

OUR SAVIOR EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

24 APRIL A.D. 2016

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



JESUS SAID, "AND WHEN THE HELPER COMES, HE WILL CONVICT THE WORLD CONCERNING SIN, AND RIGHTEOUSNESS AND JUDGEMENT..." JOHN 16:8

THE DIVINE SERVICE, SETTING ONE
8:30 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.

VISITORS Welcome!

We give thanks to the Lord that you are here with us today! Please be sure to introduce yourself to the Pastor and to other members. Take a moment to sign the "Record of Fellowship" booklet located in your pew near the center aisle. *If you don't have a church home, please leave us with the appropriate information and we will contact you.* We would be delighted to serve you at Our Savior!

THE LORD'S SUPPER

The Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood is celebrated in the Divine Service. Participation in the Lord's Supper indicates unity in faith (1 Corinthians 10:16-21). **Visitors desiring to commune are asked to first speak with the Pastor.** Ushers are available to arrange a meeting prior to the service. Parents who bring children to the altar to be blessed during the Lord's Supper, *to avoid spillage, please refrain from giving them the individual communion cup after you have communed.*

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 12:1-6

Epistle

James 1:16-21

Stand

Alleluia and Verse

Congregation: Alleluia refrain

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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The right hand of the LORD exalts, the right hand of the LORD does valiantly! We know that Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. **Congregation: Alleluia refrain**

Holy Gospel

Saint John 16:5-15

(Please remain standing for the Hymn of the Day.)

Hymn of the Day

“Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice” LSB 556
(8:30 – Stanzas 1, 5-10)
(11:00 – Stanzas 1-10; Stanzas 3, 6, 9: Choristers)

Sit

Sermon

Stand

Nicene Creed

LSB 158

Prayer of the Church

LSB 159

Sit

Offering

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” S. Tucker (8:30)
“Christ Has Arisen, Alleluia” LSB 466 / arr. M. Burkhardt (11:00)
(Translation: *Haleluya, Yesu yu hai* – Jesus is living, alleluia!)

(Please pass the “Record of Fellowship” booklet. Be sure to enter each family member/visitor and check the communion box if the member/visitor is partaking.)

Stand

Offertory

“What Shall I Render” LSB 159

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

(Reception of the Lord's Supper indicates unity in confession and faith. If you are a visitor, please refrain from receiving the Blessed Sacrament unless you have first spoken with the Pastor.)

Preface	LSB 160
Sanctus & Prayer of Thanksgiving	LSB 161
Lord's Prayer & Words of Our Lord	LSB 162
Pax Domini & Agnus Dei	LSB 163
<i>Sit</i>	
Hymns at the Distribution	"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" LSB 790 "I Am Trusting Thee, Lord Jesus" LSB 729 "At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing" LSB 633
<i>Stand</i>	
Dismissal	
Post-Communion Cantic	"Thank the Lord" LSB 164
Post-Communion Collect	LSB 166
Benediction	LSB 166
Hymn at the Retiring Procession	"The Day of Resurrection" LSB 478
Postlude	"The Day of Resurrection" J. Eggert

✠ SOLI DEO GLORIA ✠

IN PREPARATION for the Divine Service next Sunday, 1 May A.D. 2016. Sixth Sunday of Easter, take time this week to read the lessons appointed for that day, Psalm 107:1-9, Numbers 21:4-9, I Timothy 2:1-6, John 16:23-33, and the Hymn of the Day, "Our Father, Who from Heaven Above," LSB 766.

SPECIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

THE FLOWERS ADORNING OUR LORD'S ALTAR today are placed to the glory of our Triune God by Steve Berlage and family in honor of Mary Ann Brueggeman's 80th Birthday.

PARTICIPANTS

Officiant / Preacher	Reverend Christopher I. Thoma
Lectors	Josh Thoma (8:30)
Organist	Kantor Jonathan Swett
Choirs	Choristers (11:00); Middle School Handbells
Acolytes	Josh Thoma, Brendan Pfenning (8:30); Charles Barber, Gabriel Cappellano (11:00)
Ushers	Joel Hornick (8:30); Gerry Radtke, John Hangstefer (11:00)
Elders	Mike Hicks, John Rose (8:30); Bill Mrozek, Roy Raymond (11:00)
Altar Guild	Debbie Kloeckner, Pamela Raymond, Donna Rose, Brenda Tabbert

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