Peace Lutheran Church

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EASTER SUNDAY

April 17, 2022

As We Gather Today is a day of celebration! Jesus is alive! He is risen indeed. This fact informs all of our lives---if God can raise Jesus from the dead, He can bring life to my situation; He can take away my fear of death. So this day, we rejoice. We celebrate Jesus, no longer dead, but alive!

Hearing aids and large print bulletins are available. If you would like a hearing aid or large print bulletin please see an usher.

Attention Visitors We celebrate the sacrament of Holy Communion this morning. This holy meal is intended for Christians who acknowledge their need of God's forgiveness in their lives. The Bible teaches that Christ's body and blood are received with the elements of bread and wine and that Christians need to examine themselves before receiving this holy meal. (1Cor. 10 & 11). This meal further expresses a unity of faith as we gather at one table to receive the assurance of God's forgiveness through the body and blood of our Lord in the sacrament. We welcome baptized Christians to commune with us, those who believe and confess this same faith and understanding of the sacrament and of the Christian life. Persons who desire to receive grape juice select from the darker glasses. If you have any further questions concerning the sacrament, please ask to speak to the Pastor.

Welcome Children A cry room is located near the church entryway. Please see an usher for guidance.

RINGING OF THE BELL

Pastor: Alleluia! Christ is risen! People: He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

"Jesus Christ Is Risen Today"



INVOCATION AND DOXOLOGY

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Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

Pastor: All praise to God the Father -**People: who raised His Son in victory.**

Pastor: All praise to Jesus, God's Son, risen from the dead - **People:** our living and reigning King.

Pastor: All praise to God the Holy Spirit - **People:** who has worked in us a living hope in the resurrection.

PROCLAMATION

Pastor: Alleluia! Christ is risen! People: He is risen indeed. Alleluia!



CONFESSION

Pastor: In preparation to receive His Holy Supper this morning, let us confess our sins to God our Father and receive His forgiveness, that we may be reconciled to Him and to one another.

(Silence for reflection and self-examination)

Pastor: Merciful and risen Savior,

People: we claim to be people of the resurrection, yet we confess that far too often we do not exhibit a resurrection life. Our prayers are weak and our faith is shallow. We compartmentalize our lives, placing you on the sidelines of our work, our family life and our play. We take too much for granted and fail to thank you for the blessings of health, relationships and freedoms. We fail to be good stewards of your creation, and we become discouraged by problems, limitations and failures. Gracious and ever-present God, forgive our shortsightedness and our lack of trust. Help us to see that you are at work in our lives and in the world. Inspire us to hold fast to you in faith, knowing that you are working all things for good and that because of the empty tomb, we have nothing to fear. Amen.

ABSOLUTION

Pastor: Our living Lord and Savior forgives the most impossible sins, overcomes the greatest fears, comforts the loudest cries, and breaks down the strongest barriers to his love and peace. Through the resurrection, Christ's power in the Holy Spirit lives and works here and now. My friends, know that as God's own we are forgiven, and be at peace.









PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: 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.

People: Amen

HANDBELL CHOIR...

"Classical Easter"

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+ WORD +

OLD TESTAMENT.....Isaiah 65:17-25 (*New Heavens and a New Earth*)

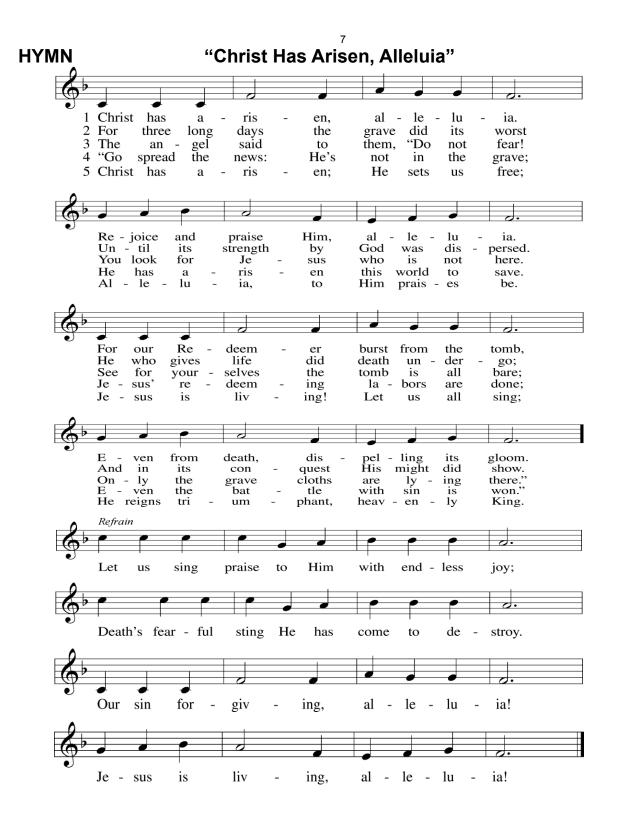
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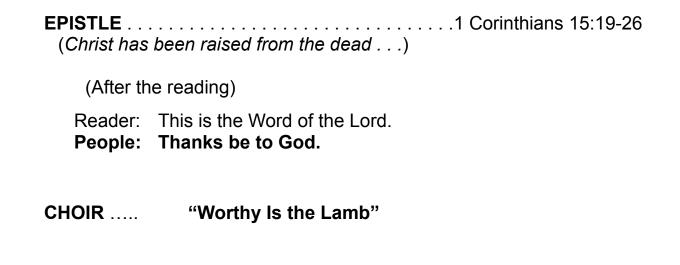
Reader:This is the Word of the Lord.People:Thanks be to God.

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"This is the Feast"

HYMN OF PRAISE





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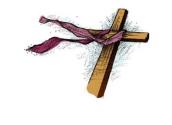


CHILDREN'S MESSAGE.....

. Pastor Mike Schultze, Director of Youth **HYMN**



EASTER MESSAGE Pastor Rob Rebensal



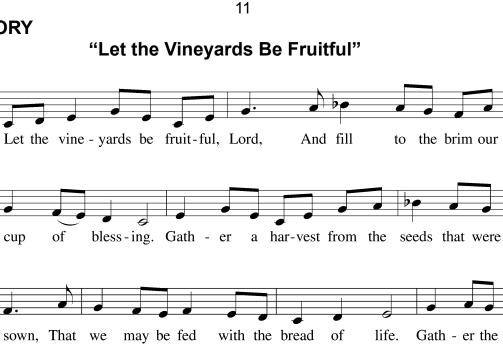


CONFESSION OF FAITH (Apostles' Creed)

All: I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life + everlasting. Amen.

OFFERING

Please sign the red fellowship book located at the aisle seat in each row and pass it down your pew. When finished, pass it back down your pew to the center aisle seat and the ushers will pick it up after the service.









PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Each petition ends:Lord inCongregation responds:Hear o

Lord in Your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

+ SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION +

PREFACE

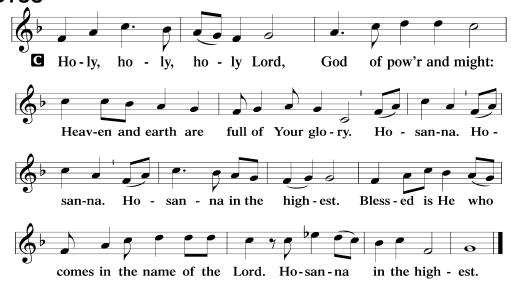
Pastor: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.
Pastor: Lift up your hearts.
People: We lift them to the Lord.
Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

PROPER PREFACE

Pastor: 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; but chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord; for he is the very Paschal Lamb, which was offered for us and has taken away the sins of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has restored to us everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:

SANCTUS



PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Pastor: Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your onlybegotten 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.

People: Amen

THE LORD'S PRAYER

- All: 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

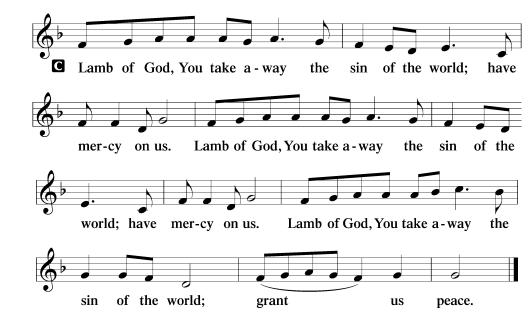
Pastor: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to His disciples and said: Take, eat; this is My + body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me. In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: Drink of it, all of you; this is My + blood of the new testament, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.

PEACE OF THE LORD

Pastor: Alleluia! Christ is risen! People: He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always. **People: Amen.**

AGNUS DEI



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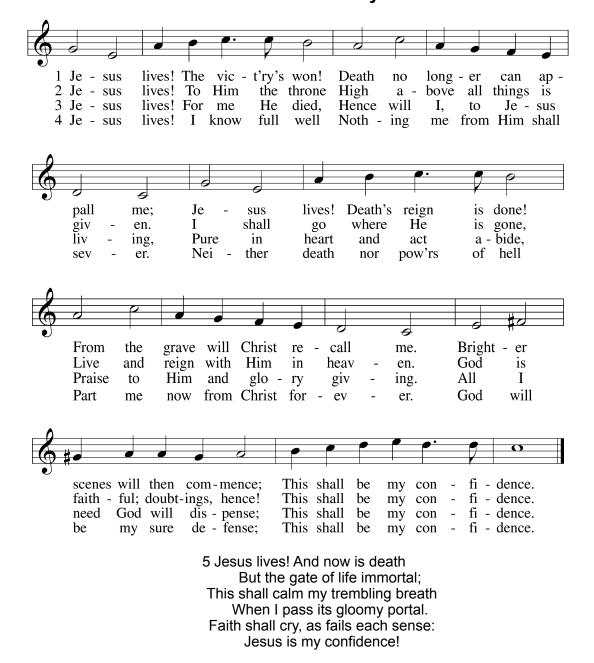


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¹⁸ "Jesus Lives! The Victory's Won"



POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Pastor: We give thanks to You, risen Savior, for Your body and blood for the forgiveness of our sin and Your victory over sin and death. We thank You that You have saved us. Fill our hearts with the joy of sins forgiven as we represent You and live for You in our daily lives. We pray in Your name, O Christ.

People: Amen.

BLESSING

Pastor: Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do His will, working in you that which is pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. *Hebrews 13:20–21*People: Amen.

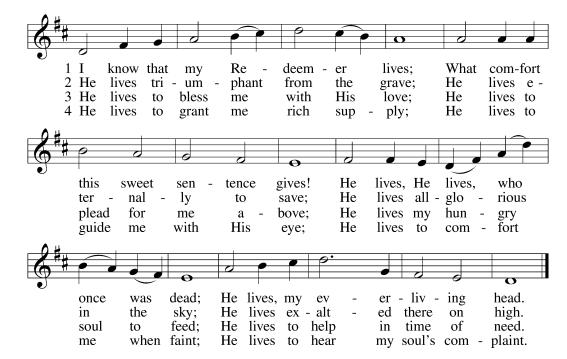
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(Please be seated)



CLOSING HYMN

"I Know That My Redeemer Lives"



- 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!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

POSTLUDE

<u>ALTAR FLOWERS:</u> Given to the glory of God by Darlene Tegt.

ATTENDANCE ON 4/10/22: 9:00am-97 11:00am-26 Total:123 Sunday School-12

THOSE WHO SERVE US TODAY on EASTER SUNDAY April 17, 2022

	<u>9:00 am</u>	<u>11:00 am</u>		
Elder:	Blaine Wanke	Tom Waddell/Phil Hamilton		
Greeters:	Connie Morris			
Readers:	Lori Schultze	Jeff Magill		
Acolytes:	Michelle Ullerick			
Ushers:	Blaine Wanke			
	Todd Harter			
Altar Care:	Linda Young and Irene Hutchison	Rachael Ylizaliturri & Jane Morici		
Organist:	Karen Foote			
Choir Director: Linda La Jeunesse				

THOSE WHO SERVE US NEXT SUNDAY APRIL 24, 2022

	<u>9:00 am</u>	<u>11:00 am</u>
Elder:	Blaine Wanke	Tom Waddell/Phil Hamilton
Greeters:	Ken Anderson	
Readers:	David Hudnell	Brian Nomi
Acolytes:	Michelle Ullerick	
Ushers:	Craig Frye	
	Gary Taylor	
	Karen Taylor	
	Bill Young	
Altar Care:	Linda Young & Irene Hutchison	Rachael Ylizaliturri & Jane Morici
Organist:	Karen Foote	

THIS WEEK AT PEACE April 17, 2022

Today:	9:00 am Traditional Communion Service
	11:00 am Praise Communion Service (FH)
	10:00 am Sunday School
	10:00 am Adult Bible Study (Coffeehouse)
	1:30 pm New Life Christian Fellowship
	4:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH)
Monday:	Office closed
Tuesday:	10:00 am Women's Bible Study
	7:00 pm Council Meeting
Wednesday:	10:00 am Luther's Attic Volunteers
Thursday:	9:30 am Thursday Morning Bible Study
	10:00 am LifeLight Bible Study via Zoom
Friday:	•
	10:00 am Praise Band practice
4/24 Sunday	/: 9:00 am Traditional Service
	11:00 am Praise Communion Service (FH)
	1:30 pm New Life Christian Fellowship
	4:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF April 17, 2022

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY- To resume on April 28. This study is on *"Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi Return to the Lord"* on **Thursdays,** 6:45am with breakfast in the Fellowship Hall. Our study will also be available on Zoom. Join us. For more info, call Dave Hutter @ (805)386-7007.

THE LIFELIGHT BIBLE STUDY- Our new study will be on Galatians, Philippians, & Colossians. Thursdays at 10am via Zoom. If you would like to join this study, please contact Blaine or Diana Wanke @ 805-465-0485.

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY meets @ 9:30AM in rotating homes, with a study of the Gospel of John. If you have any questions please call Dave Schmidt @ 805-482-3867.

TUESDAY WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY continues their study of Esther. For more info contact Connie at 805-987-5116.

PRAYER CHAIN- If you have a prayer request please call *Sandi Stepp* at: 805-625-0479 or e-mail <u>footstepps@verizon.net</u>.

THE FOOD BANK- Donations for the food pantry at St. Columba's Episcopal Church can be put in the donation box in the narthex. Donations are taken to the pantry weekly. Shelf stable milk, cereal, canned vegetables, tuna, and peanut butter are always needed, but all non-perishable, unexpired donations are appreciated. The pantry serves our Camarillo seniors and families that need a helping hand. We thank you for your continued support. **CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS:** The Altar Committee is looking for volunteers for 2022. The signup sheet is posted on the white board in the Narthex outside the Cry Room. Please chose your favorite month and volunteer to help with this important work. Sign up with your spouse or a friend, or if you prefer, you can do it alone. If you have never done this job and are interested in volunteering, there are mentors to help you. If you have any questions about what it entails, call Linda Young at 805 236-4820 or Carol Yung at 805 504-6876.

THE 2022 FLOWER CHART is posted on the white board in the Narthex outside the Cry Room. Please sign up for the Sunday(s) of your choice. Two signups are available for each Sunday. The arrangements are \$35.00 each, and the check or money can be placed in the offering plate. Please note on the check or on the envelope that it is designated for "Flowers". Following the 9:00 service, you may take your arrangement home. JOIN US TO DONATE BLOOD ON SATURDAY, APRIL 30TH. The Spring Blood Drive is scheduled for Saturday, 4/30 from 9:30 to 2:30 in the Fellowship Hall. If you are medically able to donate, no one is too old to donate, and if you are 16 years old, you may donate with parental permission. Thank you to all who have saved lives through past donations. To schedule your appointment, contact Linda Young after each service on 4/24.Call 805 236-4820 or email <u>nephronurse@verizon.net</u>.



Pray for...

HEALTH AND HEALING: Ashley (Sandi Stepp's niece), Lili Baehr, Brandee Brand, Edith Braukis, Terry Breckinridge, Carolyn Cooper, Marshall Denninger, Brian Derozer, Melissa Dupuis, Nerces Eykjian, Bruce Fraser, Beverly Gandy, Helen (friend of Carol Yung), Damon Hermann (friend of Greg Olewiler), John Hollenbeck (friend of Eunice Harter), Vicki Hutter, Karen Johnson, Judy (friend of Schultze family), Dick Mahlke, Rick Mahlke, Mrs. Mai, (friend of Greg Olewiler), Carol Marker, Ryan Scott Morrison, Gene O'Neal, Jim Pedersen, Ann Marie Ramirez (friend of Carol Yung), Mark Reuter, Mike Reuter, Toni Rizer, Lil Rodriguez (Luther's Attic worker), Tim Schmidt, Shane Sheldon (relative of Melissa Hamilton), Don Schultz, Dale Sieber, David Stafford, Gertrude Stenke, Leslie Stenke, Ashley Stephen, Lara Tate, Bev Toro, Dusty Urban, Sandy Williamson, Lisa (Cassidy) Wright, Carol Yung and Ele Zorkocy. Pray for all military men and women especially: Jared Bautista, Jacob Chiles, Andrew Geib, Daniel Gross, Michael Hanson, Brian Miller, Kevin Schleicher, Stephen Volpei, Lucas Wentland and Henry Andermann. Also remember their families in your prayers.