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Prelude

i HYMN: "Jesus Lives, The Victory's Won" - LSB #490, stanzas 1, 4, 5



1. Je - sus lives! The vic - t'ry's won! Death no long - er
4. Je - sus lives! I know full well Noth - ing me from
5. Je - sus lives! And now is death But the gate of



can ap - pall me; Je - sus lives! Death's reign is done!
Him shall sev - er. Nei - ther death nor pow'rs of hell
life im - mor - tal; This shall calm my trem - bling breath



From the grave will Christ re - call me. Bright - er
Part me now from Christ for - ev - er. God will
When I pass its gloom - y por - tal. Faith shall



scenes will then com - mence; This shall be my con - fi - dence.
be my sure de - fense; This shall be my con - fi - dence.
cry, as fails each sense; Je - sus is my con - fi - dence.

Faith Lutheran Church
Green Bay, Wisconsin

INVOCATION

In the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

This is my commandment,
that you love one another as I have loved you.

You did not choose me,
but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit

These things I command you,
so that you will love one another. (John 15)

Alleluia, Christ is risen!
He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

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.

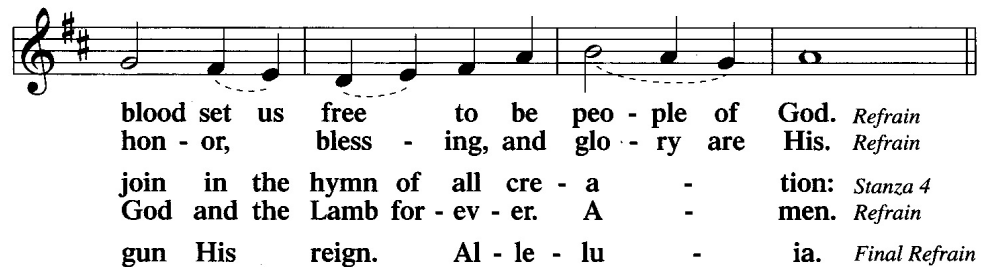
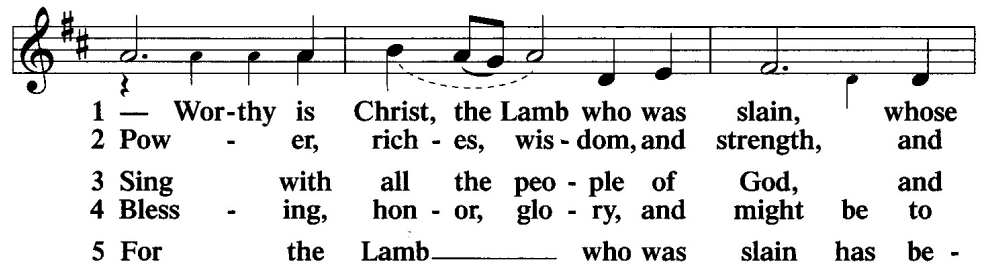
Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. 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. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. 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. Amen.

Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE: "This is the Feast"

verse 1 - women; verse 2 - men;
verse 3 - women (double verse; no refrain between); verse 4 - men



The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

SALUTATION and COLLECT OF THE DAY



P The Lord be with you.



G And al - so with you.

O God, the giver of all that is good, by Your holy inspiration grant that we may think those things that are right and by Your merciful guiding accomplish them; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



G A - men.

+ SCRIPTURES FOR THE DAY +

FIRST READING

Acts 10: 34-48

So Peter opened his mouth and said: "Truly I understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. As for the word that he sent to Israel, preaching good news of peace through Jesus Christ (he is Lord of all), you yourselves know what happened throughout all Judea, beginning from Galilee after the baptism that John proclaimed: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power. He went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him.

And we are witnesses of all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree, but God raised him on the third day and made him to appear, not to all the people but to us who had been chosen by God as witnesses, who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. And he commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one appointed by God to be judge of the living and the dead. To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

While Peter was still saying these things, the Holy Spirit fell on all who heard the word. And the believers from among the circumcised who had come with Peter were amazed, because the gift of the Holy Spirit was poured out even on the Gentiles. For they were hearing them speaking in tongues and extolling God.

Then Peter declared, "Can anyone withhold water for baptizing these people, who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?" And he commanded them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they asked him to remain for some days.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE

1 John 5:1-8

Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the Father loves whoever has been born of him. By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome. For everyone who has been born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world— our faith. Who is it that overcomes the world except the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

This is he who came by water and blood— Jesus Christ; not by the water only but by the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one who testifies, because the Spirit is the truth. For there are three that testify: the Spirit and the water and the blood; and these three agree.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL VERSE



We know that Christ being raised from the dead will never | die again;
death no longer has dominion | over him.



The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the fifteenth chapter.
Glory to You, O Lord

HOLY GOSPEL

John 15:9-17

As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full.

"This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for his friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. No longer do I call you servants, for the servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all that I have heard from my Father I have made known to you. You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit and that your fruit should abide, so that whatever you ask the Father in my name, he may give it to you. These things I command you, so that you will love one another.

This is the Gospel of the Lord
Praise to You O Christ.

Children's Message Alex Wright - *Director of Christian Education*

NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures; and ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of Life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the Prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE MESSAGE: Pastor Joshua Errer

INSTALLATION OF DEACONESS FIELD WORK STUDENT

Dierdre Batiansila

HYMN: "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" - LSB #770

1 What a friend we have in Je - sus, All our sins and griefs to bear!
 2 Have we tri - als and temp-ta-tions? Is there trou-ble an - y-where?
 3 Are we weak and heav - y lad - en, Cum - bered with a load of care?

What a priv - i - lege to car - ry Ev - 'ry-thing to God in prayer!
 We should nev - er be dis - cour - aged— Take it to the Lord in prayer.
 Pre - cious Sav - ior, still our ref - uge— Take it to the Lord in prayer.

Oh, what peace we of - ten for - feit; Oh, what need - less pain we bear—
 Can we find a friend so faith - ful Who will all our sor - rows share?
 Do thy friends de - spise, for - sake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer.

All be - cause we do not car - ry Ev - 'ry-thing to God in prayer!
 Je - sus knows our ev - 'ry weak - ness—Take it to the Lord in prayer.
 In His arms He'll take and shield thee; Thou wilt find a sol - ace there.

PRAYERS

+ SACRAMENT +
 (adapted from Divine Service, Setting Two in *Lutheran Service Book*, p. 177)

PREFACE

P The Lord be with you.
C And al - so 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 Him thanks and praise.

PROPER PREFACE

SANCTUS

C Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of
 pow'r and might: Heav'n and earth are full of Your
 glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
 Bless - ed is He who comes in the name
 of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PAX DOMINI



P The peace of the Lord be with you al - ways.



C A - men.

AGNUS DEI



C Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the world;



have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the



sin of the world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of



God, You take a-way the sin of the world;



grant us peace, grant us peace.



COMMUNION HYMNS:

"At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing" - LSB #633 (alternate tune)



1. At the Lamb's high feast we sing Praise to our vic-
2. Where the Pas - chal blood is poured, Death's dread an - gel
3. Might - y vic - tim from the sky, Hell's fierce pow'rs be -
4. Eas - ter tri - umph, Eas - ter joy! This a - lone can



to - rious King, Who has washed us in the tide
sheathes the sword; Is - rael's hosts tri - um - phant go
neath You lie; You have con - quered in the fight,
sin de - stroy; From sins pow'r Lord set us free,



Flow - ing from His pierc - ed side. Praise we Him, whose
Through the wave that drowns the foe. Praise we Christ, whose
You have brought us life and light. Now no more can
New - born souls in You to be. Fa - ther, who the



blood di - vine Gives His sa - cred blood for wine, Gives His
blood was shed, Pas - chal vic - tim, Pas - chal bread; With sin
death ap - pall, Now no more the grave en - thrall; You have
crown shall give, Sav - ior, by whose death we live, Spir - it,



bo - dy for the feast; Christ the vic - tim, Christ the priest.
cer - i - ty and love Eat we man - na from a - bove.
o - pened par - a - dise, And Your saints in You shall rise.
guide through all our days: Three in One, Your name we praise.

"Jesus Loves Me, This I Know" - stanzas 1 and 2, *LSB #588, My First Hymnal* p. 84
stanza 3, *This Far by Faith #249*

1 Jesus loves me, this I know,
for the Bible tells me so.
Little ones to him belong;
they are weak, but he is strong.

Refrain: Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

2 Jesus loves me he who died
heaven's gate to open wide.
He will wash away my sin,
let his little child come in. [Refrain]

3 Jesus loves me, He will stay
close beside me all the way;
when at last I come to die,
he will take me home on high. [Refrain]

"We Walk By Faith" - *LSB #720*

! POST-COMMUNION COLLECT
Amen.

Let us bless the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

BENEDICTION
Amen

Alleluia! Christ is Risen!
He is Risen indeed! Alleluia!

RECOGNITION OF MOTHERS

! HYMN: "Sent Forth by God's Blessing" - *LSB #643*

1 Sent forth by God's blessing,
Our true faith confessing,
The people of God from His dwelling take leave.
The supper is ended.
O now be extended
The fruits of this service in all who believe.
The seed of His teaching,
Receptive souls reaching,
Shall blossom in action for God and for all.
His grace did invite us,
His love shall unite us
To work for God's kingdom and answer His call.

2 With praise and thanksgiving
To God everliving,
The tasks of our ev'ryday life we will face.
Our faith ever sharing,
In love ever caring,
Embracing His children of each tribe and race.
With Your feast You feed us,
With Your light now lead us,
Unite us as one in this life that we share.
Then may all the living
With praise and thanksgiving
Give honor to Christ and His name that we bear.

Postlude *Sinfonia and Chorale* from Cantata #4, "Christ Lay in Death's Strong Bands" - J. S. Bach, arr. E. Power Biggs

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FAITH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
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ASCENSION DAY

We invite you to join us for Ascension Day Service on Thursday, May 13 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Montpelier at 7:30 pm. We will join with other LCMS churches in our circuit to celebration of the Ascension of our Lord.

MOTHER'S DAY BLESSINGS

"Her children rise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her: 'Many women have done excellently, but you surpass them all.' Charm is deceitful, and beauty is vain, but a woman who fears the LORD is to be praised."
 -Proverbs 31:28-30

ATTENTION CLASS OF 2021

If you are graduating this year from high school or college, we would like to congratulate you on your upcoming special milestone. On Sunday, June 6 at either the 8:00 or 9:30 am service, your church family would like to share in this special day and have you be a part of our worship service. Please contact the church office at (920) 435-5524 or flcgb.office@gmail.com with your contact information so we can celebrate with you.

INSTALLATION DEIRDRE BATIANSILA

Deirdre Batiansila has been attending Faith Lutheran Church since her return from Leipzig, Germany in 2019. She worked with LCMS partner church, SELK, helping their mission to inner-city Germans and Middle Eastern refugees. Before her 16 months in Germany, she lived in Grafton, WI. She was active at her congregation, Luther Memorial Chapel in Shorewood in different capacities including International Outreach, Board of Education activities, and coffee hour lady. She is happy to be able to help here at Faith. Deirdre's deaconess studies are primarily online with on-campus intensive learning sessions two times a year at Concordia Theological Seminary in Ft Wayne, IN. These classes, as well as work with the congregation, will help in forming her service to the Lord. Deirdre is the oldest daughter of Rev A.E. Batiansila (deceased) and Christa Batiansila who is a member of Faith. You might have heard the ten Batiansila family sing during a Sunday morning service. Deirdre homeschooled her five children, four of whom are married, and is now Mimi to eleven grandchildren.

WOMEN OF FAITH

Gentle reminder: there are still copies of the "Lutheran Woman's Quarterly" and "Mission Tidings" available in the Tract Rack and on the LWML (Lutheran Women in Mission) counter. Lotsa interesting reading! Also, you're invited to help plan and serve at the LWML Fall Rally (mini retreat) at St. John-Pulaski-please contact Arlene Doepke @ 920-676-1403 or arcon824@gmail.com for details. God bless your Summer



PIZZA RANCH

Monday, May 17th. One of Trinity's favorite places-PIZZA RANCH! This one starts at 4pm and runs till 7pm. The 8th graders will be working this one, serving you, cleaning your tables, and doing their very best to give you a great experience! 10% of the sales from 4pm-7pm go to the 8th grade class on this night! (online or pickup orders do not count-only dine in.)



GIVE BLOOD ON MAY 11

Red Cross Blood Drive is March 9, from 12:30-5:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. It will be by appointment only. Visit redcrossblood.org to schedule an appointment today!



BATHROOM RENOVATIONS

We are excited to announce that we are remodeling the bathrooms by the office wing. Please be patient as we begin this process and be aware that you will need to use the bathrooms down by the Preschool. Thank you!

We pray for:
 Joy Anderson
 Karin Barth
 Sharon Bauer
 Darlene Dahlke
 Al Juza
 Sharon Kussow
 Lil LaRue
 Shirley Mitchell
 Nancy Moede
 Lucas Raby
 Lois Stirdivant
 Milt Stirdivant
 Kelly Tollar
 Jean Zimmerman
 Rick Zimmerman
 Faith's Inactive Members



pray for our shut-ins:
 Janice Cleven
 Darlene Dahlke
 Dan Fels
 Eugene Feldhausen
 Mary Ann Hermsen
 Toni Nelson
 Carol Walker
 Ken Vieth

Also pray for our extended family and friends of Faith:

Rob Hartfeld (brother of Natalie Jackson)
 John & Sally Hartfeld (parents of Natalie Jackson)
 Pastor Mike Ahlemeyer
 Teri Dittman (sister in law of Paul & Lori Reynolds)
 Matthew Lange (nephew of Paul & Lori Reynolds)
 Gary Miller (friend of Christa Batiansila)
 Luke Davison (former member of Faith)
 Liz Benecke (friend of Kay Hanna)
 Judy Tepe (friend of Connie and Randy Lenz)
 Kathy Anderson (sister of Paul Heiser)
 Maynard Luster (father of Martie and Jack Roubal)
 Pastor Pett (Redeemer Lutheran Church)
 Kurt, Sue, & Heidi Schwedler (family of Kay Hanna)
 Harold Wilson (brother of Sandy Olson)
 Doug Behl (student of Green Bay Trinity Lutheran)
 Susanne Hoehneke (friend of Birgit Harms)
 Marjorie Wallenfang (mother of Karen Mielke)
 Jill (friend of Karin Barth)
 Mary Jo Walch (wife of Jeff Walch and daughter-in-law of Bob Walch)
 Nadine & Luca Korab (friends of Janice Luhrs)
 Mike Walschinski (grandson of Angie Dobratz)

Ellyn Baril (aunt of Scott Stiles)
 Sydney Miracle (niece of Robin and Brian Paul)
 Jim Shearer (brother-in-law of Andrew & Sue Mansfield)
 Ted Schwenker (father of Molly Krueger)
 Isaiah Phillips (grandson of Allan and Eleanore Juza)
 Derek Kosmicki (nephew-in-law of Louisa Schauer)
 Rose Walschinski (grand-daughter of Angie Dobratz)
 Delores Kinne (grandmother of Angela Stiles)
 Charlie Cheslock (grandson of Keith & Jolene Cheslock)
 Jeanne Fellenz (mother of Tiffany Hoffman)
 Jackson Kieth (infant relative of Marv Kovach)
 Bob Falkenhagen (brother-in-law of Pat Falkenhagen)
 Kevin Klover (brother of Kathy Ebert)
 Amy Kellerman (cousin of Linda Just)
 The Williamson Family (friends of Kelly Bagneski)
 Pastor Jeff Dobratz (son of Angela Dobratz)
 Jean Newkirk (friend of Marian Kovach)
 Melody Vollmer (granddaughter of Kelly & Mike Tollar)
 Andrea Laroque (friend of Toni Nelson)

FAITH'S ACTIVE MILITARY MEMBERS
 Nick Grygleski | Rachel Messerschmidt

Due to the increased number of requests, please review the extended family prayer list and contact the office at flcgb.office@gmail.com with any removals, edits, and/or additions. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.



Altar Bouquet 1	Altar Bouquet 2	Center Altar Bouquet	Baptismal Font Bouquet
In Loving Memory of Hilde Oltersdorf -By Birgit Harms	In Celebration of Of Paul & Lori Reynolds 35th Wedding Anniversary	In Celebration Of Ella Roubal's 17th Birthday on May 6	In Memory of Allan Norman -By Family

2021 ALTAR FLOWER SIGN UP

The sign up for 2021 altar flowers is available at the Welcome Center. The cost is \$15.00 per bouquet. Flowers are available to take home after the Monday night service. You may also sign up by calling the church office at 920-435-5524.

If you would like to add someone to the prayer list, please email flcgb.office@gmail.com.