LUTHERAN CHAPEL



ECCLESIASTES 1:1-3, 12-14 AND JOHN 21:1-19

"DO YOU LOVE ME?"

The risen Jesus reconciles with Peter and gives him a calling as servant leader of His church feeding His sheep. Jesus loves you. Do you love Jesus?

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER MAY 1, 2022

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BOLD indicates congregational responses. * Indicates that all who are able should stand to honor God

GATHER

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: In the name of the Father, and of the +Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Matthew 28:19b

C: Amen.

CALL TO CONFESSION

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 recite the gift of the Ten Commandments and the Great Commandment and use these teachings to examine our lives.

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

- 1. You shall have no other gods.
- 2. You shall not make wrongful use of the Name of the LORD your God.
- 3. Remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy.
- 4. Honor your father and mother.
- 5. You shall not murder.
- 6. You shall not commit adultery.
- 7. You shall not steal.
- 8. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.
- 9. You shall not covet your neighbor's house.
- 10. You shall not covet your neighbor's wife or (husband).

Exodus 20.1-17

1 John 1:8-9

THE GREAT COMMANDMENT

You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength...you shall love your neighbor as yourself.

P: Let us kneel or sit for a time of silent confession and self-examination.

P: Most merciful God,

C: 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.

P: 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.

C: Amen.



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***THE APOSTOLIC GREETING**

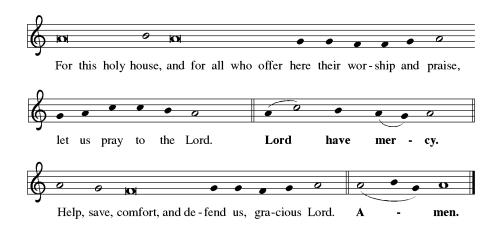
P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

***THE KYRIE**

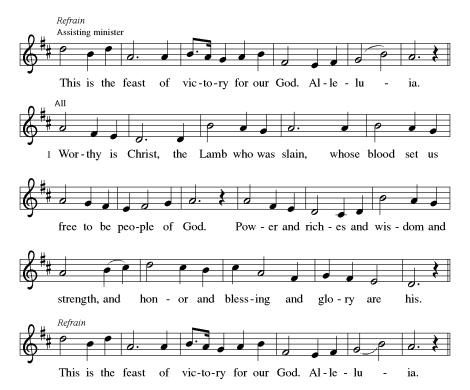
Mark 10:47





***THIS IS THE FEAST**

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



¹The words of the Teacher, the son of David, king in Jerusalem. ²Vanity of vanities, says the Teacher, vanity of vanities! All is vanity. ³What do people gain from all the toil at which they toil under the sun?

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

Eternal and all-merciful God, with all the angels and all the saints we laud your majesty and might. By the resurrection of your Son, show yourself to us and inspire us to follow Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

All children who want to come forward for the Children's Message at the front of the church are welcome to do so. Let the little children come unto our Lord always!

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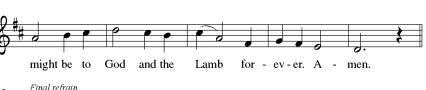
STORY OF SALVATION LESSON

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ECCLESIASTES 1:1-3, 12-14

(In Unison)

¹²I, the Teacher, when king over Israel in Jerusalem, ¹³applied my mind to seek and to search out by wisdom all that is done under heaven; it is an unhappy business that God has given to human beings to be busy with. ¹⁴I saw all the deeds that are done under the sun; and see, all is vanity and a chasing after wind.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.



 I will praise You, Lord, You have rescued me and have not let my enemies rejoice over me. O Lord, You have raised my soul from the dead, restored me to life from those who sink into the grave.

Refrain:

2. Sing psalms to the Lord, you who love Him, give thanks to His holy name. His anger lasts but a moment; His favor through life, At night there are tears, but joy comes with dawn.

Refrain:

 The Lord listened and had pity. The Lord came to my help. For me You have changed my mourning into dancing; O Lord my God, I will thank You forever.

Refrain:

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SECOND LESSON

REVELATION 5:11-14

The vision of John recorded in Revelation offers a glimpse of cosmic worship around the throne. At its center is "the Lamb who was slain."

¹¹Then I looked, and I heard the voice of many angels surrounding the throne and the living creatures and the elders; they numbered myriads of myriads and thousands of thousands, ¹²singing with full voice,

"Worthy is the Lamb that was slaughtered

to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might

and honor and glory and blessing!"

¹³Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, singing,

"To the one seated on the throne and to the Lamb

be blessing and honor and glory and might

forever and ever!"

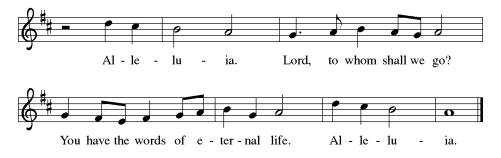
¹⁴And the four living creatures said, "Amen!" And the elders fell down and worshiped.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**





*GOSPEL

JOHN 21:1-19

Those who are able may stand to honor Christ during the reading of the Gospel. Response after the announcement:



The risen Christ appears again to his disciples by the sea where they were first called. After echoes of the fishing and feeding miracles, he gives a final reminder of the cost of a disciple's love and obedience.

¹After [he appeared to his followers in Jerusalem,] Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. ²Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. ³Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We will go with you." They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.

⁴Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. ⁵Jesus said to them, "Children, you have no fish, have you?" They answered him, "No." ⁶He said to them, "Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some." So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. ⁷That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!" When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the sea. ⁸But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off.

⁹When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. ¹⁰Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish that you have just caught." ¹¹So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. ¹²Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they knew it was the Lord. ¹³Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. ¹⁴This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

¹⁵When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs." ¹⁶A second time he said to him, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Tend my sheep." ¹⁷He said to him the third time, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, "Do you love me?" And he said to him, "Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my sheep. ¹⁸Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go." ¹⁹(He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, "Follow me."

P: The Gospel of the Lord.



Vanity

Forgiveness and Reconciliation for Peter and Us

The Law is an aspect of God's Word that shows sin and brokenness: I don't want to forgive. Why do I hold on to these grudges?

The Gospel is an aspect of God's Word that comforts and saves in Christ: Jesus forgives - forgives Peter then and us now - showing us the way of true life now and forever.

So What? Recognize the beauty and vanity of our broken world - live by wisdom in Christ. Choose to forgive. Give the hurt and grudge to God trusting He will ultimately set things right.





Text: Latin hymn, 5th cent.; tr. John Mason Neale, 1818–1866, alt. Music: PUER NOBIS, European tune, adapt. Michael Praetorius, 1571–1621

***THE APOSTLES' CREED**

All are invited to confess our faith in God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. If you have not received the gift of baptism or would like to affirm your faith in Jesus and join His mission here, please indicate on the attendance registry and talk to an usher or the pastor.

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.

ANTHEM

"Shepherd of Souls"

Shepherd of souls, refresh and bless Your chosen pilgrim flock, with manna in the wilderness, with water from the rock.

We should not live by bread alone, but by your word of grace, in strength of which we travel on to our abiding place.

Oh, Shepherd of souls, oh, Shepherd of souls, and our eternal Lord, with bread, with wine, the elements divine, refresh, replenish and retore, restore!

CHANCEL CHOIR

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Be known to us in breaking bread, but do not then depart; abide with us; O Savior, spread your table in our heart.

Lord, sup with us in love divine; Your body and your blood, that living bread, that heav'nly wine, be our immortal food.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

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

A brief silence may be kept. Each prayer will conclude: Lord in Your mercy, and the congregation may respond **Hear our prayers.**

Prayers are commended in Jesus' Name.

AM: All these prayers and whatever else You see that we need we ask in the Name of Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.

C: Amen.

THE SHARING OF THE PEACE

Matthew 5:22-24: Ephesians 4:1-3

P: Sisters and brothers, rejoice. Mend your ways, encourage one another, agree with one another, live in peace. 2 Corinthians 13:11

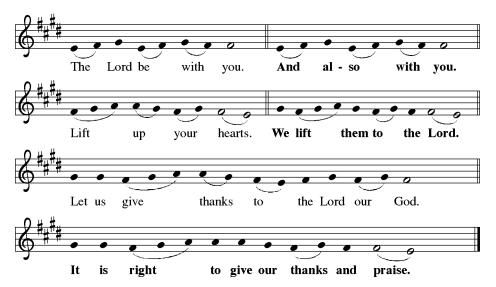
P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.



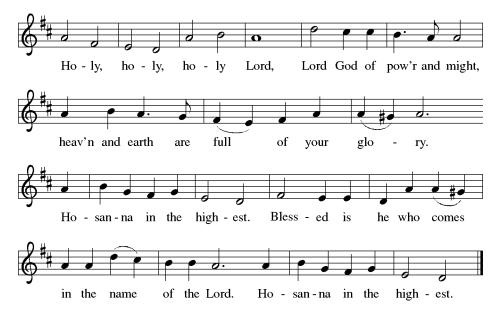
***THE GREAT THANKSGIVING**

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



1 Timothy 2:1-4

*PREFACE FOR THE DAY AND THE HOLY, HOLY, HOLY Isaiah 6:3, Matthew 21:9



*THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION Matthew 26, Mark 14, Luke 22, 1 Corinthians 11

P: 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.

***THE LORD'S PRAYER**

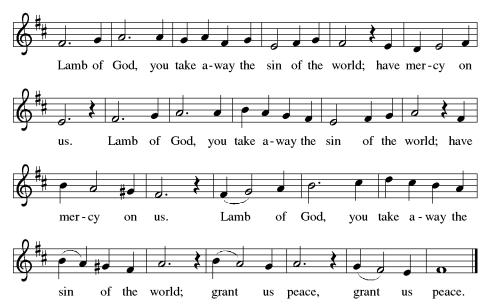
P: Lord, remember us in Your kingdom, and teach us to pray:

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. Matthew 6:9-13

For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

*LAMB OF GOD

John 1:29



***DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION AT THE ALTAR**

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Communion. Please take your communion cup as you leave the altar and discard in trashcan.

P: This is the body of Christ given for you. This is the blood of Christ shed for you.

COMMUNION HYMNS

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SENDING

***THE BLESSING**

P: May the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace. **C: Amen.**



***POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

AM: We give you thanks, generous God, for in this bread and cup we have tasted the new heaven and earth where hunger and thirst are no more. Send us from this table as witnesses to the resurrection, that through our lives, all may know life in Jesus' name.

C: Amen

***BENEDICTION**

"Alleluia! Jesus is Risen!"

ELW #377



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*DISMISSAL P: Go in peace, serve the Lord! C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

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OUR ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the Glory of God by Dan Jenkins in memory of Bill Anton.

THOSE SERVING AT LUTHERAN CHAPEL TODAY

Ministers	People of Lutheran Chapel
Pastor	Michael Comer
Administrative Assistant	Kim Rundzieher
Organist	Lisa Burch
Music Director	Roger Myers
Music Director	Jeanette Myers
Acolyte	Jordan Hoffman
Crucifer	Harry Swindler
Banner Bearer	Lillian Robinson
Lector	Norman Overcash
Assistant Minister	Pam Overcash
Communion Assistants	Ken Obenauf and Beth Swindler
Head Ushers	Steve Clark and Ervin Hoffman

PARISH NEWS

NURSERY ATTENDANTS BY REQUEST: If your family is in need of a nursery attendant during the 10:00 service, please let our ushers know and they will contact one of our standby attendants.

YOU'RE INVITED: The congregation of Lutheran Chapel is invited to attend the 50th Wedding Anniversary Reception for Terry and Trish Ratchford *immediately following the 10:00 service <u>TODAY</u>*. No gifts please - your presence is their present.

CLOTHING CLOSET GIVEAWAY: The Outreach Committee will be hosting a Clothing Giveaway on **Saturday, May 7**. We are very blessed with more clothing than usual and so we need <u>volunteers for every Tuesday and Wednesday from 10:00-12:00</u> until the Giveaway day. On *May 7 we need help with setting up beginning at 8:00am and breaking down at 1:00pm*. Breakfast biscuits, snacks, water, and sodas will be available for all volunteers that day. Please prayerfully consider helping us in this service to our community.

GRADUATION RECOGNITION: If there are any high school or college graduates that would like to be recognized in the *June newsletter*, please contact Kim in the Church Office (churchoffice@lutheranchapelchurch.org) by **Friday**, **May 20**. Thank you!

OWLS: The OWLS will meet for lunch on **Thursday, May 19** at **4:00pm** at <u>Captains Cap</u> on Linwood. We hope you'll join us for this time of good food and fellowship.

W&M MEETING: The next Worship & Music Committee meeting will be held on **May 19**at **6pm** in the Conference Room.

WEDNESDAY EVENING SERVICES: The Simple Evening Prayer Services have resumed. We hope you'll join us Wednesday evenings at **7:00pm** in the **Chapel**!

DAILY PRAYER

EACH MORNING AND EVENING, PRAY TO THE LORD. (*Psalm 1:2*) Prayer lists and roster, Psalter readings, daily Bible lessons, and a song of praise are below.

PRAYER LIST FOR FELLOWSHIP: Judy Brandt, Todd Carpenter, Larry Collins, Kathy Finch, Paulette Hale, Pr. Peter & Nancy Homovich, Dan Lineberger, **Betty Petty**, Doug Rhyne, Bill & Kay Robinson, Ed Robinson, Pat & Barbara Robinson, and Myra Weaver

FRIENDS OF THE FELLOWSHIP: Harry & Fran Angstadt, Sam Bell, Eula Brazell, Bill Bridges, Deborah Carpenter, Mary Collins, Michael Deacon, Brooke Ensley, Jamison Franklin, Mona Fulton, Brenda Heins, Jack Jeffries, Paula Kadel, Ernestine Kincaid, Suzanne Ledford, Robbie and Cathy Lewis, Lee Norris, Mike Palmer, Rita Pasour, Anna Rider, Ellie Riley, Dakota Shuford, Charlene Sorenson, and **family of Judi Truesdail**

To share concerns and updates for the prayer list you can contact the church office (704-864-6491), Pastor Comer (704-787-6439) or our prayer team (Katherine Carpenter 704-214-2493).

PRAYER ROSTER - Pray for one another. (Ephesians 6:18)

Sunday: Ben Nigbor Monday: Darby Shaw Nigbor Tuesday: Kirk Nigbor Wednesday: Ken Obenauf Thursday: Nancy Witman Friday: Norman Overcash Saturday: Pam Overcash

FEAST OF PSALMS: Easter

	<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>
AM	9, 16	30, 33	66, 93	99, 100	114, 115	118, 124	147, 148
PM	23, 24	47, 49	96, 98	111, 113	116, 117	145, 146	149, 150

THE BIBLE IN A YEAR - Week 18: May 1 to May 8, 2022

05/01 Morning Reading: Luke 21:20-38—Evening Reading: 1 Kings 10, 11

05/02 Morning Reading: Luke 22:1-20—Evening Reading: 1 Kings 12, 13

05/03 Morning Reading: Luke 22:21-46—Evening Reading: 1 Kings 14, 15

05/04 Morning Reading: Luke 22:47-71—Evening Reading: 1 Kings 16, 17, 18

05/05 Morning Reading: Luke 23:1-25—Evening Reading: 1 Kings 19, 20

05/06 Morning Reading: Luke 23:26-56—Evening Reading: 1 Kings 21, 22

05/07 Morning Reading: Luke 24:1-35—Evening Reading: 2 Kings 1, 2, 3

05/08 Morning Reading: Luke 24:36-53—Evening Reading: 2 Kings 4, 5, 6

Songs of Praise:	"The Strife is O'er the Battle Done"	ELW #366
	"I Will Call Upon the LORD"	W&P #70

Wednesday, May 4 - Holy Communion

Psalm 119:9-16 and Exodus 20:1-2, 14 ~ *"Sixth Commandment"* Sunday, May 8 ~ Service of the Word Song of Solomon 2:1-7, 6:1-3 and John 10:22-30 ~ *"The Good Shepherd"*

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This QR code goes straight to the Daily prayers page on the website that list the commemorations for the week.



CHURCH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK SUNDAY, MAY 1- SATURDAY, MAY 7, 2022

Sun-01	9:00 am	Luther Choir & Bible Study/Sunday School
	10:00 am	Worship (Sanctuary)
	11:00 am	Ratchford Reception (Family Life Center)
	6:00 pm	Chancel Choir
	8:00 pm	Faith Group (Fellowship Hall)
Mon-02	8:30 am	Preschool
Tues-03	8:30 am	Preschool
	10:00 am	Clothing Closet Workday
Wed-04	7:00 am	Private Event (Family Life Center)
	8:30 am	Preschool
	10:00 am	Clothing Closet Workday
	7:00 pm	Evening Prayer (Chapel)
Thur-05	8:30 am	Preschool
Sat-07	8:00 am 11:00 am	Set up for Clothing Giveaway Clothing Giveaway