

April 14, 2024 The Third Sunday of Easter

GATHERING

PRELUDE Fanfare on "Earth and All Stars"

Barnett

WELCOME

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another. Most merciful God

we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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. 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.

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

GATHERING HYMN

Alleluia, Jesus Is Risen

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GREETING

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

HYMN OF PRAISE

This is the Feast





PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray.

Holy and righteous God, you are the author of life, and you adopt us to be your children. Fill us with your words of life, that we may live as witnesses to the resurrection of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

CHOIR ANTHEM

All Heaven Declares

Richards & Fetke

WORD

First Reading: Acts 3:12-19

[Peter] addressed the people, "You Israelites, why do you wonder at this, or why do you stare at us, as though by our own power or piety we had made him walk? The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our ancestors has glorified his servant Jesus, whom you handed over and rejected in the presence of Pilate, though he had decided to release him. But you rejected the Holy and Righteous One and asked to have a murderer given to you, and you killed the Author of life, whom God raised from the dead. To this we are witnesses. And by faith in his name, his name itself has made this man strong, whom you see and know; and the faith that is through Jesus has given him this perfect health in the presence of all of you.

"And now, friends, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did also your rulers. In this way God fulfilled what he had foretold through all the prophets, that his Messiah would suffer. Repent therefore, and turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out."

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm: Psalm 4



Answer me when I call, O God, defender | of my cause; vou set me free when I was in distress; have mercy on me and | hear my prayer. "You mortals, how long will you dishonor my glory; how long will you love illusions and seek after lies?" Know that the LORD does wonders for the faithful; the LORD will hear me | when I call. Tremble, then, and do not sin: speak to your heart in silence upon your bed. Offer the appointed | sacrifices, and put your trust | in the LORD. Many are saying, "Who will show us any good?" Let the light of your face shine upon us, O LORD. You have put gladness in my heart, more than when grain and wine abound. In peace, I will lie down and sleep; for vou alone, O LORD, make me rest secure.

Second Reading: 1 John 3:1-7

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

Everyone who commits sin is guilty of lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. You know that he was revealed to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. No one who abides in him sins; no one who sins has either seen him or known him. Little children, let no one deceive you. Everyone who does what is right is righteous, just as he is righteous.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



HOLY GOSPEL

The holy gospel according to Luke. Glory to you, O Lord.

Luke 24:36b-48

Jesus himself stood among [the disciples] and said to them, "Peace be with you." They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. He said to them, "Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have." And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, "Have you anything here to eat?" They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate in their presence.

Then he said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you—that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled." Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things."

The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON

Doug Olson

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HYMN OF THE DAY Touch That S

Touch That Soothes and Heals

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Touch That Soothes and Heals See My Hands and Feet

NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son,* who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Rejoicing that Jesus is risen and love has triumphed over fear, let us pray for the church, the world, and all those in need of good news.

God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

Into your hands, most merciful God, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your abiding love; through Jesus Christ, our resurrected and living Lord. **Amen.**

SHARING OF THE PEACE

OFFERING PRAYER

Risen One, you call us to believe and bear fruit. 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.

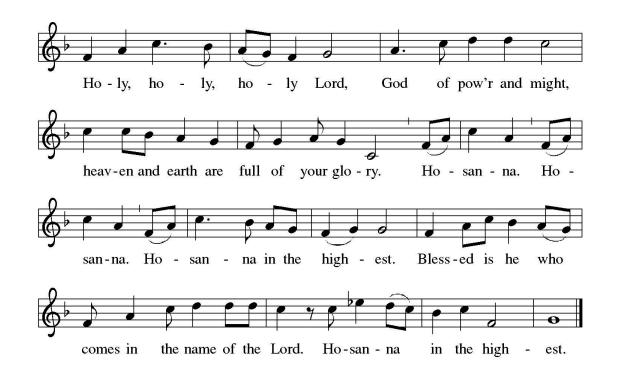
MEAL

DIALOGUE The Lord be with you And Also With You Lift up your hearts We lift them up to the Lord. Let us Give thanks to the Lord our God It is right to give him thanks and praise.

PREFACE

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, for the glorious resurrection of our Savior Jesus Christ, the true Paschal Lamb who gave himself to take away our sin; who in dying has destroyed death, and in rising has brought us to eternal life. And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with earth and sea and all their creatures,

and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

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.

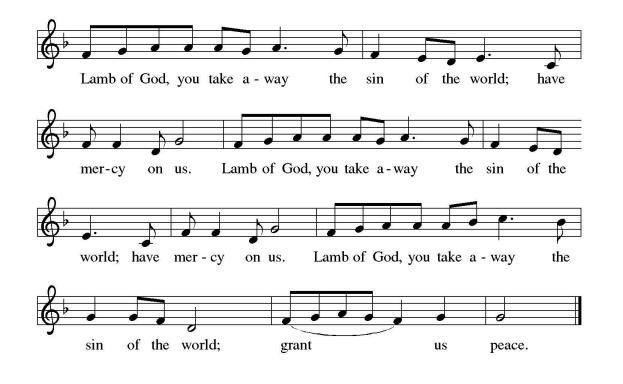


INVITATION TO COMMUNION

The risen Christ is made known to us in the breaking of the bread. Come and eat at God's table.

COMMUNION

COMMUNION SONG



COMMUNION SONG

As We Gather At Your Table

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PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION Shepherding God,

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

SENDING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SENDING SONGThe Strife Is O'er the Battle DoneELW 366

BENEDICTION SONG May the Lord Bless You ELW inside back cover

Dismissal

Alleluia! Go in peace. Rejoice and be glad. Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

POSTLUDE

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PRAYER CONCERNS: Marylin Anderson, Dave Burke, Elaine Davis, Clint Erickson, Anne Gelein, Faith Snyder, Mark Snyder, Miranda Snyder, Don & Nona Stamp, Judy Tornowske, Barb Umholtz, and Dorothy VanPykeren. Those fighting addictions; people in crisis; deployed military and families; leaders, children, and areas of conflict throughout the world.

THANK YOU to today's participants: Pastor Doug Olson; Musician Pat Barnett; Lakeside Choir; Producer Kristy DuBois; Altar Guild Linda Dobson & Bonnie Niemi; Counters Ron & Ann Peterson; Conveners Ken & Linda Dobson; and our April Shepherds Johnny Fox & Karen Tenter, Mary Margaret Montandon, Don & Billie Ward, Bonnie Niemi & Cindy Kerr. If you're interested in helping on Sundays, please ask anyone involved today how you can participate!

SAVE THE DATE! The week of July 8 has been confirmed for Vacation Bible School! There will be a meeting on May 22 at 5pm at Lakeside for all people are interested in volunteering for VBS during the week of July 8th this summer. If you are interested in volunteering, but cannot make this meeting, please contact Linda Dobson at linda@lindadobsonevents.com or text at 612-209-8697.

The deadline for the May newsletter is April 20th. Please contact Lois Haag or Kristy DuBois if you have information to be included in the newsletter.

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If you have announcements for the bulletin, please contact Jen Hammond at the church office: aandhlclc@gmail.com or 715-635-7791

This week at Lakeside:

Monday, 4-15	11 am ADRC Meal – reservation required
	6 pm Yoga
Tuesday, 4-16	9 am Lakeside Mission Quilting 11 am ADRC Meal – reservation required 7 pm AA/Alanon
Wednesday, 4-17	8 am Yellow Lake Food Distribution 9 am Yoga 6 pm Choir Practice
Thursday, 4-18	8 am Yellow Lake Food Distribution Fellowship at JoMama's 8 am Men's Breakfast 9 am Women's Coffee 11 am ADRC Meal – reservation required
Friday, 4-19	11 am ADRC Meal – reservation required
Saturday, 4-20	Deadline for newsletter articles
Sunday, 4-21	9 am Sunday School 9:30 am Choir Practice 10 am Worship with Pastor Rich Hutchison