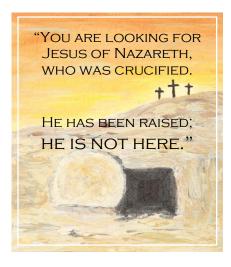
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# EASTER DAY



# PRELUDE Aldorfer Brass

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

ACCLAMATION repeated one or more times

- P: Alleluia! Christ is risen!
- C: Christ is risen, indeed. Alleluia!
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- C: Christ is risen, indeed. Alleluia!

#### PROCESSIONAL HYMN vss, 1,2,3 No. 365 Jesus Christ is Risen Today

- 1 Jesus Christ is ris'n today, Alleluia! our triumphant holy day, Alleluia! who did once upon the cross, Alleluia! suffer to redeem our loss, Alleluia!
- 2 Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia! unto Christ, our heav'nly king, Alleluia! who endured the cross and grace, Alleluia! sinners to redeem and save. Alleluia!
- 3 But the pains which he endured, Alleluia! our salvation have procured; Alleluia! now above the sky he's king, Alleluia! where the angels ever sing. Alleluia!

#### **GREETING**

- P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.
- C: And also with you.

P: We have come looking for Jesus who was crucified. A voice from the tomb says:

C: "Be not afraid. He has been raised. Christ is alive! Go! Tell!"

HYMN OF PRAISE	vs 1,2,3	No. 385
Good Christian Friends,	Rejoice and	Sing!

1 Good Christian friends, rejoice and sing! Now is the triumph of our king! To all the world glad news we bring: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

2 The Lord of life is ris'n this day; death's mighty stone is rolled away; let all the earth rejoice and say: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

3 Praise we in songs of victory that love, that life which cannot die, and sing with hearts uplifted high; Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

# PRAYER OF THE DAY

- L: The Lord be with you
- C: And also with you.

L: God of mercy, we no longer look for Jesus among the dead, for he is alive and has become the Lord of life. Increase in our minds and hearts the risen life we share with Christ, and help us to grow as your people toward the fullness of eternal life with you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

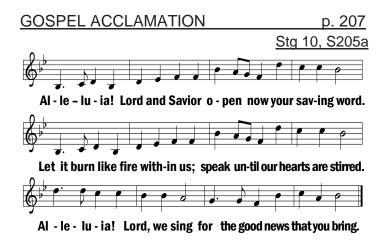
#### FIRST READING: Acts 10:34-43

<sup>34</sup>Peter began to speak to [the people]: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, <sup>35</sup>but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. <sup>36</sup>You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ-he is Lord of all. <sup>37</sup>That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after baptism that John the announced: <sup>38</sup>how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. <sup>39</sup>We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; <sup>40</sup>but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, <sup>41</sup>not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. <sup>42</sup>He commanded us to preach to the people

and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. <sup>43</sup>All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name." WORD OF GOD. WORD OF LIFE. **THANKS BE TO GOD.** 

## PSALM 118:1-2, 14-24

- L: Give thanks to the LORD, for the LORD is good; God's mercy endures forever.
- C: Let Israel now declare, "God's mercy endures forever."
- L: The LORD is my strength and my song, and has become my salvation.
- C: Shouts of rejoicing and salvation echo in the tents of the righteous: "The right hand of the LORD acts valiantly!
- L: The right hand of the LORD is exalted! The right hand of the LORD acts valiantly!"
- C: I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the LORD.
- L: The LORD indeed punished me sorely, but did not hand me over to death.
- C: Open for me the gates of righteousness; I will enter them and give thanks to the LORD.
- L: "This is the gate of the LORD; here the righteous may enter."
- C: I give thanks to you, for you have answered me and you have become my salvation.
- L: The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.
- C: By the LORD has this been done; it is marvelous in our eyes.
- L: This is the day that the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.



# THE HOLY GOSPEL: MARK 16:1-8

# C: GLORY TO YOU, O LORD

<sup>1</sup>When the sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint [Jesus' body]. <sup>2</sup>And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. <sup>3</sup>They had been saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?" <sup>4</sup>When they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had already been rolled back. <sup>5</sup>As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man, dressed in a white robe, sitting on the right side; and they were alarmed. <sup>6</sup>But he said to them, "Do not be alarmed; you are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has been raised: he is not here. Look, there is the place they laid him. <sup>7</sup>But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him, just as he told you." 8So they went out and fled from the tomb, for terror and amazement had seized them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid. THE GOSPEL OF THE LORD. PRAISE TO YOU, O CHRIST.

# CHILDREN'S WORD

# SERMON Pastor Kris Ferkin

#### <u>HYMN OF THE DAY</u> vss. 1,2,3 No. 367 <u>Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds</u>

1 Now all the vault of heav'n resounds in praise of love that still abounds: "Christ has triumphed! He is living! " Sing, choirs of angels, loud and clear! Repeat their song of glory here: "Christ has triumphed! He is living!" Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

2 Eternal is the gift he brings, therefore, our heart with rapture sings: "Christ has triumphed! He is living!" Now still he comes to give us life and by his presence stills all strife. "Christ has triumphed! He is living!" Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

3 Oh, fill us, Lord, with dauntless love; set heart and will on things above that we conquer through your triumph; grant grace sufficient for life's day that by our lives we truly say: "Christ has triumphed! He is living!" Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

# APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come 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.

<u>PRAYERS</u>	P: God of grace
	C: Hear our prayer.

## SHARING OF PEACE

- P: The peace of Christ be with you always.
- C: And also with you.

## OFFERING-OFFERTORY-GLOBE OFFERING

Children are invited to bring forward an offering to the globe in the front of the church. Globe offerings will go to one of our global mission partners to be decided by our youth.

## **OFFERING PRAYER**

P: Risen One, you call us to believe and bear fruit.
C: May the gifts that we offer here be signs of your abiding love. Form us to be your witnesses in the world, through Jesus Christ, our true vine. Amen.

## GREAT THANKSGIVING Spoken

- 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 our thanks and praise.

## EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

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LORD'S PRAYER

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

## **DISTRIBUTION & HYMN**

I Know That My Redeemer Lives No. 619

1 I know that my Redeemer lives! What comfort this sweet sentence gives! He lives, he lives, who once was dead; he lives, my everliving head!

2 He lives triumphant from the grave; he lives eternally to save; he lives exalted, throned above; he lives to rule his church in love.

3 He lives to grant me rich supply; he lives to guide me with his eye; he lives to comfort me when faint; he lives to hear my soul's complaint.

4 He lives to silence all my fears; he lives to wipe away my tears; he lives to calm my troubled heart; he lives all blessings to impart.

5 He lives to bless me with his love; he lives to plead for me above; He lives my hungry soul to feed; he lives to help in time of need.

6 He lives, my kind, wise, heav'nly friend; he lives and loves me to the end; he lives, and while he lives I'll sing; he lives, my prophet, priest, and king!

7 He lives and grants me daily breath; he lives, and I shall conquer death; He lives my mansion to prepare; he lives to bring me safely there.

8 He lives, all glory to his name! He lives, my Savior, still the same; What joy this blest assurance gives: I know that my Redeemer lives!

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

P: Shepherding God, you have prepared a table before us and nourished us with your love.
C: Send us forth from this banquet to proclaim your goodness and share the abundant mercy of Jesus, our redeemer and friend. Amen.

## **BENEDICTION**

#### C: Amen.

#### HYMN Thine Is the Glory No. 376

1 Thine is the glory, risen, conqu'ring Son; endless is the vict'ry thou o'er death hast won! Angels in bright raiment rolled the stone away, kept the folded grave-clothes where thy body lay. <u>Refrain</u> Thine is the glory, risen, conqu'ring Son; endless is the vict'ry thou o'er death hast won!

2 Lo, Jesus meets thee, risen from the tomb! Lovingly he greets thee, scatters fear and gloom; let his church with gladness hymns of triumph sing, for the Lord now liveth; death hath lost its sting! *Refrain* 

3 No more we doubt thee, glorious Prince of life; life is naught without thee; aid us in our strife; make us more than conqu'rors, through thy deathless love; bring us safe through Jordan to thy home above. *Refrain* 

#### **DISMISSAL**

- L: Alleluia! Christ is risen!
- C: Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!
- L: Go in peace. Rejoice and be glad.
- C: Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

POSTLUDE Aldorfer Brass

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#### CALENDAR/ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUN 3/31	9 AM	EASTER DAY WORSHIP
WED 4/3	6 PM	WED WORSHIP
	6:30 PM	Confirmation
Sat 4/6	11-1 PM	Spring Luncheon & Music @
		Spring Garden, Welch MN
SUN 3/31	9 am	EASTER DAY WORSHIP
WED 4/3	6 PM	WED WORSHIP
	6:30 PM	Confirmation
Sat 4/6	11-1 РМ	Spring Salad Luncheon & Music
		Prog. @ Spring Garden/ Welch
		-See flyrs for more info-
Sun 4/7	9 am	WORSHIP
	10 AM	S/School, Coffee, FAITH+LEAD**
		VIDEO SERIES begins
	11 -1:30	KAIC Soup Fundraiser @ Gol
		Live Auction at 12:30

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