>Veterans PTSD Group:</u>Tuesday at 6:30

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Chrismon Corner



The Resurrection of our Lord – Easter Sunday Mark 16.1-8 Lamb with banner *"For Christ, our Passover lamb, has been sacrificed.* (1Corinthians 5:7 ESV). Lamb of
God (Agnus Dei): This symbol emphasizes the sacrificial role of Christ. *"Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world"* (John 1:29). *"Worthy is the Lamb who was slain to receive power and riches and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing'!"*

(Revelation 5:12). And Moses built an altar and called the name of it, The LORD Is My Banner. (Exodus 17:15 ESV)

A banner is something that identifies and unifies a particular group of people. For example, a military flag or standard is sometimes called a banner. The Israelites' saying, "The Lord is my Banner," was a way of identifying themselves as the unified followers of the Lord God. A banner also functions as a rallying point for troops in a battle. The altar Moses built in Exodus 17 marked the place where God intervened on behalf of His people and promised to utterly defeat His enemies. God's people continue to say, "The Lord is my Banner," because it is in His power that the enemies are vanquished. Christ crucified is our Banner in that He is the One under whom we unite. He is our Savior. We are rescued by Him and identified in Him.

"The best way to drive out the devil, if he will not yield to text of Scripture, is to jeer and flout him, for he cannot bear scorn." -Luther

PRAYERS FOR:

-Persecuted Christians everywhere and families of the martyred -All human life – from conception unto natural death -All humans who are trafficked or enslaved -

<u>PRAYER FOR SHUT-INS:</u> Kathy Hegenow, Mike Foy, Darlene McDonald, Penny Robinson

PRAYER FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY: Craig McCall, Alex Sibert, Erich Sibert; Seneca Newkirk

PRAYER FOR HEALING:

Bonnie Broviak- Dr CarePat Maile – Dr CareJim Brown- CancerDave McCall – Drs CarePenny Robinson – Dr CareJim DeSmith – Brain CancerSusan Snow – BurnsBobbie Nobles – CancerBill Lomas – CancerLil Johnston – Dr CareJo Thompson – CancerMary Cruz – ALSCarlie Lawal - 5yr old LeukemiaDale Porter – Rehab from fallPlease give the Church Office updates Thank you Pastor

<u>THOSE CELEBRATING BAPTISMAL BIRTHDAYS</u> Michelle Elkins 4/1 Tylor Elkins 4/1 Olivia Elkins 4/1 Troy Peterson 4/4 Sophia Skinner 4/4

THOSE CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS Bob Steingass 4/2 Delores Berdine 4/5

THOSE CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARIES

THOSE ENGAGED TO BE MARRIED

Christina Foy & Joey Moser June 8, 2024 3:00 p.m. Rachel Wilburn & Alex Rodriguez

All Prince of Peace members are invited to all weddings ceremonies in the Church.