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**April 12, 2020**

**Easter Sunday**

Welcome to St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church. If you are a guest or visitor with us today, we welcome you and invite you to come and worship with us again. Please take the time to introduce yourself to Pastor Hayes, and we hope to see you again soon.

Remember that the Worship Service begins when you enter. As the Music for Meditation begins, you are invited to join in quiet, preparation time for worship. Before the service, speak to the Lord; during the service, let the Lord speak to you; after the service, speak to one another.

### Liturgy – Matins (LSB 219)

Opening Hymn: 457 “Jesus Christ Is Risen Today”

Hymn of the Day: 461 “I Know That My Redeemer Lives”

Closing Hymn: 480 “He’s Risen, He’s Risen”

### PRAYER REQUESTS

Please e-mail prayer requests to Pastor Hayes at [pastor.hayes@outlook.com](mailto:pastor.hayes@outlook.com).

Prayer requests will remain for 2 weeks unless you specify a length of time.

**JoAnn Ohlde - chemotherapy**

**Cody Ohlde - surgery**

**Robbie Oelschlager – chronic pain**

**Kelly & Quinn Rhoades**

*As We Gather... Christ's Resurrection Means That We Will One Day Be Raised*

“Christ, our Passover lamb, has been sacrificed” (1 Cor. 5:7). By the shed blood of Christ, the Lamb of God, eternal death has passed over us. Now we pass with Christ through death into life everlasting. For Christ the crucified One is risen! The stone has been rolled away from the tomb, revealing that the tomb could not hold Him (Mark 16:1–8). Now our Redeemer lives eternally to save us from sin and Satan and the grave, and we can live in the sure hope of our own bodily resurrection with Christ. “After my skin has been thus destroyed, yet in my flesh I shall see God” (Job 19:26). Feasting on the living Christ, who is our meat and drink indeed, we boldly say: “O death, where is your victory? O death, where is your sting? . . . But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ” (1 Cor. 15:54–55, 57).

### Lord's Prayer

**C** 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.

**L** The Lord be with you.

**C** And with thy spirit.

### Collect of the Day

Almighty God the Father, through Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, You have overcome death and opened the gate of everlasting life to us. Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of our Lord's resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin by Your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

### Additional Prayers

### Collect for Grace

**L** O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, You have safely brought us to the beginning of this day. Defend us in the same with Your mighty power and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger, but that all our doings, being ordered by Your governance, may be righteous in Your sight; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

### Benedicamus

**L** Let us bless the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

### Benediction

**P** The grace of our Lord T Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C** Amen.

*(closing hymn on back)*

and at the last he will stand upon the earth.  
 26 And after my skin has been thus destroyed,  
 yet in my flesh I shall see God,  
 27 whom I shall see for myself,  
 and my eyes shall behold, and not another.  
 My heart faints within me!"

### Epistle Reading: *1 Corinthians 15:51-57*

51 Behold! I tell you a mystery. We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed, 52 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. 53 For this perishable body must put on the imperishable, and this mortal body must put on immortality. 54 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."  
 55 "O death, where is your victory?  
 O death, where is your sting?"

56 The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. 57 But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

### Gospel Reading: *Mark 16:1-8*

1 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. 2 And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. 3 And they were saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance of the tomb?" 4 And looking up, they saw that the stone had been rolled back—it was very large. 5 And entering the tomb, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, dressed in a white robe, and they were alarmed. 6 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. 7 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." 8 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.

### Responsory (Easter)

- L Sing to the Lord and bless His name, proclaim His salvation from day to day.  
 C **Give to the Lord all glory and strength, give Him the honor due His name. Alleluia, alleluia.**  
 L Now is Christ risen from the dead and become the firstfruits of them that sleep.  
 C **Give to the Lord all glory and strength, give Him the honor due His name. Alleluia, alleluia.**  
 L Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.  
 C **Give to the Lord all glory and strength, give Him the honor due His name. Alleluia, alleluia.**

### Sermon

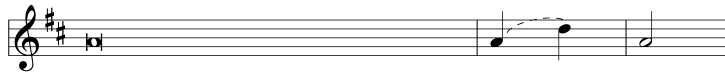
### Kyrie

- C Lord, have mercy;  
 Christ, have mercy;  
 Lord, have mercy.

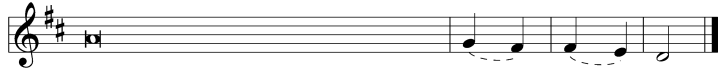
### 457 Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

- 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 grave, 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!
- 4 Sing we to our God above, Alleluia!  
 Praise eternal as His love; Alleluia!  
 Praise Him, all ye heav'nly host, Alleluia!  
 Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia!
- L O Lord, open my lips,  
 C **and my mouth will declare Your praise.**  
 L Make haste, O God, to deliver me;  
 C make haste to help me, O Lord.  
 C **Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;  
 as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.  
 Praise to You, O Christ. Alleluia.**

### Venite



1 Let us come into His presence with thanks - giv - ing,  
2 The deep places of the earth are . . . . . in His hand;  
3 O come, let us worship and . . . . . bow down,  
4 For He . . . . . is our God,  
5 as it was in the be - gin - ning,



1 let us make a joyful noise to . . . . . Him with songs of praise.  
2 the strength of the hills is . . . . . His al - so.  
3 let us kneel before the . . . . . Lord, our mak - er.  
4 and we are the people of His pasture and the sheep of His hand.  
5 is now, and will be for - ev - er. A - men.

L The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.  
C O come, let us worship Him.

## Psalm

*Psalm 118:15-29; antiphon: v. 1*

<sup>15</sup>Glad songs of salvation  
are in the tents of the righteous:  
“The right hand of the LORD does valiantly,  
<sup>16</sup>**the right hand of the LORD exalts,  
the right hand of the LORD does valiantly!”**  
<sup>17</sup>I shall not die, but I shall live,  
and recount the deeds of the LORD.  
<sup>18</sup>**The LORD has disciplined me severely,  
but he has not given me over to death.**  
<sup>19</sup>Open to me the gates of righteousness,  
that I may enter through them  
and give thanks to the LORD.  
<sup>20</sup>**This is the gate of the LORD;  
the righteous shall enter through it.**  
<sup>21</sup>I thank you that you have answered me  
and have become my salvation.  
<sup>22</sup>**The stone that the builders rejected  
has become the cornerstone.**  
<sup>23</sup>This is the LORD’s doing;  
it is marvelous in our eyes.  
<sup>24</sup>**This is the day that the LORD has made;  
let us rejoice and be glad in it.**  
<sup>25</sup>Save us, we pray, O LORD!  
O LORD, we pray, give us success!  
<sup>26</sup>**Blessèd is he who comes in the name of the LORD!  
We bless you from the house of the LORD.**  
<sup>27</sup>The LORD is God,  
and he has made his light to shine upon us.  
Bind the festal sacrifice with cords,  
up to the horns of the altar!

<sup>28</sup>**You are my God, and I will give thanks to you;  
you are my God; I will extol you.**  
<sup>29</sup>Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good;  
for his steadfast love endures forever!

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

## 461 I Know That My Redeemer Lives

- 1 I know that my Redeemer lives;  
What comfort this sweet sentence gives!  
He lives, He lives, who once was dead;  
He lives, my ever-living head.
- 2 He lives triumphant from the grave;  
He lives eternally to save;  
He lives all-glorious in the sky;  
He lives exalted there on high.
- 3 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.
- 4 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.
- 5 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.
- 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 Jesus, still the same;  
Oh, the sweet joy this sentence gives:  
I know that my Redeemer lives!

## Old Testament Reading: *Job 19:23-27*

- <sup>23</sup> “Oh that my words were written!  
Oh that they were inscribed in a book!
- <sup>24</sup> Oh that with an iron pen and lead  
they were engraved in the rock forever!
- <sup>25</sup> For I know that my Redeemer lives,

## 480 He's Risen, He's Risen

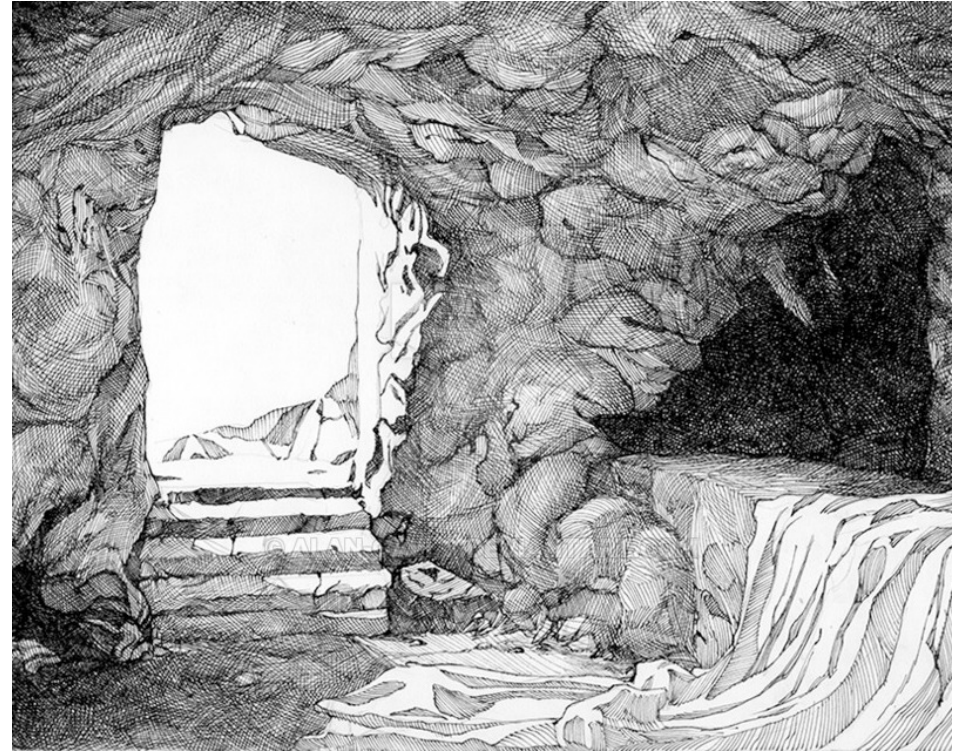
- 1 He's risen, He's risen, Christ Jesus, the Lord;  
He opened death's prison, the incarnate, true Word.  
Break forth, hosts of heaven, in jubilant song  
And earth, sea, and mountain their praises prolong.
  - 2 The foe was triumphant when on Calvary  
The Lord of creation was nailed to the tree.  
In Satan's domain did the hosts shout and jeer,  
For Jesus was slain, whom the evil ones fear.
  - 3 But short was their triumph; the Savior arose,  
And death, hell, and Satan He vanquished, His foes.  
The conquering Lord lifts His banner on high;  
He lives, yes, He lives, and will nevermore die.
  - 4 O, where is your sting, death? We fear you no more;  
Christ rose, and now open is fair Eden's door.  
For all our transgressions His blood does atone;  
Redeemed and forgiven, we now are His own.
- D 5 Then sing your hosannas and raise your glad voice;  
Proclaim the blest tidings that all may rejoice.  
Laud, honor, and praise to the Lamb that was slain:  
With Father and Spirit He ever shall reign.

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### Announcements

- \* The LWML is in the process of updating the Prayer Chain and also the list of those willing to participate in the Meals for Moms activity. Meals for Moms provide several meals to families in the congregation who have newborns. If you would like to be ADDED to the prayer chain, please let Deb Ohlde know by text or call at 785-275-2499 or dcohlde@nckcn.com. You can choose to be notified by text, call, email and/or via a closed Facebook group. If you would like to become involved in the Meals for Moms activity, please talk with Annette Bott. You can also get in touch with Deb or Annette if you presently participate and don't wish to continue. We would like to thank everyone who helped with the "Meals for Mom's" project this past year.
- \* On behalf of St John Lutheran Church, we would like to thank you for your outpouring of generosity and support of the COVID-19 relief campaign through the Thrivent Personal Donation Fund of InFaith Community Foundation.
- \* St. John is looking for one or two people who would be willing to serve as a volunteer for our congregation's Thrivent coordinator. Responsibilities would mainly be coming up with ideas for funding, assisting members to apply for action grants, and helping members designate their choice dollars. If you would be willing to help, please contact Annette Bott. Thank you!
- \* This week on KFuo.org, we wish everyone a blessed Easter. We begin a new series "The Righteousness of God for You" studying the book of Romans on Sharper Iron **(weekdays at 8:00 a.m.)**, continue studying the book of Revelation on Thy Strong Word **(weekdays at 11:00 a.m.)**, and worship with us in Daily Chapel at **10:00 a.m.** Find programs on demand at kfuo.org!

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*The Resurrection of Our Lord*

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