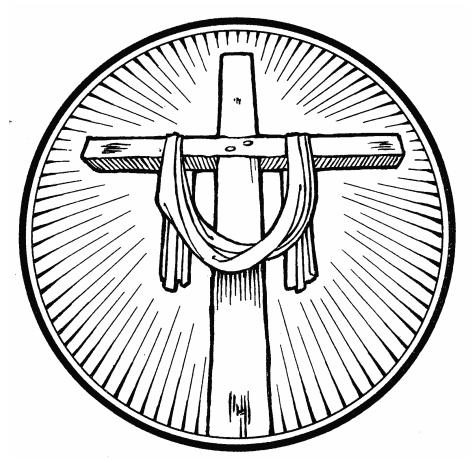
St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church The Resurrection of Our Lord Easter Day

Pastor Erik Sorenson



April 4, 2021

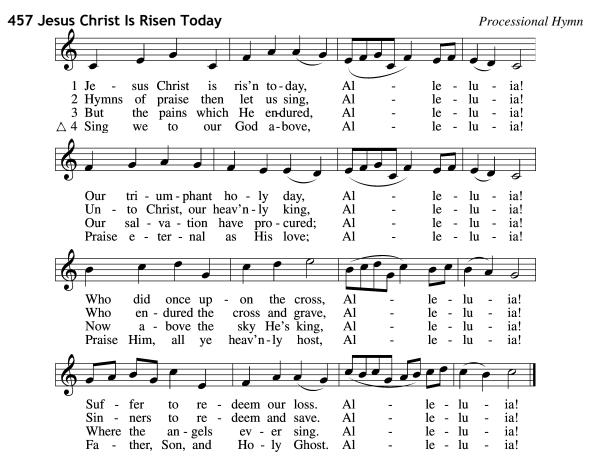
MEMBERS AND GUESTS:

To listen via radio, please tune to AM 750.

We will celebrate Holy Communion during our worship service this morning. Pastor will come to the parking lot to distribute communion following the worship service.

Easter Acclamation

- P Alleluia! Christ is risen!
- C He is risen indeed! Alleluia!



Confession and Absolution

- **P** In the name of the Father and of the

 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.
- **P** If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
- **B**ut if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.
- **P** 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.

- P 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.
- C Amen.

Service of the Word

Introit

Exodus 15:2a, 6, 13, 17–18; antiphon: v. 1b

I will sing to the LORD, for he has triumphed gloriously;

the horse and his rider he has thrown into the sea.

The LORD is my strength and my song,

and he has become my salvation.

Your right hand, O LORD, glorious in power,

your right hand, O LORD, shatters the enemy.

You have led in your steadfast love the people whom you have redeemed;

you have guided them by your strength to your holy abode.

You will bring them in and plant them on your own mountain,

the place, O LORD, which you have made for your abode,

the sanctuary, O Lord, which your hands have established.

The LORD will reign forever and ever.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son

and to the Holy Spirit;

as it was in the beginning,

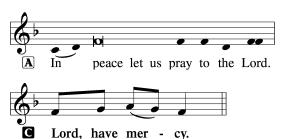
is now, and will be forever. Amen.

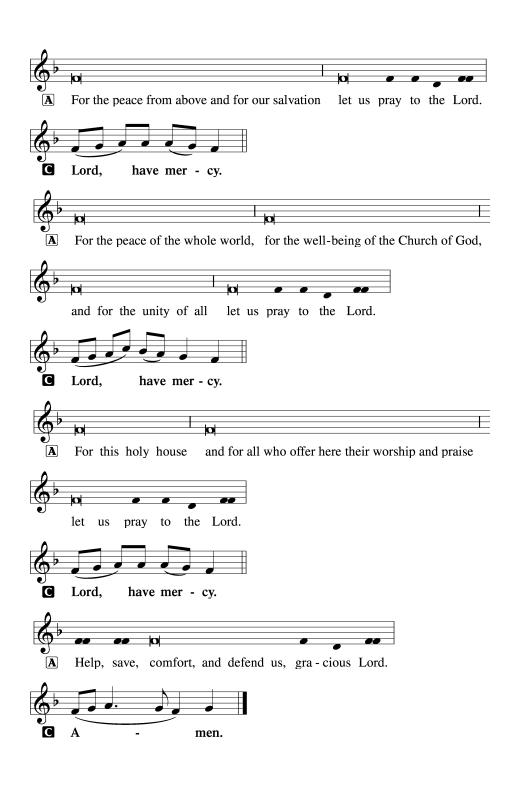
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Kyrie

LSB 152





This Is the Feast LSB 155



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Salutation and Collect of the Day



Al-le - lu - ia,

LSB 156



P Let us pray.

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.



Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 25:6-9

LSB 156

- **A** This is the Word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.

Gradual

adapt. from Matthew 28:7; Hebrews 2:7; Psalm 8:6

Christ has risen from the dead.

[God the Father] has crowned him with glory and honor.

He has given him dominion over the works of his hands;

he has put all things under his feet.

Epistle 1 Corinthians 15:1–11

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.





Holy Gospel Mark 16:1-8

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the sixteenth chapter.



P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Nicene Creed LSB 158

C 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.



5 Here our true Paschal Lamb we see, Whom God so freely gave us; He died on the accursèd tree— So strong His love—to save us. See, His blood now marks our door; Faith points to it; death passes o'er, And Satan cannot harm us. Alleluia!

- 6 So let us keep the festival
 To which the Lord invites us;
 Christ is Himself the joy of all,
 The sun that warms and lights us.
 Now His grace to us imparts
 Eternal sunshine to our hearts;
 The night of sin is ended.
 Alleluia!
- 7 Then let us feast this Easter Day
 On Christ, the bread of heaven;
 The Word of grace has purged away
 The old and evil leaven.
 Christ alone our souls will feed;
 He is our meat and drink indeed;
 Faith lives upon no other!
 Alleluia!

Sermon Just as He Told You

Prayer of the Church



Service of the Sacrament

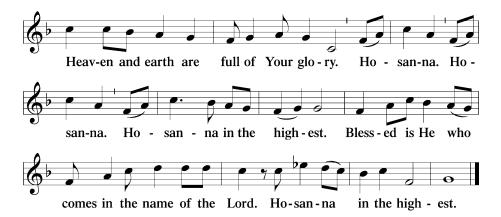
Preface LSB 160



Proper Preface LSB 161

P It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God. And most especially are we bound to praise You on this day for the glorious resurrection of Your Son, Jesus Christ, the very Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us and bore the sins of the world. By His dying He has destroyed death, and by His rising again He has restored to us everlasting life. Therefore with Mary Magdalene, Peter and John, and with all the witnesses of the resurrection, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:





Prayer of Thanksgiving

LSB 161

P Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross.

Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit. Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Lord's Prayer LSB 162

P Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

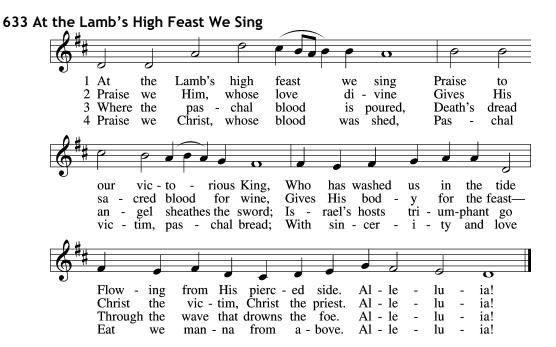
Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name,
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done on earth
as it is in heaven;
give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those
who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom
and the power and the glory
forever and ever. Amen.

Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My + body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My + blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

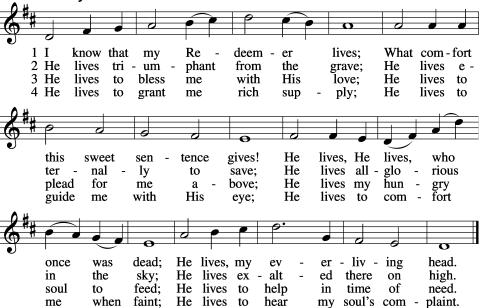


Distribution & Hymns



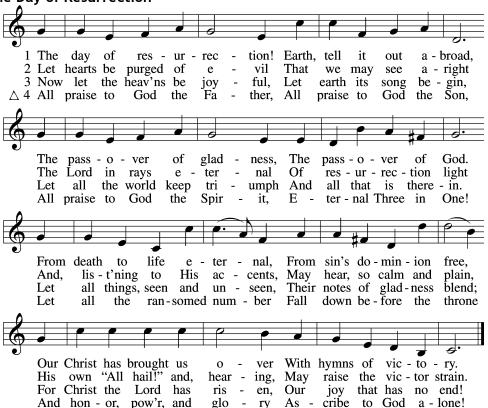
- Mighty Victim from the sky, Hell's fierce pow'rs beneath You lie; You have conquered in the fight, You have brought us life and light. Alleluia!
- 6 Now no more can death appall, Now no more the grave enthrall; You have opened paradise, And Your saints in You shall rise. Alleluia!
- 7 Easter triumph, Easter joy! This alone can sin destroy; From sin's pow'r, Lord, set us free, Newborn souls in You to be. Alleluia!
- △ 8 Father, who the crown shall give,
 Savior, by whose death we live,
 Spirit, guide through all our days:
 Three in One, Your name we praise.
 Alleluia!

461 I Know That My Redeemer Lives



- 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.
- 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!

478 The Day of Resurrection



464 The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done





LSB 165

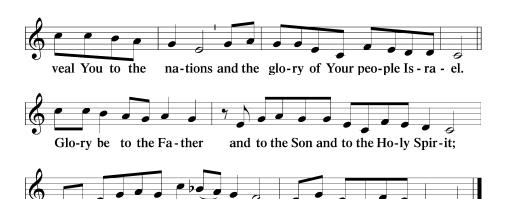


Lord, now You let Your ser-vant go in peace; Your word has been ful-



My own eyes have seen the sal - va-tion which You have prefilled.





Post-Communion Collect

LSB 166

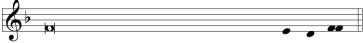
A Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

and will be for-ev-er. A - men.



Benediction LSB 166



P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now,

The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.





Easter Acclamation

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Announcements for the Week of April 4, 2021

This Week:

Sunday	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs,	Fri.	Sat.
4/4	4/5	4/6	4/7	4/8	4/9	4/10
6:30 AM – Easter Sunrise (C)						
7:15-8:40 AM – Easter Breakfast/						
Sunday School		2:00 PM -		6:00 PM – 150 th Ann.		
9:00 – Divine Service (C)		Online		Planning Mtg.		
		Devotion		7:00 PM – Church		
				Board Mtg.		

Birthdays & Anniversaries: 3/24/2021 – 23 3/28/2021 – 121

4/4: Job Willman Seminary Student: \$93.00 Operating Fund: \$3062.00 4/5: Philip Lee Synodical Fund: \$100.00

4/7: Kevin Schultz, Mark Wiesehan, Larry & Saundra Phelps

Lord's Supper on Easter: Please take note that this morning the Lord's Supper will be offered at both the 6:30 AM Sunrise service and the 9:00 AM service this morning.

Easter Breakfast: The Youth Group will serve an Easter breakfast this morning between the sunrise and Divine Service on Easter (April 4). We will plan on serving the breakfast from about 7:15-8:40 AM.

Easter Sunday Seating: If you have family coming this morning, please feel free to sit together in consecutive pews, moving the dividers as needed. This will allow for maximum capacity while also maintaining proper distancing. Likewise, if the church is starting to fill, consider sitting with someone else <u>if and only if you and they are comfortable sitting together.</u> We want to ensure that everyone who wishes to attend will be able to while also allowing everyone to be spaced apart as they desire.

Quarterly Voters' Meeting: Our next quarterly voters' meeting is scheduled for Sunday, April 11th, immediately following the worship service.

Below you will find a model you can use for your personal or family devotions that focuses you on the readings from the previous Sunday, while also preparing you for what you will hear the following Sunday. In modeling your devotions this way, you and your family can stay united to the church year and reinforce what you hear, sing, and pray every Sunday.

Mon. 4/5: Read the Old Testament lesson: Isaiah 25:6-9 – By the resurrection of Christ, God has swallowed up death forever and forgiven us all of our sins. We rejoice in this because it is our salvation.
 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 458 – Christ Jesus Lay in Death's Strong Bands Pray the 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. Amen.

- Tues. 4/6: Read the Epistle lesson: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 This is the Gospel which saves us: that Christ died, was buried, and was raised again from the dead.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 458 Christ Jesus Lay in Death's Strong Bands Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 4/5)
- Wed. 4/7: Read the Gospel lesson: Mark 16:1-8 The crucified One is no longer in the tomb, but risen for our life, salvation, and resurrection!

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 458 Christ Jesus Lay in Death's Strong Bands Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 4/5)
- Thur. 4/8:

 Read the first lesson: Acts 4:32-35 As we live in the light of Christ's resurrection, we are free to share everything with our neighbors because we know we have all we need in the crucified and risen Lord Jesus.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 470 O Sons and Daughters of the King Pray the Collect of the Day: Almighty God, grant that we who have celebrated the Lord's resurrection may by Your grace confess in our life and conversation that Jesus is Lord and God; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.
- Fri. 4/9: Read the Epistle lesson: 1 John 1:1-2:2 Though we live in a world of darkness and still sin, Jesus advocates for us before the Father and brings us forgiveness through His blood and resurrection.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 470 O Sons and Daughters of the King Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 4/8)
- Sat. 4/10: Read the Gospel lesson: John 20:19-31 The Scriptures are written so we may share in the faith of Thomas who confessed that Jesus is Lord and God. This faith is given to us through Christ's servants in the Office of the Holy Ministry who preach the Word and forgive our sins in the stead and by the command of Jesus.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 470 O Sons and Daughters of the King Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 4/8)