

**PRINCE OF PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
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**April 20, 2025**  
**RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD**  
**EASTER SUNDAY**  
**8:30 AM**



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**THE SANCTUARY CANDLE** shines this week to the Glory of God in honor of Ryan Gray's birthday. Given with love by Phyllis & Wendy Gray.

**THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR** this week are dedicated to the Glory of God in honor of the 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary of Jack & Dottie Staab. Given with love by their family.

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### **HOLY COMMUNION:**

All baptized Christians are invited to share in Holy Communion. In this sacrament by the power of God's Word and the Holy Spirit, we receive the body and blood of Jesus Christ, along with the bread and wine. Those individuals who do not wish to receive wine may receive grape juice. Wine is poured into the empty glasses. The prefilled glasses have grape juice. If mobility is a problem, please inform the usher and communion will be brought to you. Please advise the Pastor if you would like Gluten Free Wafers for communion

### **BOOKMARK:**

Everyone is asked to fill out the bookmark found in today's bulletin and place it in the offering plate located at the front of the church.

# RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD – EASTER DAY

April 20, 2025

P: Presiding Minister  
ELW: Red Hymnal

A: Assisting Minister

**C: CONGREGATION**  
\*Stand if you are able

**Welcome**

**Prelude**      **Johannes Brahms (1833-1897), *Final Theme from Symphony # 1***

## +++SERVICE OF PREPARATION+++

P      Alleluia! Christ is risen.

C      **Christ is risen, indeed. Alleluia!**

### **\* Confession and Forgiveness**

P      Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God,  
who forgives all our sin,  
whose mercy endures forever.

C      **Amen.**

P      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.

C      **Amen.**

P      We confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another. 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.**

**\* Opening Hymn**

***Jesus Christ Is Risen Today***

**ELW 365**

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!

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!

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!

Sing we to our God above, Alleluia!  
praise eternal as his love; Alleluia!  
praise him, all you heav'nly host, Alleluia!  
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia!

**+++LITURGY OF THE WORD+++**

**\*Greeting**

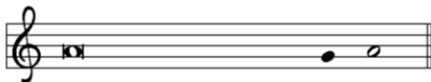
P Alleluia! Christ is risen.

C **Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

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.**

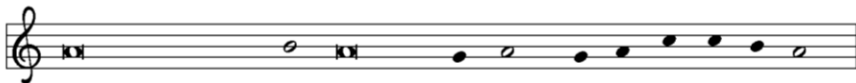
# \* Kyrie



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



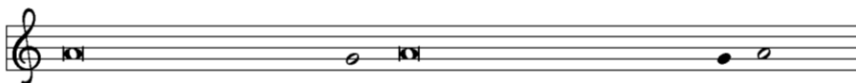
Lord, have mer - cy.



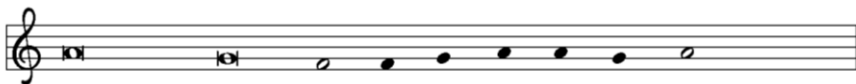
For the peace from a-bove, and for our sal - vation, let us pray to the Lord.



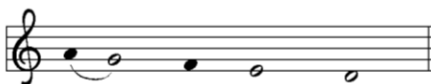
Lord, have mer - cy.



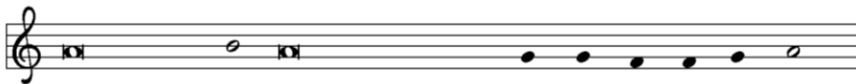
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



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



Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their wor-ship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord. Lord have mer - cy.



Help, save, comfort, and de-fend us, gra-cious Lord. A - men.

## \* Hymn of Praise



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia.



1 Wor-thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us



free to be peo-ple of God. Pow - er and rich - es and wis - dom and



strength, and hon - or and bless-ing and glo - ry are his.



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia.



2 Sing with all the peo - ple of God and join in the



hymn of all cre - a - tion: Bless-ing and hon - or and glo - ry and



might be to God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God, for the Lamb who was slain



has be - gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

## \* Prayer of the Day



**P** Let us pray

O God, you gave your only Son to suffer death on the cross for our redemption, and by His glorious resurrection you delivered us from the power of death. Make us die every day to sin, that we may live with Him forever in the joy of the resurrection, through your Son, Jesus Christ Our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

## First Reading

### Acts 10:34-43

*Peter crosses the immense religious and social boundary that separates Jews from Gentiles in order to proclaim the good news of Jesus' life, death, and resurrection, so that God's forgiveness in Jesus' name would reach out to the Gentiles just as it had to Jews.*

<sup>34</sup>Then Peter began to speak to them: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, <sup>35</sup>but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. <sup>36</sup>You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ — he is Lord of all. <sup>37</sup>That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: <sup>38</sup>how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. <sup>39</sup>We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; <sup>40</sup>but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, <sup>41</sup>not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. <sup>42</sup>He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. <sup>43</sup>All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

**Psalms 118:1-2, 14-24**

<sup>1</sup>Give thanks to the LORD, for the LORD is good; God's mercy endures forever.

**<sup>2</sup>Let Israel now declare, "God's mercy endures forever."**

<sup>14</sup>The LORD is my strength and my song, and has become my salvation.

**<sup>15</sup>Shouts of rejoicing and salvation echo in the tents of the righteous:**

**"The right hand of the LORD acts valiantly!"**

<sup>16</sup>The right hand of the LORD is exalted! The right hand of the LORD acts valiantly!"

**<sup>17</sup>I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the LORD,**

<sup>18</sup>The LORD indeed punished me sorely, but did not hand me over to death.

**<sup>19</sup>Open for me the gates of righteousness;**

**I will enter them and give thanks to the LORD.**

<sup>20</sup>"This is the gate of the LORD; here the righteous may enter."

**<sup>21</sup>I give thanks to you, for you have answered me**

**and you have become my salvation.**

<sup>22</sup>The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.

**<sup>23</sup>By the LORD has this been done; it is marvelous in our eyes.**

<sup>24</sup>This is the day that the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

**Second Reading**

**1 Corinthians 15:19-26**

*Paul describes the consequences of the resurrection, including the promise of new life in Christ to a world that has been in bondage to death. He celebrates the destruction of evil and the establishment of God's victorious rule over all.*

<sup>19</sup> If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied.

<sup>20</sup> But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. <sup>21</sup> For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; <sup>22</sup> for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. <sup>23</sup> But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. <sup>24</sup> Then comes the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, after he has destroyed every ruler and every authority and power. <sup>25</sup> For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. <sup>26</sup> The last enemy to be destroyed is death.

This is the Word of the Lord.

**C      Thanks be to God.**

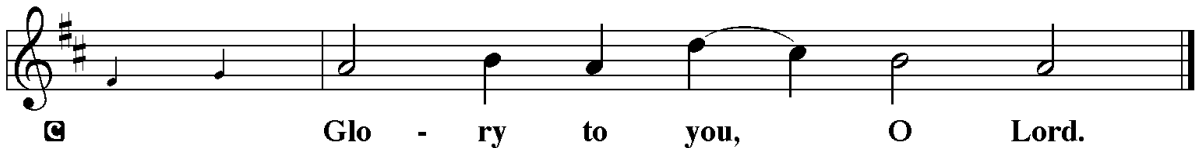
**A      Please rise, as you are able, for the reading of The Gospel**



\* Alleluia Verse



P The Gospel according to Luke the 24<sup>th</sup> Chapter



\* Holy Gospel

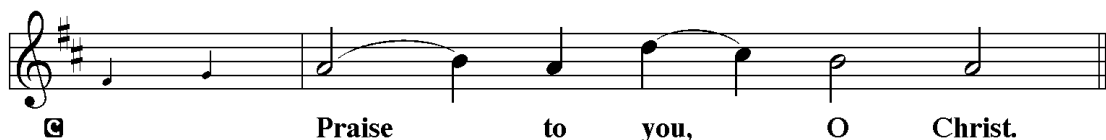
Luke 24:1-12

*Evidently expecting to find Jesus' corpse, some of the women among his followers go to the tomb with embalming spices. After a perplexing encounter with the empty tomb and angelic visitors, the women become the first to proclaim the amazing news of resurrection.*

<sup>1</sup> On the first day of the week, at early dawn, [the women] came to the tomb, taking the spices that they had prepared. <sup>2</sup> They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, <sup>3</sup> but when they went in, they did not find the body. <sup>4</sup> While they were perplexed about this, suddenly two men in dazzling clothes stood beside them. <sup>5</sup> The women were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, "Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen. <sup>6</sup> Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, <sup>7</sup> that the Son of Man must be handed over to sinners, and be crucified, and on the third day rise again." <sup>8</sup> Then they remembered his words, <sup>9</sup> and returning from the tomb, they told all this to the eleven and to all the rest. <sup>10</sup> Now it was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the other women with them who told this to the apostles.

<sup>11</sup> But these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. <sup>12</sup> But Peter got up and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; then he went home, amazed at what had happened.

The Gospel of the Lord.



**Sermon**

**The Rev. Paul Collinson-Streng**

**\* Hymn of the Day**

***Thine Is the Glory***

**ELW 376**

Thine is the glory,  
risen, conqu'ring Son;  
endless is the vict'ry  
thou o'er death hast won!  
Angels in bright raiment  
rolled the stone away,  
kept the folded grave-clothes  
where thy body lay.

Lo, Jesus meets thee,  
risen from the tomb!  
Lovingly he greets thee,  
scatters fear and gloom;  
let his church with gladness  
hymns of triumph sing,  
for the Lord now liveth;  
death hath lost its sting! *Refrain*

*Refrain*

Thine is the glory,  
risen, conqu'ring Son;  
endless is the vict'ry  
thou o'er death hast won!

No more we doubt thee,  
glorious Prince of life;  
life is naught without thee;  
aid us in our strife;  
make us more than conqu'rors,  
through thy deathless love;  
bring us safe through Jordan  
to thy home above. *Refrain*

**\* Nicene Creed**

**C       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,  
  by the power of the Holy Spirit  
  He became incarnate from the virgin Mary, and was made man.  
  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 he is worshiped and glorified,  
  He 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 the Church**

A God of resurrection and new life, we come before you in prayer for the church, the world, and all who are in need.

*A brief silence*

Each petition will end with “God of grace,”

C The congregation will respond with, **“hear our prayer.”**

P We commend these and all our prayers to you, O God, trusting that you are always with us; in the name of Jesus Christ, our risen Savior.

C **Amen.**

## **\* Sharing of the Peace**

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C **And also with you.**

**+ + + LITURGY OF THE MEAL + + +**

## **Reception of the Offering**

## \* Offertory

## Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

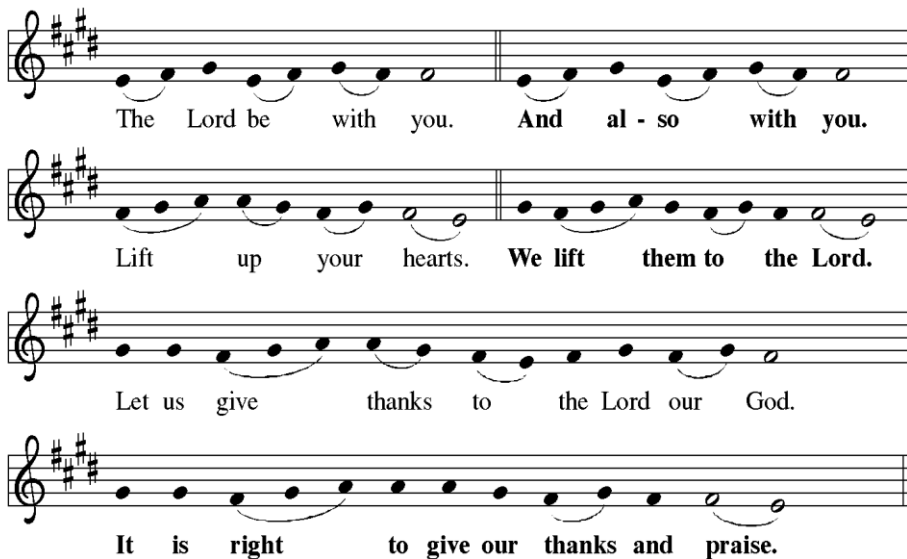
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
praise God, all creatures here below;  
praise God above, ye heav'nly host;  
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

## \* Offertory Prayer

**A**     **Let us pray**  
Risen One,  
you have gathered us around your table of grace  
along with these gifts we bring.  
Come among us again,  
breathe your life into us,  
and enliven us with this meal,  
that we may live as your risen body in the world.

**C**     **Amen.**

## \* The Great Thanksgiving



The musical notation consists of four staves, each with a treble clef and a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The notes are connected by slurs, indicating a continuous melody. The lyrics are written below the notes.

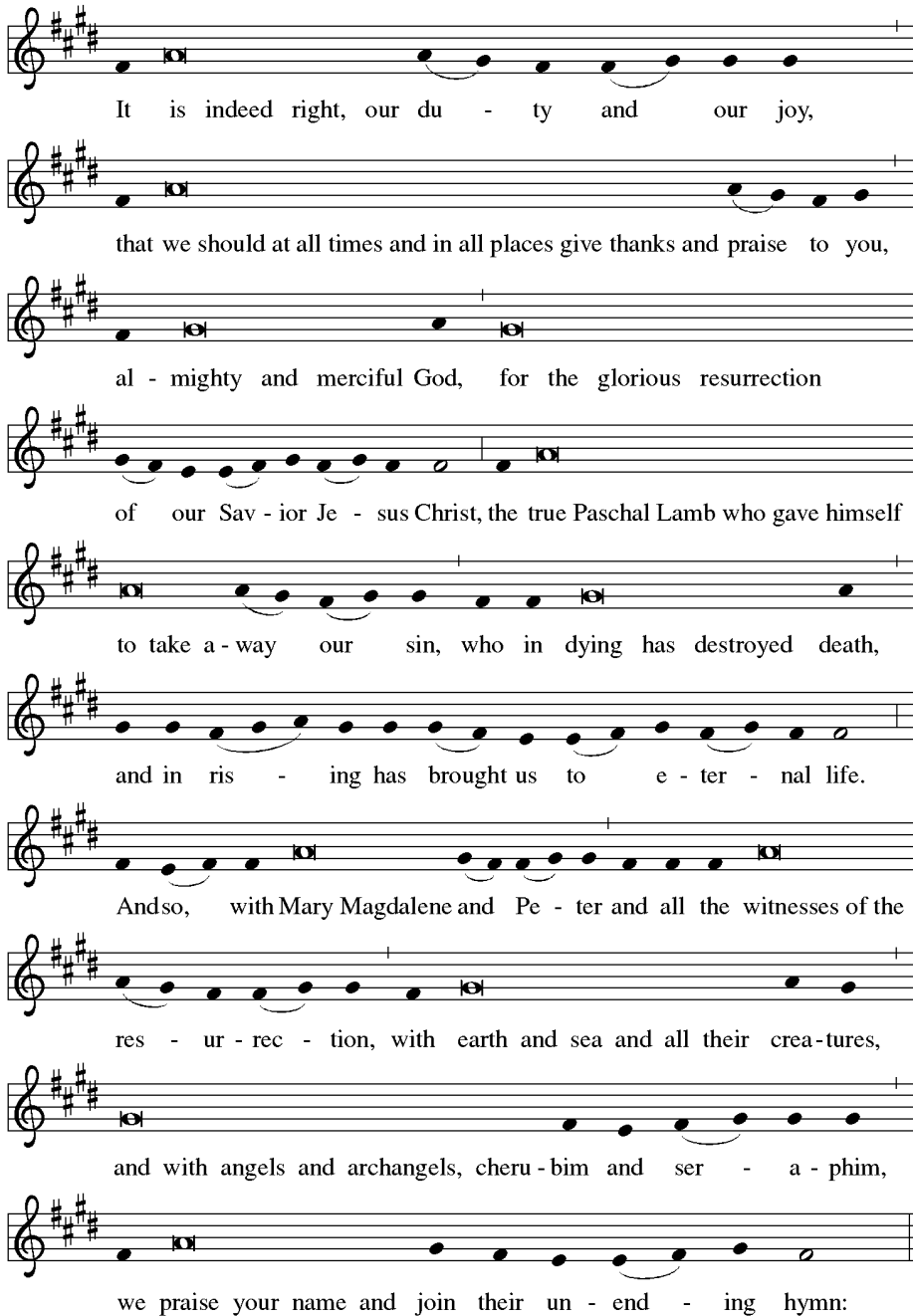
The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

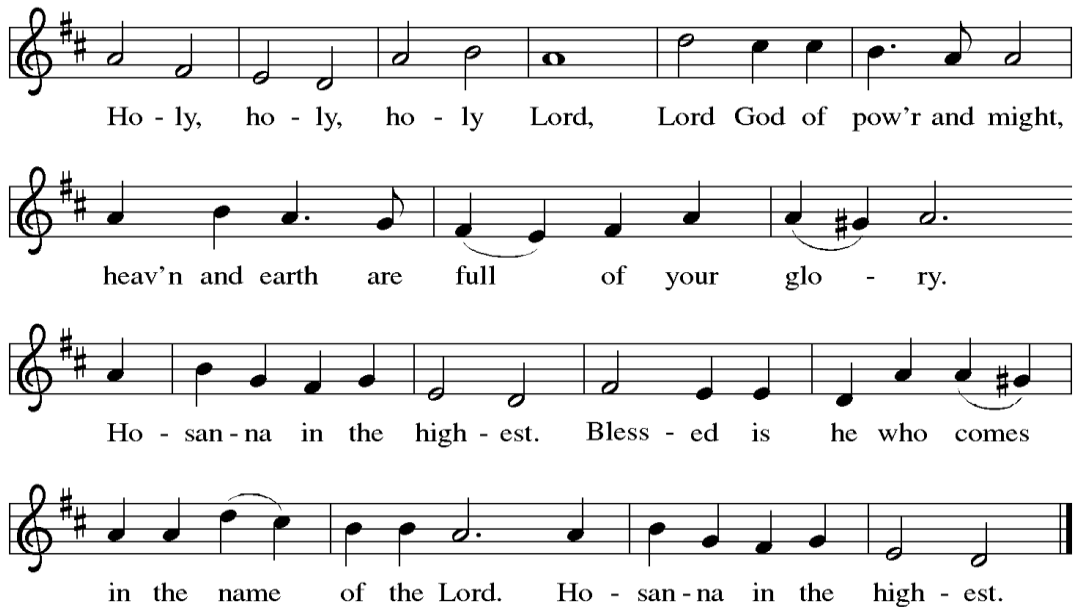
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

## \* Preface for Easter



It is indeed right, our du - ty and our joy,  
that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you,  
al - mighty and merciful God, for the glorious resurrection  
of our Sav - ior Je - sus Christ, the true Paschal Lamb who gave himself  
to take a - way our sin, who in dying has destroyed death,  
and in ris - ing has brought us to e - ter - nal life.  
Andso, with Mary Magdalene and Pe - ter and all the witnesses of the  
res - ur - rec - tion, with earth and sea and all their crea - tures,  
and with angels and archangels, cheru - bim and ser - a - phim,  
we praise your name and join their un - end - ing hymn:

## \* Sanctus



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,  
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.  
Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes  
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

## \* Eucharistic Prayer

P Holy God, mighty Lord, gracious Father:  
Endless is your mercy and eternal your reign. You have filled all creation with  
light and life; heaven and earth are full of your glory.

We praise you for the grace shown to your people in every age:  
the promise to Israel, the rescue from Egypt, the gift of the promised land,  
the words of the prophets; and, at this end of all the ages, the gift of your Son,  
who proclaimed the good news in word and deed and was obedient to your will,  
even to giving his life.

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.

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

**C Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

**P** Therefore, O God, with this bread and cup we remember the life our Lord offered for us. And, believing the witness of his resurrection, we await his coming in power to share with us the great and promised feast.

**C Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

**P** Send now, we pray, your Holy Spirit, that we who share in Christ's body and blood may live to the praise of your glory and receive our inheritance with all your saints in light.

**C Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.**

**P** Join our prayers with those of your servants of every time and every place, and unite them with the ceaseless petitions of our great high priest until he comes as victorious Lord of all.

Through him, with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is yours, almighty Father, now and forever.

**C Amen.**

### **\* The Lord's Prayer**

**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

P Come to the table of grace.  
Receive the gift of new life.

+ + + COMMUNION + + +

## \* Agnus Dei (Lamb of God)

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on  
us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have  
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the  
sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

## Communion Hymn

## *Let Us Break Bread Together*

ELW 471

Let us break bread together on our  
knees;  
let us break bread together on our  
knees.

Let us drink wine together on our knees;  
let us drink wine together on our knees.  
*Refrain*

## *Refrain*

When I fall on my knees,  
with my face to the rising sun,  
O Lord, have mercy on me.

Let us praise God together on our  
knees;  
let us praise God together on our knees.  
*Refrain*

### \* Post-Communion Blessings

P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C Amen.

### \* Post Communion Canticle



☐ Thank the Lord and sing his praise; tell ev-'ry-one what he has done.



Let all who seek the Lord re-joice and proud-ly bear his name.



He re-calls his prom-is-es and leads his peo-ple forth in joy with



shouts of thanks-giv-ing. Al-le-lu-ia. Al-le-lu-ia.

### \* Post-Communion Prayer

A Let us pray  
Living One,  
in this feast you have made yourself known to us.  
Send us now to tell of your wonders,  
sing of your glory,  
and proclaim your risen life  
to a wounded and weary world.

C Amen.

### \* Blessing

The triune God,  
who was, who is, and who is to come,  
Sovereign, ✠ Savior, and Spirit,  
light your way with resurrection dawn,  
now and always.

Amen.

**\* Dismissal**

P Alleluia! Christ is risen.

**C Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

P Go in peace. In Christ you are made new. Alleluia! Alleluia!

**C Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**\* Closing Hymn**

***Christ Is Risen! Alleluia!***

**ELW 382**

Christ is risen! Alleluia!  
Risen our victorious head!  
Sing his praises! Alleluia!  
Christ is risen from the dead!  
Gratefully our hearts adore him  
as his light once more appears;  
bowing down in joy before him,  
rising up from griefs and tears.

*Refrain*

Christ is risen! Alleluia!  
Risen our victorious head!  
Sing his praises! Alleluia!  
Christ is risen from the dead!

Christ is risen! All the sadness  
of our Lenten fast is o'er;  
through the open gates of gladness  
he returns to life once more;  
death and hell before him bending  
see him rise, the victor now,

angels on his steps attending,  
glory round his wounded brow. *Refrain*

Christ is risen! All the sorrow  
that last evening round him lay  
now has found a glorious morrow  
in the rising of today.  
See the grave its first fruits giving,  
springing up from holy ground;  
Christ was dead, but now is living;  
he was lost, but he is found. *Refrain*

Christ is risen! Henceforth never  
death or hell shall us enthrall.  
We are Christ's, in him forever  
we have triumphed over all.  
All the doubting and dejection  
of our trembling hearts have ceased;  
hail the day of resurrection!  
Let us rise and keep the feast. *Refrain*

**Postlude: George Frederick Handel (1685 - 1759), *March* from "Rinaldo"**

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## **ASSISTING IN TODAY'S SERVICE:**

### **Assisting Ministers Serving Today:**

**8:30 AM    Andrea Fuller**

**10:00 AM    Kathy Gunkel**

## **ASSISTING NEXT WEEK:**

**Kathy Gunkel**

**Bridget Heeter**

### **Lectors:**

**8:30 AM    Skip Kordula**

**10:00 AM    Colin Lewis**

**Lou Romeo**

**Cindy Hinkelman**

### **Ushers:**

**8:30 AM    Kathy Gunkel & Bernie Bigham**

**10:00 AM    Beth Doerflein, Wayne Doerflein,  
Dee Joyce, Michael Joyce**

### **Communion Assistants:**

**8:30 AM    Melanie Rutkauskas & Skip Kordula**

**Lynn Weber & Beth Kirtland**

**10:00 AM    Sue Hester & Beth Kirtland**

**Tom Arentz & Michele Jecelin**

### **Altar Guild:**

**8:30 AM    Ruth Recchia & Diana Passapae**

**Ruth Recchia &**

**10:00 AM    Bridget Heeter & Alyssa Heeter**

**Paulette Molz & Beth Kirtland**

### **Counters:**

**(Monday 4/21)**

**Karen Valencik**

**Paulette Molz**

**Kathy Gunkel**

**Carol Erpenstein**

**Bridget Heeter**

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## **Prayerful Community**

**Throughout Scripture, we are invited to pray to God in all kinds of circumstances for all kinds of reasons. We ask God to guide us in our prayers for the church and for those in need. Join in and pray for those groups and friends listed below so that together we may ask for God's help and guidance for those in need.**

Alex, Joseph Ashun, Charles, Mary Clark, Susan Clarke, Isabel Cristóvão, Eileen, Friends & Family of Gary Fuhrman, Gregory, Kathy, Jean Keiner, Tom Killmayer, August Meekins, Jay Ogbidi, Peg Rathmann, Kelly Romeo, Linda Rowe, Rev. Beth Schlegel, Tommy Schmidt, Carl Scudder, Patricia Scudder, Valeria & Fred Somwara, Joan Stoecker, Tammie, Tessa, Valerie, The Family of Richard Wastler

**Thank you for praying for those listed above during the week.**

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### **WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS:**

**Those serving in the Military in all theaters and their families:**

Anthony J. Aguilar, Tristan Armiger, Ryan Bailey, Timothy Buhrman-Hall, Eric Dillion, Andrew Evans, Nicholas Gugliuzza, Nathan Jecelin, Madison Johnson, Mason Ledbetter, Greg Majerowicz, Austin Machin, Robert Marotti, Brandon Oldham, Keith Richards, Robert Ritter, Louis Peter Romeo IV, Cayden Samuels, Wesley Schools, Howard Stephens, Giovanni Valdez, Michael Violanti, Kendra Violanti, Eric Warthen, Jr., Amanda Williams, Chad Workman, James "Paul" Worth, Frank Worsham, Jr.

**Prayer for our troops: Lord, please hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Amen.**

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### **DEDICATION INFORMATION**

What a wonderful way to commemorate an occasion, celebrate a loved one or remember someone who has passed. Each week, you can dedicate the candles, flowers,

or bulletins in honor or memory of a person(s). The dedication is then printed in the bulletin of the desired week, with the money from the dedication being used to support the purchase of liquid wax for the candles, paper for the bulletins, and flowers for the altar. In the case of the flowers, they can be taken home by the dedicator after the last service, or made available for the church to give to someone in need of encouragement (i.e., an at home member, someone in a care facility, someone in the hospital, etc.) **The cost for each dedication is \$6 for the candles; \$42 for two arrangements of flowers for the altar; \$21 for one arrangement of flowers for the altar; and \$13 for the bulletin.** A sign-up sheet is available in the narthex for the coming weeks, and a dedication form is also in the narthex to detail how you would like the dedication to be printed. Please feel free to call the church office with any questions 410-866-8766.

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## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**In-person worship services are 8:30 & 10 AM.**

**The 8:30 AM service is in the Traditional style.**

**The 10 AM service is in the Contemporary style the first three Sundays of the month, and in the Traditional style the fourth (and if there is a fifth) Sunday of the month.**

**Additionally, a midweek in-person service at 7pm is held the first and third Wednesday night of the month.**

**The service is casual and lasts about 30 minutes.**

**The parish office is open 8:30 AM - 1:30 PM Monday - Friday.**

**Pastor Paul is generally in the office Tuesday and Thursday 10am – 1pm.**

**The Food Pantry is open every Wednesday morning 10:00 am- Noon.**

**UPDATES ABOUT THE CALL COMMITTEE** - The Call Committee members have been elected by the Council and were installed by Pastor Paul on Sunday April 6<sup>th</sup>. Their first meeting was on April 7<sup>th</sup>. The members are: John Chrzanowski, Bob DeJong, Beth Doerflein, Beth Kirtland, Skip Kordula, Lill Tomecek. **Keep checking here for updates throughout the process.**

**LIVE STREAMING** – Our Tech Team has been working hard on bringing our services back online! This is great news, as there are many folks who cannot get here on Sundays - for many reasons. So, beginning with the service on Easter Sunday April 20<sup>th</sup> we will be live streaming our 8:30 service live on our Facebook page. You can reach our page here:

**facebook.com/PrinceOfPeaceRosedale**

We will have a disclaimer hanging on the door as you enter, stating, ‘Welcome to Church – We are live streaming to share the good news of Jesus with our community. If you want worshipping privacy, do not sit in the first three pews.’ Let’s pray all goes well with our first attempt and then you can share with those you think would benefit in our service. Call the office with any questions.

**PRAYER LIST** - Those on the prayer list will remain for 4 weeks and then be removed – unless otherwise specified. If you would like to add, remove or edit someone on the list, please fill out the back of the bookmark in your bulletin, complete prayer request card located in the back of the narthex or contact the office at 410-866-8766 or [office@poplutheranbaltimore.org](mailto:office@poplutheranbaltimore.org). **Please let the office or Pastor Paul know of anyone who would benefit from a phone call or visit during their time of need.**

**NITE TIMERS** - Please join us for an evening of food, fellowship and fun! Our next outing will be at LoonASea, 207 Nanticoke Rd., Essex, MD 21221 on **Thursday, May 15th @ 6 pm**. There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex. Please see Beth Doerflein for more information.

**BOOK CLUB** - PoP Book Club met on **March 24** and gathered to discuss *The Book Of Doors* by Gareth Brown. Our next meeting will be on **Monday, April 28 at 7p.m.** and our next book is, *Remarkable Bright Creatures* by Shelby Van Pelt. Please read and join us but if you can’t, please read (this or something else). Books open our lives up to new adventures of all shapes and sizes.

**GAME NIGHT – April 25, 2025** - Join us in February for games, fellowship, and Breakfast. All ages are welcome. Please bring your own beverage and an item to share. Games are available or you are welcome to bring your own game to share. Linda DeJong  
[bldejong@verizon.net](mailto:bldejong@verizon.net)

**ARTISTIC SYNERGY** – Our own little Broadway right downstairs, will be having their performance of *Motherhood Out Loud* on **May 9-18<sup>th</sup>**. Check their website for details and click the link to buy your tickets. <https://www.artistic-synergy.net/tickets/>

**DAYTIMERS** - Our next event will be on **May 13<sup>th</sup>** at 11:30am and we will have a guest speaker, Mary Ann Jung as Grace O'Malley – The Pirate Queen. Bring your lunch – we hope to see you there!

**FIRST COMMUNION CLASS** - Pastor Paul Collinson-Streng and Linda DeJong will be leading a series of first communion classes in the spring of 2025. If you have a first grader (or older) who would like to take Communion please contact Linda DeJong, [bldejong@verizon.net](mailto:bldejong@verizon.net) or the Church Office.

**DELAWARE-MARYLAND SYNOD ASSEMBLY 2025** – This year's DE-MD Synod Assembly will be on May 30 & 31. It will be held at Grace Lutheran Church 21 Carroll Street Westminster, MD. There is a timeline posted in the narthex as to what will be happening up until the date. Contact the office with any questions.

**ANIMAL ANGELS** – Prince of Peace collects pet food, pet toys, pet snacks for dogs and cats, and towels to support the MD SPCA and its ministry through Meals on Wheels. The SPCA will only accept items that are new, unopened and in their original packaging. A collection bucket may be found in the back of the church. For more information, please contact Evelyn Armiger at 410-687-8275.

**COMMUNITY FLEA MARKET** - Prince of Peace will be holding a Flea Market on **Saturday, May 17** 8:00 am – 1:00 pm on the front lawn of the church property. **There will be pit beef available for purchase!** All spaces are at least 10' x 10' and will be \$20 each. Please contact the church office 410-866-8766 or Linda DeJong [bldejong@verizon.net](mailto:bldejong@verizon.net) to reserve a space. The event is weather permitting. Payment is not needed until the day of the event.

**LUNCH BUNCH** - the Lunch Bunch women's ministry will meet again on **Tuesday, May 6<sup>th</sup>** at noon at The Silver Moon Diner. This is a time to spend with friends and get to make new ones. If you would like to join them, there is a sign-up sheet in the narthex.

**CIVIL RIGHTS PILGRIMAGE** – Footsteps of Freedom will be held **June 17 – 21** in Richmond, Washington DC and Baltimore. Visit [www.stjohnssweetair.org](http://www.stjohnssweetair.org) for more information.

**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL** - The Prince of Peace Adult Sunday School has resumed. Please contact Ruth Recchia for more information and to have your contact email added to the Zoom list.



**EASTER EGG HUNT** – Our annual Easter Egg Hunt will be held on **Easter Sunday April 20<sup>th</sup>** following the 10am worship service. Children through 5<sup>th</sup> grade are welcome!

**STREETS OF HOPE SPAGHETTI DINNER FUNDRAISER** – Save the Date!! PoP is hosting another dinner fundraiser in support of Churches for Streets of Hope on **Friday, May 16<sup>th</sup>** from 4:00 PM to 6:30 PM. Keep checking these announcements for more details as we get closer!

**SCHOLARSHIP BINGO** – Save the date!! Prince of Peace will be having a **PURSE BINGO** on **Saturday May 3<sup>rd</sup>**. Doors open at 5pm and games start at 6pm! 20 games for \$20. Come support our Scholarship Fund! Tickets will be available starting Sunday April 6<sup>th</sup> between the services. For more information, please contact Linda DeJong at [bldejong@verizon.net](mailto:bldejong@verizon.net)

**FOOD PANTRY FOR SENIORS** – We are currently in need of paper towels, toilet tissue and laundry detergent for 6 Rosedale seniors. These seniors' names are given to us by the Department of Aging Home Team and they also receive a food bag monthly. Please deposit these items in the food pantry cart in the narthex along with food items.

**CREATION CARE MINISTRY** – is now offering a weekly flyer/handout that will be available on the table in the narthex. Feel free to take one and enjoy reading about Creation Moments. Call the office with any questions.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** – Mark your calendars!! VBS will be held on **July 13<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup>** from 6pm – 8pm. The theme this year will be 'Magnified! *Discovering the bigness of God in the smallest of things.*' Contact Linda DeJong at [bldejong@verizon.net](mailto:bldejong@verizon.net) for information or to volunteer.

**YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL** - Youth Sunday School is held every Sunday during the 10:00 a.m. Worship through Pentecost, June 8, 2025. **Easter Sunday, April 20<sup>th</sup> will be Family Church followed by the Easter Egg Hunt.** Any questions, please contact Linda DeJong, [bldejong@verizon.net](mailto:bldejong@verizon.net). ***We are always looking for assistants in Sunday School, please let Linda know if you are interested and we will get you on the schedule.***

**EMAILING OF CYBERPOP AND THE VINE** – The emails are now being done in-house saving money by cancelling our Mailchimp account. If you are signed up and not receiving it, please check your spam folder. If you are not receiving it and would like to, email the office with ‘sign me up for updates’ to [office@poplutheranbaltimore.org](mailto:office@poplutheranbaltimore.org)

**FOOD PANTRY SPRING PANTRY FILL** - *Beginning the first Sunday after Easter* - **April 27th** we would like to ask the congregation to participate by bringing in a specific item on a specific Sunday. This will help to stock our pantry for spring. There are bookmarks available in the narthex to take shopping with dates and items listed below. Of course, we will still accept all foods at any time. Thank you for your support!

April 27	Cereal or Pancake Mix & Syrup
May 4	Canned Meat & Tuna Fish
May 11	Canned Veggies & Instant Potatoes
May 18	Peanut Butter & Jelly
May 25	Pasta Sauce & Pasta

**KEEPING YOUR RECORDS UPDATED** – Please contact the office with updated information for you to continue to receive timely updates, urgent announcements and upcoming events. We receive many undeliverable emails and would like to keep our database updated. You can email the church at [office@poplutheranbaltimore.org](mailto:office@poplutheranbaltimore.org) with your information or call with any questions 410-866-8766. Thank you.

**DEDICATION DATES AVAILABLE** – We currently have the dedication chart posted in the narthex for Flowers, Bulletin and Candle dedication, **Please sign up for the dates you want to secure**, fill out a sheet also posted next to the chart and put it in the plate or in the church office. This is a perfect way to commemorate a special occasion, remember a loved one or celebrate an upcoming event – while helping the church with costs. If you have any questions, call the office and Kathy can walk you through the process.

### **DO YOU WANT TO GIVE AN OFFERING**

– but do not have cash. You can aim your smart phone camera to this code and go directly to Prince of Peace’s website and use your credit or debit card. Thank you! Call the office with any questions.



## **THE LORD'S WEEK AT PRINCE OF PEACE**

<u>Sunday</u>	04/20	ALL DAY	EASTER SUNDAY
		8:30 AM	Traditional Worship
		10:00 AM	Contemporary Worship/Family Church
		11:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Easter Egg Hunt/Outside
		6:00 PM – 9:00 PM	NA Meeting/Ellenberger Hall
<u>Monday</u>	04/21		
<u>Tuesday</u>	04/22	6:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Organ Rehearsal/Sanctuary
		6:30 PM	Property Work Night
		7:00 PM	Church Council/Conference Room
		7:00 PM – 9:00 PM	Motherhood Rehearsal/Theatre
		10:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Food Pantry/Narthex
<u>Wednesday</u>	04/23	7:30 PM – 9:00 PM	Zamar Rehearsal/Theatre
<u>Thursday</u>	04/24	6:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Organ Rehearsal/Sanctuary
		7:00 PM – 9:00 PM	Motherhood Rehearsal/Theatre
<u>Friday</u>	04/25	6:00 PM – 9:00 PM	Game Night/Ellenberger Hall
		7:00 PM	Wing and A Prayer Rehearsal
<u>Saturday</u>	04/26	8:00 AM – 3:00 PM	Young Marines/Ellenberger Hall
		10:00 AM – 2:00 PM	Motherhood Rehearsal/Theatre
		2:00 PM – 5:00 PM	Honk! Auditions/SS Rooms
		3:00 PM – 5:00 PM	Organist Rehearsal/Sanctuary

<u>Sunday</u>	04/27	8:30 AM & 10:00 AM	Traditional Worship
		10:15 AM – 11:00 AM	Youth SS/Upstairs
		11:00 AM – 1:00 PM	WELCA/Ellenberger Hall
		1:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Honk! Auditions/SS Rooms
		6:00 PM – 9:00 PM	NA Meeting/Ellenberger Hall



## EASTER LILIES



### IN MEMORY OF

Loved ones by Phyllis & Wendy Gray  
 Christ Resurrection by Michael & Diana Joyce  
 Our loved ones by Kathy & Joe Wiegand  
 Family & Friends by Martie & Jay Sonntag  
 Grandmothers & Grandfathers by Kathryn Gunkel  
 Don McIntyre by Becky McIntyre  
 Augusta Recchia by Ruth Recchia  
 Parents & Grandparents by Weber Family  
 Homer & Jean Martin by Doug & Cindy Alt  
 Bill Pozaro by Doug & Cindy Alt  
 Donnie Carr by Doug & Cindy Alt

### IN HONOR OF

My Family by Lillian Moorehead  
 Dan & Andrea Alt by Doug & Cindy Alt  
 Ken & Lisa Hinkleman & Family by Paul & Cindy Hinkleman  
 Kathy & Valerie by Shannon & Moolchand  
 Camryn & Connor Alt by Doug & Cindy Alt  
 Mike & Carey Robertson by Doug & Cindy Alt  
 Kaylee & Harper Robertson by Doug & Cindy Alt  
 Bonnie Alt by Doug & Cindy Alt  
 Erik, Alyssa, Ben & Alex by Paul & Marsha Collinson-Streng



## FLOWERS ON CROSS



### **IN MEMORY OF**

Loved ones by Phyllis & Wendy Gray  
Loved ones by Doug & Cindy Alt  
Family & Friends by Martie & Jay Sonntag  
Grandmothers & Grandfathers by Kathryn Gunkel  
Family & Friends in Heaven by Becky McIntyre  
Loved ones by Joe & Kathy Wiegand

### **IN HONOR OF**

Kathy & Valerie by Shannon & Moolchand  
My Family by Lillian Moorehead  
Loved ones by Wendy Gray  
Christ Resurrection by Michael & Diana Joyce  
Ken & Lisa Hinkleman & Family by Paul & Cindy Hinkleman  
Our Risen Lord by Ruth Recchia  
Family & Friends by the Weber Family  
Linda Saul  
Family & Friends by Artistic Synergy of Baltimore

### **Thank you for joining us for Easter Sunday service!**

Please come back and join us throughout the year. Below is our service schedule and there are always many types of activities going on around Prince of Peace. Email us to receive our newsletter and stay informed!

[office@poplutheranbaltimore.org](mailto:office@poplutheranbaltimore.org)

### **Worship Schedule**

#### **SUNDAY**

Traditional Worship 8:30 AM  
Contemporary Worship 10:00 AM (1<sup>st</sup> three weeks)  
Remaining Sunday(s) 10:00 Traditional

#### **WEDNESDAY**

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> 7:00 PM