



IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH  
WATERLOO, ILLINOIS

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**The Resurrection of Our Lord**



**Saturday, April 5, 2026 – 7:45 a.m. & 10:15 a.m.**

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“Making more and stronger disciples of Jesus Christ  
through the power of the Holy Spirit.”

## Welcome to Immanuel!

*Please turn off your cell phones and/or paging devices. Thank you!*

**If you are a guest**, please fill out a guests' card located in the cardholder on the back of each pew and then place it in the offering plate. We look forward to meeting you!

**Members**, please help us love and care for one another by filling out an attendance card. Remember to include all the members of your family who are present in worship today. If you are communing, please check in the appropriate place. Thank you for filling out an Attendance-Communion card every time you attend Church.

**We celebrate Holy Communion today!** In this Supper of our Lord we receive the true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ under the earthly forms of bread and wine for the forgiveness of our sins and the strengthening of our faith. This Holy Communion is also a sign of our shared confession of the Christian faith. If you have not communed with us before, please speak with the pastor before doing so.

**During the communion service:** If you're not able to drink wine, the lighter colored glasses in the center of the tray of individual cups contain water with a drop of wine. These special glasses allow communicants to celebrate the Lord's Supper according to Christ's institution but have a very small amount of alcohol.

## Worship at Immanuel is...

**Christ Centered.** We believe that at the heart of worship is the Good News that God has rescued us from our sins through Jesus' death on the cross and rising to life again.

**Trinitarian.** We believe that the object of worship is the only true God—The Trinity: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**Multigenerational.** We believe that it is a great blessing for family members to worship together. Taking seriously Jesus' words, "Let the little children come to me and so not forbid them" (Mark 10:14), we encourage children to worship with their parents and grandparents and provide resources such as children's bulletins and children's sermons.

**Eclectic.** Eclectic means, "selecting what seems best of various sources." We believe that we should strive to use the best hymns and practices that the church has to offer. Our worship may include hymns written 500 years ago as well as pieces written 5 months ago.

*In preparation for worship, we ask that you silence your cell phones and/or paging devices. Thank you. The time before service begins can be a good time to pray and prepare your heart and mind for worship. You will find helpful prayers on the inside cover of the hymnal located in the pew in front of you.*

## Divine Service, Setting Three

(*Lutheran Service Book*, pg. 184)

### Preservice Music / Bells

*Please stand*

#### **Processional Hymn, LSB 490, “Jesus Lives! The Victory’s Won”**

Text: Christian Fürchtegott Gellert, 1715–69; tr. Frances E. Cox, 1812–97, alt. Text: Public domain

- 1 **Jesus lives! The vict’ry’s won!**  
Death no longer can appall me;  
Jesus lives! Death’s reign is done!  
From the grave will Christ recall me.  
Brighter scenes will then commence;  
This shall be my confidence.
- 2 **Jesus lives! To Him the throne**  
High above all things is given.  
I shall go where He is gone,  
Live and reign with Him in heaven.  
God is faithful; doubtings, hence!  
This shall be my confidence.
- 3 **Jesus lives! For me He died,**  
Hence will I, to Jesus living,  
Pure in heart and act abide,  
Praise to Him and glory giving.  
All I need God will dispense;  
This shall be my confidence.
- 4 **Jesus lives! I know full well**  
Nothing me from Him shall sever.  
Neither death nor pow’rs of hell  
Part me now from Christ forever.  
God will be my sure defense;  
This shall be my confidence.
- 5 **Jesus lives! And now is death**  
But the gate of life immortal;  
This shall calm my trembling breath  
When I pass its gloomy portal.  
Faith shall cry, as fails each sense:  
Jesus is my confidence!



Yet you have made him a little lower than the heavenly | beings\*  
and crowned him with glory and | honor.

**You have given him dominion over the works | of your hands;\***  
**you have put all things under | his feet.**

O | LORD, our Lord,\*  
how majestic is your name in | all the earth!



**C** Glo-ry be to the Fa-ther and to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost;



as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and ev-er shall be, world with-out end. A-men.

He is risen! Alle- | luia!\*

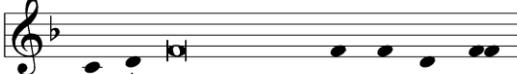
Why do you seek the living among the dead? Alle- | luia!

Remember how he told you, Alle- | luia,\*

that the Son of Man must be crucified and on the third day rise. Alle- |  
luia!

## Kyrie

Mark 10:47



**A** In peace let us pray to the Lord.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.



**A** For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.



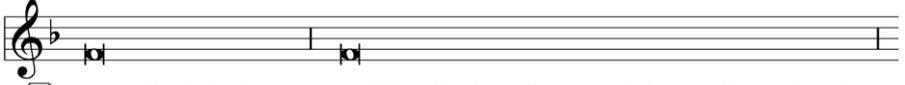
**A** For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God,



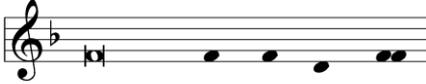
and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.



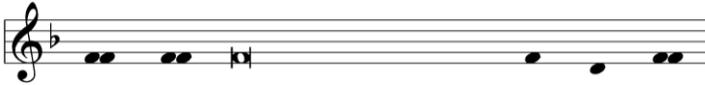
**A** For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise



let us pray to the Lord.



**C** Lord, have mer - cy.



**A** Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord.



**C** A - men.

### This Is the Feast

Revelation 5:12-13; 19:5-9

*Refrain*



**C** This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



- 1 — Wor-thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose
- 2 Pow - er, rich - es, wis - dom, and strength, and
- 3 Sing with all the peo - ple of God, and
- 4 Bless - ing, hon - or, glo - ry, and might be to
- 5 For the Lamb who was slain has be -



blood set us free to be peo - ple of God. *Refrain*  
 hon - or, bless - ing, and glo - ry are His. *Refrain*  
 join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion: *Stanza 4*  
 God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men. *Refrain*  
 gun His reign. Al - le - lu - ia. *Final Refrain*

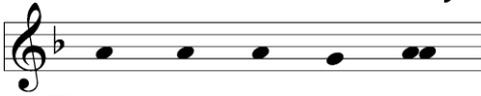


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Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

### Salutation and Collect of the Day



**P** The Lord be with you.



**G** And al - so with you.

**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.



**G** A - men.

*Please be seated*

**Choir Anthem,** “The Lord Has Set the Captive Free” (Benjamin M. Culli)

*The Lord has set the captive free;  
Come, Christian, join the glad refrain;  
Since Christ has won the victory,  
To live is Christ, to die is gain.*

*Lord Jesus Christ, once crucified,  
Arose in triumph from the grave  
That we, who once in Adam died,  
Might by His sacrifice be saved.  
Now more than conquerors are we:  
No demon, peril, depth, or sword  
Can overcome Christ's victory  
Or separate us from our Lord.*

*Grant us, O Lord, the grace to live  
Each day according to Your will,  
Blessed by the labor that You give,  
Content our calling to fulfill.  
Lord, at the final trumpet sound,  
When those who died in Christ are raised,  
Let us among the saints be found  
To join the heav'nly host in praise.*

### **Old Testament Reading**

*Job 19:23-27*

<sup>23</sup>“Oh that my words were written! Oh that they were inscribed in a book! <sup>24</sup>Oh that with an iron pen and lead they were engraved in the rock forever! <sup>25</sup>For I know that my Redeemer lives, and at the last he will stand upon the earth. <sup>26</sup>And after my skin has been thus destroyed, yet in my flesh I shall see God, <sup>27</sup>whom I shall see for myself, and my eyes shall behold, and not another. My heart faints within me!”

*After the reading:*

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



<sup>3</sup>And they were saying to one another, “Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance of the tomb?” <sup>4</sup>And looking up, they saw that the stone had been rolled back—it was very large. <sup>5</sup>And entering the tomb, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, dressed in a white robe, and they were alarmed. <sup>6</sup>And 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. <sup>7</sup>But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going before you to Galilee. There you will see him, just as he told you.” <sup>8</sup>And 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.

*After the reading:*

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



**C** Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

## Nicene Creed

**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 worshipped 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  $\dagger$  of the world to come. Amen.

*Please be seated*

**Hymn of the Day**, *LSB* 467, “Awake, My Heart, with Gladness”

## Sermon

*Please stand*

### Offertory

Psalm 51:10-12



**■** Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -  
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -  
way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it  
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -  
tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir - it. A - men.

*Please be seated*

### Offering [Agape Ringers, "The Lamb," arr. Hanson/Behnke]

*Please stand*

### Prayer of the Church

(1 Timothy 2:1-4)

- P** Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.
- P** (*Special petitions...*) Lord, in Your mercy,
- C** **hear our prayer.**

### ✠ Service of the Sacrament ✠

*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.*

## Preface

2 Timothy 4:22; Colossians 3:1; Psalm 136



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.



**P** Lift up your hearts.



**C** We lift them up un - to the Lord.



**P** Let us give thanks un - to the Lord, our God.



**C** It is meet and right so to do.

## Proper Preface

**P** It is truly meet, 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

Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9



**Q** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;



heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,



ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He,



bless - ed is He, bless - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

# Lord's Prayer

Matthew 6:9-13



**P** Our Father who art in heav - en, hal - low - ed be Thy name,



Thy king - dom come, Thy will be done on earth as it



is in heav - en; give us this day our dai - ly bread;



and forgive us our tres - pass - es as we forgive those who



tres - pass a - gainst us; and lead us not in - to

temp - ta - tion, but deliver us from e - vil.

**C** For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the

glo - ry for - ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

**The Words of Our Lord** (Matt 26:26-28; Mk 14:22-24; Lk 22:19-20; 1 Cor 11:23-25)

**Pax Domini**

John 20:19

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you al - ways.

**C** A - men.

**Agnus Dei**

John 1:29

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the sin of the

world, have mer - cy up - on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that

tak - est a-way the sin of the world, have mer - cy up - on us.

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the sin of the

world, grant us Thy peace. A - men.

*Please be seated*

**Distribution Hymns**

*LSB 461, "I Know that My Redeemer Lives"*

*LSB 633, "At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing"*

*LSB 482, "This Joyful Eastertide"*

*Please stand*

**The Dismissal**

**P** The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart  $\text{✠}$  in peace.

**C** Amen.

**Nunc Dimittis**

**C** Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac -  
 cord - ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,  
 which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people,  
 a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of Thy  
 peo - ple Is - ra - el. Glo - ry be to the Father and  
 to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,

is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

**Thanksgiving**

Psalm 107:1

**A** O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,

**C** and His mercy endureth for - ev - er.

**P** 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.

**C** A - men.

**P** The Lord be with you.

2 Timothy 4:22

**C** And with thy spir - it.



**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!**

### **Bells / Postlude**

***Please be seated as the ushers dismiss by pews today.***

*We invite you to take the service folder and announcements home with you as you leave today so you can see what's happening this week as well as meditate on the Scriptures, prayers, and hymns from today's service as you go through the week. You can also find helpful information on our church website: [immanuelwaterloo.org](http://immanuelwaterloo.org).*

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## Worship Helpers

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**Sunday, April 5, 2026 - 7:45 a.m.**

Pastor - Rev. Benjamin Hayter

Servers - Rodney Clamors &amp; Greg Wiegand

Acolytes/Torchbearers - Reece Collmeyer &amp; Kenzie Wiegand      Crucifer - TJ Joellenbeck

Ushers - Allen Jacobs, Don &amp; Gina Birrittier, Mason Wilhelm

Media - Melissa Wiegand

Altar Guild - Barbara Altes

**Sunday, April 5, 2026 - 10:15 a.m.**

Pastor - Rev. Benjamin Hayter

Servers - Doug Simms &amp; Jason Valerius

Acolytes - Aidan Kubelka &amp; Alaina Stumpf

Ushers - Alan Stumpf, Paul Broske Sr., Tom McDaniel

Media - Ayda Eggemeyer

Music Director - Ann Frank

Altar Guild - Jill Eggemeyer

Crucifer - AJ Helms

**Ushers - Sunday, April 12, 2026**

7:45 a.m. - Lee Eggemeyer, Adam Eggemeyer, Jakson Gregory, Myla &amp; Henry Eggemeyer

10:15 a.m. - Kevin Whelan, Alex Whelan

**Acolytes - Sunday, April 12, 2026**

Saturday 5:30 p.m. - Quinn Menke

Sunday 7:45 a.m. - Mason Wilhelm &amp; Rosie Fink

Sunday 10:15 a.m. - Jase Gregory &amp; Olivia Simms

**Servers - Sunday, April 12, 2026**

Saturday 5:30 p.m. - Rodney Clamors

Sunday 7:45 a.m. - Seth Weinberg

Sunday 10:15 a.m. - Tyson Bradley &amp; Dusty Dethrow

**Media - Sunday, April 12, 2026**

Saturday 5:30 p.m. - AJ Helms

Sunday 7:45 a.m. - Olivia Simms

Sunday 10:15 a.m. - Everly Dethrow

**Lectors - Sunday, April 12, 2026**

Saturday 5:30 p.m. - Rodney Clamors

Sunday 7:45 a.m. - Seth Weinberg

Sunday 10:15 a.m. - Pastor

**Altar Guild - Sunday, April 12, 2026**

Saturday 5:30 p.m. - Susan Starbuck

Sunday 7:45 a.m. - Amy Kolweier

Sunday 10:15 a.m. - Linda Gutknecht

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Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.  
Psalm 100:1



Rowan  
Rowan Frank

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Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.  
Psalm 100:1



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