The Resurrection of Our Lord

Sunday, April 1, 2018 6:00 am



Camp Wartburg Waterloo, Illinois

Welcome to Camp Wartburg!

Make yourself comfortable and enjoy God's beautiful creation and Christian fellowship. All are invited to enjoy the breakfast that will be served by the Camp staff in the main dining hall after the worship service is concluded. May the risen Lord bless your Resurrection Day celebration!

PRELUDE / WELCOME

OPENING HYMN, LSB 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!

Please stand

INVOCATION AND OPENING SENTENCES

- P: In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
- C: Amen.
- P: Alleluia! Christ is risen!
- C: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!
- P: Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep.
- C: Death is swallowed up in victory!
- P: O death, where is your victory? O death, where is your sting?
- C: Thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ!

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P: "We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. For the death he died he died to sin, once for all, but the life he lives he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus." *Romans* 6:8–11

- C: "I caused Your grief and sighing by evils multiplying as countless as the sands." It was our sin that caused Christ to die to ransom us from the death of sin. By the power of Your death and resurrection, Lord Jesus, forgive us and raise us to new life. LSB 453:4
- P: The risen Jesus is the one appointed by God to be judge of the living and the dead. Whoever believes in Him receives forgiveness of sins through His name. In the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C: Amen.

INTROIT OF THE DAY (Congregation will read the bold type.)

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.

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

the horse and His rider He has thrown into the sea.

HYMN OF PRAISE, *LSB* 477 v. 1, "Alleluia, Alleluia! Hearts to Heaven" [Public domain. admin. Hope Publishing Co. Used by permission: LSB Hymn License .NET, no. 100010322. © 1982 Jubilate Hymns Ltd.]

1 Alleluia, alleluia!

Hearts to heav'n and voices raise: Sing to God a hymn of gladness, Sing to God a hymn of praise; He who on the cross a victim For the world's salvation bled—

Jesus Christ, the King of Glory, Now is risen from the dead.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: 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.

Please be seated

OLD TESTAMENT READING, Isaiah 25:6-9

⁶On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wine, of rich food full of marrow, of aged wine well refined. ⁷And he will swallow up on this mountain the covering that is cast over all peoples, the veil that is spread over all nations. ⁸He will swallow up death forever; and the Lord GoD will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has spoken. ⁹It will be said on that day, "Behold, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us. This is the LORD; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE, 1 Corinthians 15:1-11

¹Now I would remind you, brothers, of the gospel I preached to you, which you received, in which you stand, ²and by which you are being saved, if you hold fast to the word I preached to you—unless you believed in vain. ³For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, ⁴that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures, ⁵and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. ⁶Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have fallen asleep. ⁷Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. ⁸Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. ⁹For I am the least of the apostles, unworthy to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. ¹⁰But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me was not in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them, though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. ¹¹Whether then it was I or they, so we preach and so you believed.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Please stand

HOLY GOSPEL, Mark 16:1-8

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the 16th chapter.

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

¹When the Sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene and Mary the mother of James and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. ²And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. ³And they were saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance of the tomb?" ⁴And looking up, they saw that the stone had been rolled back—it was very large. ⁵And entering the tomb, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, dressed in a white robe, and they were alarmed. ⁶And 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. ⁷But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going before you to Galilee. There you will see him, just as he told you." ⁸And 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.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

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.

HYMN OF THE DAY, *LSB* 480, "He's Risen, He's Risen" © 1941 Concordia Publishing House. Used by permission: LSB Hymn License .NET, no. 100010322.

- 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.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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.

SERMON, 1 Corinthians 15:1-11, "No Foolin"

Please stand

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

- P: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ and for all people according to their needs.

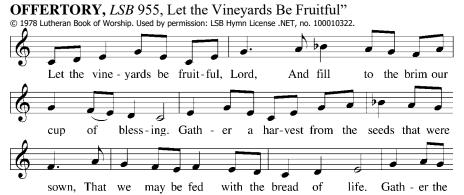
 Heavenly Father, we live in a culture of distractions and diversions. Help us to focus our hearts and minds on the things of first importance: Christ's death and resurrection for sinners, for Christ is risen!
- C: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!
- P: Lord, You sent a messenger to proclaim Jesus' resurrection to the women on Easter morning. Inspire us to share the message of Jesus' resurrection throughout the world, for Christ is risen!
- C: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

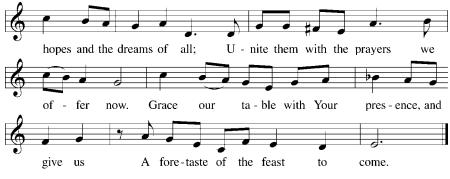
- P: Lord, there are many in this world who have been abused, neglected, and abandoned, suffering at the hands of evil people. Spread Christ's resurrection victory into their lives of pain and hopelessness. Raise them from darkness into Your light, for Christ is risen!
- C: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!
- P: Lord, send healing and care to all who are sick, injured, and recovering, *(especially...)*. Comfort them with the hope of resurrected bodies that will be ours when Jesus returns, for Christ is risen!
- C: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!
- P: Lord, many grieve and mourn the death of loved ones. Embrace them with the hope of the resurrection that is ours because Christ is risen!
- C: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!
- P: Lord, every good and perfect gift comes from You. We thank You for the blessings You have poured out upon us. We rejoice with those who rejoice. Grant that our rejoicing draw us back to the Good News that Christ is risen!
- C: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!
- P: (Special petitions...) For Christ is risen!
- C: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!
- P: Into Your hands we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy, through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.
- C: Amen.

Please be seated

OFFERING

Please stand





+ SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT +

PREFACE

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

PROPER PREFACE

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:

SANCTUS

C: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might: heaven and earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna, hosanna in the Highest. Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the Highest.

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 OUR LORD

THE PEACE OF THE LORD

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: Amen.

In this Supper of our Lord we receive the true body and blood of Jesus Christ under the earthly forms of bread and wine for the forgiveness of our sins and the strengthening of our faith. Since this Holy Communion is also a sign of how we commonly confess the Christian faith, we welcome to the Lord's Table those who are confirmed members of congregations of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod.

Please be seated

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

LSB 467, "Awake, My Heart, with Gladness"

- Awake, my heart, with gladness,
 See what today is done;
 Now, after gloom and sadness,
 Comes forth the glorious sun.
 My Savior there was laid
 Where our bed must be made
 When to the realms of light
 Our spirit wings its flight.
- 2 The foe in triumph shouted
 When Christ lay in the tomb;
 But lo, he now is routed,
 His boast is turned to gloom.
 For Christ again is free;
 In glorious victory
 He who is strong to save
 Has triumphed o'er the grave.

- This is a sight that gladdens—
 What peace it doth impart!
 Now nothing ever saddens
 The joy within my heart.
 No gloom shall ever shake,
 No foe shall ever take
 The hope which God's own Son
 In love for me has won.
- 4 Now hell, its prince, the devil,
 Of all their pow'r are shorn;
 Now I am safe from evil,
 And sin I laugh to scorn.
 Grim death with all its might
 Cannot my soul affright;
 It is a pow'rless form,
 Howe'er it rave and storm.
- 5 The world against me rages,
 Its fury I disdain;
 Though bitter war it wages,
 Its work is all in vain.
 My heart from care is free,
 No trouble troubles me.
 Misfortune now is play,
 And night is bright as day.
- 6 Now I will cling forever
 To Christ, my Savior true;
 My Lord will leave me never,
 Whate'er He passes through.
 He rends death's iron chain;
 He breaks through sin and pain;
 He shatters hell's grim thrall;
 I follow Him through all.
- 7 He brings me to the portal
 That leads to bliss untold,
 Whereon this rhyme immortal
 Is found in script of gold:
 "Who there My cross has shared
 Finds here a crown prepared;
 Who there with Me has died
 Shall here be glorified."

LSB 466, "Christ Has Arisen, Alleluia"

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1 Christ has arisen, alleluia.
Rejoice and praise Him, alleluia.
For our Redeemer burst from the tomb,
Even from death, dispelling its gloom. *Refrain*

Refrain: Let us sing praise to Him with endless joy;
Death's fearful sting He has come to destroy.
Our sin forgiving, alleluia!
Jesus is living, alleluia!

- 2 For three long days the grave did its worst
 Until its strength by God was dispersed.
 He who gives life did death undergo;
 And in its conquest His might did show. Refrain
- The angel said to them, "Do not fear!
 You look for Jesus who is not here.
 See for yourselves the tomb is all bare;
 Only the grave cloths are lying there." Refrain
- 4 "Go spread the news: He's not in the grave;
 He has arisen this world to save.
 Jesus' redeeming labors are done;
 Even the battle with sin is won." Refrain
- 5 Christ has arisen; He sets us free;
 Alleluia, to Him praises be.
 Jesus is living! Let us all sing;
 He reigns triumphant, heavenly King. *Refrain*

Please stand

DISMISSAL

P: Now may this...Go in peace.

C: Amen.

BENEDICTION

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.

C: Amen.

CLOSING HYMN, LSB 465, "Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds"

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- 1 Now all the vault of heav'n resounds
 In praise of love that still abounds:
 "Christ has triumphed! He is living!"
 Sing, choirs of angels, loud and clear!
 Repeat their song of glory here:
 "Christ has triumphed! Christ has triumphed!"
 Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
- 2 Eternal is the gift He brings,
 Therefore our heart with rapture sings:
 "Christ has triumphed! He is living!"
 Now still He comes to give us life
 And by His presence stills all strife.
 Christ has triumphed! He is living!
 Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
- 3 O fill us, Lord, with dauntless love;
 Set heart and will on things above
 That we conquer through Your triumph;
 Grant grace sufficient for life's day
 That by our lives we truly say:
 "Christ has triumphed! He is living!"
 Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
- Adoring praises now we bring
 And with the heavn'ly blessed sing:
 "Christ has triumphed! Alleluia!"
 Be to the Father and our Lord,
 To Spirit blest, most holy God,
 All the glory, never ending!
 Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

BELLS / POSTLUDE

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