St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church Seventh Sunday of Easter

Full Service Bulletin
Pastor Erik Sorenson



May 21, 2023

MEMBERS AND GUESTS:

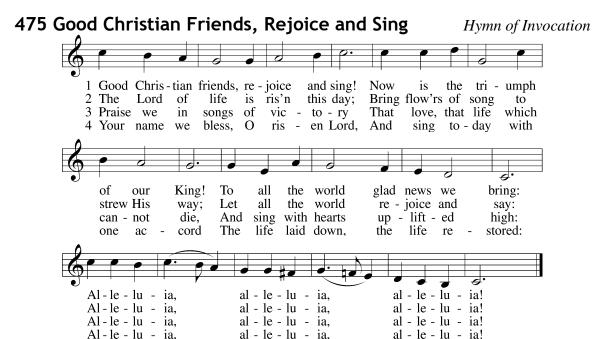
We will celebrate Holy Communion during our worship service this evening.

If you are partaking of the Lord's Supper, <u>please read and fill out one of the registration</u> <u>cards</u> on the back of the pew. You may place it in the offering plate or hand it to the usher.

To listen via radio, please tune to AM 750.

Communion Statement - The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until He comes. Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the Sacrament, are kindly asked first to speak with the pastor. In addition to this being our practice, we do not want our visitors to violate their own conscience or the public confession of faith that is made through their home Church membership. Those not receiving communion are invited to come forward with arms crossed to receive a blessing from the pastor. We thank you for respecting our practice. For further study, see Matt. 5:23f.; 10:32f.; 18:15–35; 26:26–29; 1 Cor. 11:17–34.

Confession and Absolution



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Invocation LSB 151

- 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.
- But 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.
- 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 Psalm 100; antiphon: Psalm 101:1

I will sing of steadfast love and justice; to you, O LORD, I will make music.

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth!

Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into his presence with singing!

Know that the LORD, he is God!

It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise!

Give thanks to him; bless his name!

For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

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.

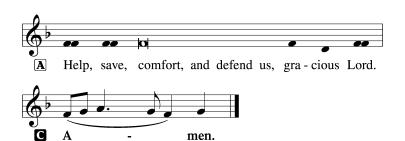
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Kyrie LSB 152



Lord,

have mer - cy.



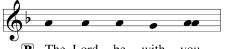
This Is the Feast

LSB 155



Salutation and Collect of the Day

LSB 156



P The Lord be with you.



C And al - so with you.

P Let us pray.

O King of glory, Lord of hosts, uplifted in triumph far above all heavens, leave us not without consolation but send us the Spirit of truth whom You promised from the Father; for You live and reign with Him and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



First Reading

Acts 1:12–26 (p. 909, p. 1156 LP)

- **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 Peter 4:12–19; 5:6–11 (p. 1016, p. 1296 LP)

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

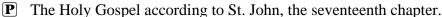
Alleluia and Verse

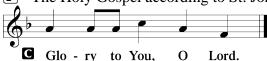
LSB 156



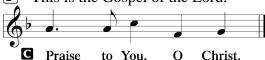
Holy Gospel

John 17:1–11 (p. 903, p. 1149 LP)









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.

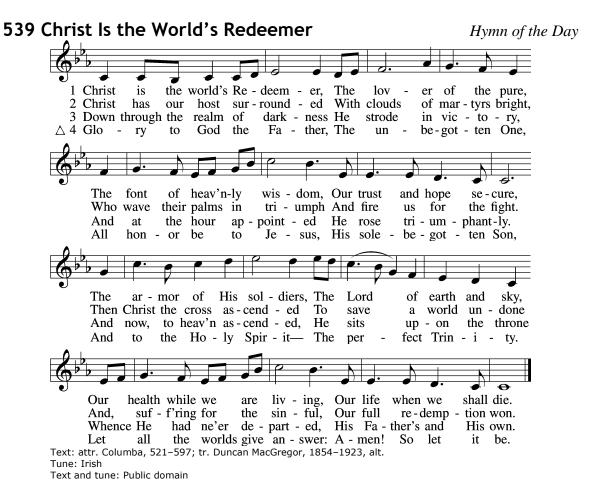
And I believe in the Holy Spirit,

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 \pm of the world to come. Amen.

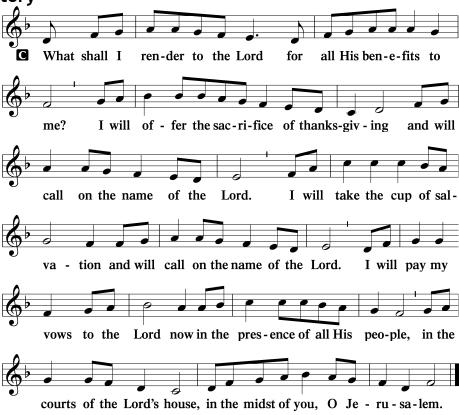


Sermon Given to Christ

Prayer of the Church

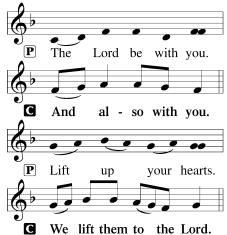
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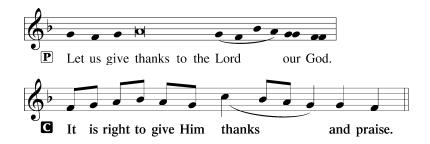
Offertory LSB 159



Service of the Sacrament

Preface LSB 160





Proper Preface

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, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who after His resurrection appeared openly to all His disciples and in their sight was taken up into heaven that He might make us partakers of His divine life. Therefore 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.

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.

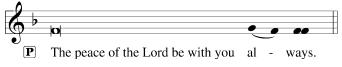
The Words of Our Lord

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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."

Pax Domini LSB 163



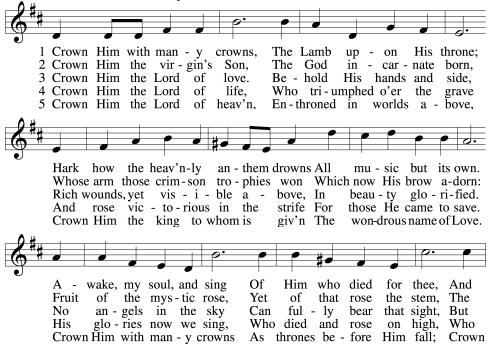






Distribution & Hymns

525 Crown Him with Many Crowns





hail Him as thy match-less king Through all e - ter - ni - ty.

root whence mer - cy ev - er flows, The babe of Beth - le - hem.

down-ward bend their won-d'ring eyes At mys-ter - ies so bright.

died e - ter - nal life to bring And lives that death may die.

Him, ye kings, with man - y crowns, For He is king of all.

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652 Father, We Thank Thee



1 Fa - ther, we thank Thee who hast plant - ed Thy ho - ly 2 Watch o'er Thy Church, O Lord, in mer - cy, Save it from











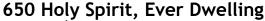
Bread e - ter - nal; Thine is the pow'r, be Thine the praise. Church be gath - ered In - to Thy king - dom by Thy Son.

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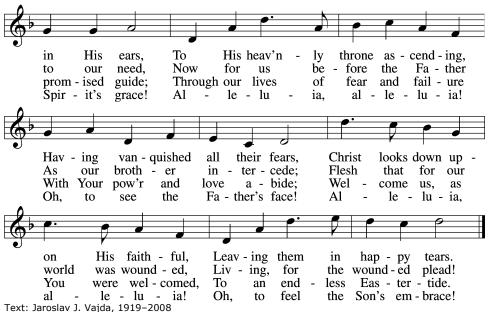
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491 Up through Endless Ranks of Angels





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C Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev-'ry-one what He has done.



Let all who seek the Lord re - joice and proud-ly bear His name.



He re-calls His prom-is - es and leads His peo-ple forth in joy



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.



Benediction LSB 166



P The Lord bless you and keep you.

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

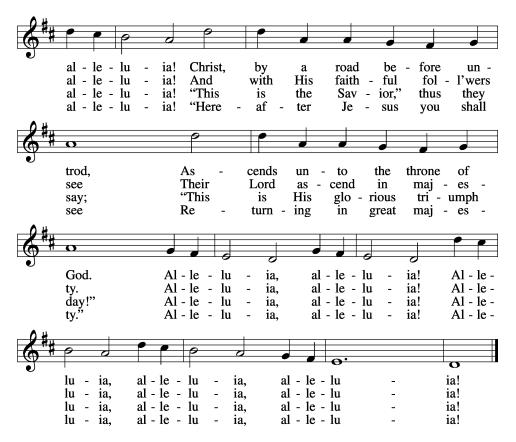
The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.





Closing Hymn





5 Be now our joy on earth, O Lord,
And be our future great reward.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Then, throned with You forever, we
Shall praise Your name eternally.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

6 O risen Christ, ascended Lord, All praise to You let earth accord: Alleluia, alleluia! You are, while endless ages run, With Father and with Spirit one. Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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Announcements for the Week of May 21, 2023

Sunday	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
5/21	5/22	5/23	5/24	5/25	5/26	5/27
9:00 AM – Divine Service 10:15 AM – Memorial Day flag ceremony, mortgage burning, & Sunday School celebration			6:30 PM – Wednesday Night Bible Study			

Birthdays & Anniversaries:

5/22: Nathan Finke

5/24: Kevin & JoAnn Trimpe

5/26: Hannelore Cox

Stewardship:

Budget per week: \$3135 5/14 offerings: \$2596

5/14 Synodical Fund: \$30

Mortgage balance: \$0 5/14 Building Fund: \$315

The altar flowers are given to the praise and glory of God

Wednesday Night Bible Study: This Wednesday at 6:30 PM. We will be studying different people in the Passion accounts

Clarity Baby Bottles: Available to pick-up. We will collect them through Father's Day (June 18th).

Mortgage Burning & Sunday School celebration: Today we will have a special mortgage burning ceremony in celebration of paying off the parsonage mortgage. This will follow the Memorial Day flag ceremony at the cemetery. As part of our celebration that day, we will have food and games as we also celebrate the completion of another year of Sunday School.

Texas Roadhouse Fundraiser: We will be having a Texas Roadhouse Fundraiser on Monday, June 12th from 4:00-9:30 PM. 10% of all purchases that night from people who have our flyer will be donated back to the church. Flyers are available in the narthex or on the table by the library. Take as many as you want and hand them out to family and friends!

Cemetery Trustees: If you are interested in becoming a cemetery trustee for our church cemetery, please speak to Pastor or a council member. Thank you to Rick Flohr and Eric Turner for their many years of service in this capacity!

Prayer List:

Teresa Lucas (shut-in)

Ron Cox (health issues)

Luella Holle (shut-in)

Bekah Brown

Carolyn Trimpe (health issues)

Larry Phelps (health issues)

Upcoming Acolytes:

5/28: Trevor Acree 6/4: Abe Acton 6/11: Rayleigh Acton

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. 5/22: Read the first lesson: Acts 1:12-26 The Lord chose Matthias to be numbered among the Apostles as a witness to the resurrection of Christ.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 539 Christ Is the World's Redeemer Pray the Collect of the Day: O King of glory, Lord of hosts, uplifted in triumph far above all heavens, leave us not without consolation but send us the Spirit of truth whom You promised from the Father; for You live and reign with Him and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.
- Tues. 5/23: Read the Epistle lesson: 1 Peter 4:12-19; 5:6-11 Resist the devil and stand firm in the faith for if you suffer for the sake of Christ, you are blessed. In fact, rejoice that you are counted worthy to share in suffering for the sake of Christ.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 539 Christ Is the World's Redeemer Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 5/22)
- Wed. 5/24: Read the Gospel lesson: John 17:1-11 Even as Christ prepares to ascend back to the Father, He prays for us because we are His and He gives us eternal life.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 539 Christ Is the World's Redeemer Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 5/22)
- Thur. 5/25:

 Read the Old Testament lesson: Numbers 11:24-30 The Holy Spirit is the One who comes upon us and speaks to us the Word of God. In this, we rejoice.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 497 Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord Pray the Collect of the Day: O God, on this day You once taught the hearts of Your faithful people by sending them the light of Your Holy Spirit. Grant us in our day by the same Spirit to have a right understanding in all things and evermore to rejoice in His holy consolation, through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.
- Fri. 5/26: Read the Epistle lesson: Acts 2:1-21 On the Day of Pentecost, the Lord poured out the Spirit so the proclamation of Christ may go out into all the world and everyone who hears Christ and calls on His name may be saved.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 497 Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 5/25)
- Sat. 5/27: Read the Gospel lesson: John 7:37-39 The Holy Spirit flows out of the hearts of the faithful always directing us back to Jesus Christ and Him crucified.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 497 Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 5/25)