

2nd SUNDAY OF EASTER APRIL 11, 2010

TODAY'S WORSHIP

Divine Service III LSB pages 184-202

L = Liturgist

* = Stand

C = Congregation

PRELUDE 10:30

Trio V: Menuetto & Presto

F.J. Haydn

Saxophone: Alex Arensmeier

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

HYMN OF INVOCATION *Christ the Lord is Risen Today* 469

8:00 LHSS Concert Choir Conductor: Greg Gastler

Benedicamus Domino

Greg Gilpin

10:30 Peace Choristers *God Loved Us So Much* Guitar: Marilyn Wiesehan

***INVOCATION AND GENERAL CONFESSION**

L: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen. (Sung)

BAPTISMS (5:00)

L: But now is Christ risen and become the firstfruits of them that sleep the sleep of death.

C: For as in Adam all die, even so, in Christ shall all be made alive.

L: For this corruptible must put on incorruption and this mortal must put on immortality;

C: Then shall be brought to pass the saying: Death is swallowed up in victory.

L: The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law.

C: But thanks be to God who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

L: Let us make confession before our Heavenly Father.

C: We confess, O Lord, that we have not carried out Your commands. We have not loved You above all else and we have not shown love and respect to those around us. We admit that we have sinned against You, often without even realizing it. Because of the person and work of Christ forgive us for all of our disobedience, we pray. Renew us by the power of Your Holy Spirit and strengthen us to live as You have declared us to be, Your children, by the resurrection of Your Son, our Savior. Amen.

***THE ABSOLUTION**

C: Amen. (Sung)

***THE GLORIA PATRI (Taken from LSB, page 186)**

C: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. (Sung)

***THE KYRIE**

C: Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us. (Sung)

THE GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

Taken from Lutheran Service Book pp. 187-189 (8:00)

Glory be to God on high, And on earth peace, good will toward men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory. O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord. Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

*THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

L: The Lord be with you.

C: And with thy spirit. (Sung)

L: Let us pray.

C: Amen. (Sung)

THE FIRST READING for the second Sunday of Easter is from Acts 5:12-20, page 913: (8:00, 9:20, 10:30)

¹²Now many signs and wonders were regularly done among the people by the hands of the apostles. And they were all together in Solomon's Portico. ¹³None of the rest dared join them, but the people held them in high esteem. ¹⁴And more than ever believers were added to the Lord, multitudes of both men and women, ¹⁵so that they even carried out the sick into the streets and laid them on cots and mats, that as Peter came by at least his shadow might fall on some of them. ¹⁶The people also gathered from the towns around Jerusalem, bringing the sick and those afflicted with unclean spirits, and they were all healed. ¹⁷But the high priest rose up, and all who were with him (that is, the party of the Sadducees), and filled with jealousy ¹⁸they arrested the apostles and put them in the public prison. ¹⁹But during the night an angel of the Lord opened the prison doors and brought them out, and said, ²⁰"Go and stand in the temple and speak to the people all the words of this Life."

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God. (Sung)

8:00 LHSS Concert Choir

Cantate Domino

Hassler

THE EPISTLE is from Revelation 1:4-7, page 1028:

⁴John to the seven churches that are in Asia: Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, ⁵and from Jesus Christ the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of kings on earth. To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood ⁶and made us a kingdom, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. ⁷Behold, he is coming with the clouds, and every eye will see him, even those who pierced him, and all tribes of the earth will wail on account of him. Even so. Amen.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

***ALLELUIA AND VERSE**

C: Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. (Sung)

*THE HOLY GOSPEL - The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the twentieth chapter, verses 19-31, page 906-907:

C: Glory be to Thee, O Lord. (Sung)

¹⁹ On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you." ²⁰When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord. ²¹Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you." ²²And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³ If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you withhold forgiveness from any, it is withheld." ²⁴Now Thomas, one of the Twelve, called the Twin, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see in his hands the mark of the nails, and place my finger into the mark of the nails, and place my hand into his side, I will never believe." ²⁶Eight days later, his disciples were inside again, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." ²⁷Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here, and see my hands; and put out your hand, and place it in my side. Do not disbelieve, but believe." ²⁸Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" ²⁹Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed." ³⁰ Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; ³¹ but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

L: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise be to Thee, O Christ. (Sung)

***THE APOSTLES' CREED**

(8:00, 9:20, 10:30)

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 Pontious 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.

CHILDREN'S SONG (Sung as the children come forward) (5:00, 8:00, 10:30)

- 1. He is Lord, He is Lord, He is risen from the dead and He is Lord;
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess, That Jesus Christ is Lord.**
- 2. He is Lord, He is Lord, He has conquered death and grave, and he is Lord;
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess, That Jesus Christ is Lord.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (5:00, 8:00 & 10:30)

Marvin Breitenfeld

SERMON HYMN

O Sons and Daughters of The King

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O sons and daughters of the king, Whom heavenly hosts in glory sing,
Today the grave has lost its sting: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

That night the apostles met in fear, Amidst them came their Lord most dear
And said: "Peace be unto you here": Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

"Thomas, behold My side," saith He, "My hands, My feet, My body, see;
"And doubt not, but believe in Me": Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

No Longer Thomas then denied; He saw the feet, the hands, the side;
You are my Lord and God," he cried: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

**Blessed are they that have not seen And yet whose faith hath constant been,
In life eternal they shall reign: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Amen.**

THE SERMON “Life in His Name” (John 20:19-31)

THE OFFERING - *During the offering all worshipers are asked to fill out the blue or ivory cards found in the pew rack. Please pass cards down to center aisle. They will be collected immediately after the offering.*

VOLUNTARY 8:00 LHSS Concert Choir *Santo Salvarodeno* Cuellar, arr. Sedio

***THE OFFERTORY** (LSB pg 192)

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

*PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

***LORD'S PRAYER**

*THE BENEDICTION

L: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

C: **Amen, amen, amen. (Sung)**

8:00 Lancer Singers *Dona Nobis Pacem (Grant Us Peace)*

***THE CLOSING HYMN** *Morning Breaks Upon the Tomb*

- 1. Morning breaks upon the tomb; Jesus scatters all its gloom.
Day of triumph thro' the skies; See the glorious Savior rise.**
- 2. Ye who are of death afraid Triumph in the scattered shade.
Drive your anxious cares away; See the place where Jesus lay.**
- 3. Christian, dry your flowing tears, Chase your unbelieving fears;
Look on His deserted grave, Doubt no more His pow'r to save. Amen.**

*SILENT PRAYER

POSTLUDE + + + + +

SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY:

Preacher: Pastor Jon C. Furgeson

Liturgist: Pastor Dennis A. Kastens

Organist: Alice Kastens

Choir Dir.: 8:00 - Greg Gastler, LHSS Choir Dir.; 10:30 - Debbie Prange

KFUO Broadcaster: (Sat.) Alan Hopper; (Sun.) Bob Mullen

NEWS AND NOTES:

2nd SUNDAY OF EASTER

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TODAY'S EDUCATION HOUR: 9:15 - 10:15 a.m.

Adult Bible Class (Lower Commons) Genesis: From Adam to Noah

Adult Bible Class (Commons conference Room): The Apostles Creed

Youth Bible Class: led by Christina Stackle, DCE

8th Grade Youth: led by Rick Goodman

7th Grade Youth: led by Greg Wirtel

ALTAR FLOWERS are from Jerry Gleason in memory of his wife Carol; and from Steve and Linda Kienstra in thanksgiving for blessings received.

LIVE BROADCAST over KFUE radio (850 AM dial) of Peace's 8 a.m. service today is sponsored by Arman Rapp and family in memory Martha, wife, mother and grandmother.

BAPTISMS (5:00) Kourtney Erin nee Smith Heitz (adult); and Paige Catherine Heitz and Chase Landon Heitz, children of David M. and Kourtney E. Heitz. Sponsors for Paige: Kenneth L. & Kelly R. nee Heitz Bingel; and for Chase: Timothy J. & Kala M. nee Thompson Jacobsmeyer. (6:00) Madison Shea Pryor, daughter of Mark R. and Pamela L. nee Collier Pryor. Sponsors: David W. and Sandra K. nee Arnold Douglas.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY Join us 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. (take elevator) in Lower Commons with Pastor Eldon Winker to study "The Gospel of Mark".

NEW MEMBER CLASSES for those interested in joining Peace, will be held on Tuesday, 7-8:30 p.m., starting April 20. A sign-up sheet is posted. Auditors welcome.

CALL DAY at the Seminary Tuesday, April 27 for Vicar placements at 3:00 p.m. and Pastoral Candidate placements at 7:00 p.m.

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER Thursday, May 6.

GPLS DINNER PLAY by the 8th Grade, at 2 p.m. & 7 p.m. Friday, April 23. Welcome.

LIGHT THE WAY LFCS annual picnic, 4/24, 5:30—8:30 p.m. at Creve Coeur Park (gratis). Call 754-2785 or e-mail: webevents@lfcs.org

MISSION OUTREACH Ladies Brunch Sat., May 1st, obtain (free) tickets at the Mission Outreach table in the Commons; Pizza Sale—thru April 11th, available from all mission team members or at the Mission Outreach table; Alaska Bake Sale items in the Commons on Sat., May 1st and Sun., May 2nd.

LADIES GUILD will be touring Concordia Historical Institute at the Missouri Synod Building on April 15. We will carpool from church, leaving at 11:30 a.m. and have lunch at Synods cafeteria. Reservations can be made by call Marylou Johnson, by April 8.

LADIES GUILD SALAD LUNCHEON The Ladies Guild Annual Salad Luncheon will be on Wednesday, May 5 at noon. Tickets (\$10.00) are available in the Commons after all Saturday and Sunday church services in April or contact Jean Volk. All tickets must be purchased in advance; no tickets will be sold the day of the luncheon.

MOTHER'S DAY FOOD DRIVE Details in the May newsletter.

HOUSING NEEDED June 6-12 for Pastor Steve and Pat Fick and their mission group. They will be helping with VBS as a mission trip. If you can help please call Maureen Bryan.

GRADUATING? Names of those graduating from college, high school, elementary and other schools needed. A listing to appear in the next newsletter.

CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF APRIL 11, 2010:

Today: 11:30 Youth Board Mtg
7:00 Sr. Youth Small Group
7:00 Peter Careciples—Hintons
Mon: 9:30 Berean Careciples
5:00 Glocken Ringers
6:15 Celebration Ringers
7:00 Thrivent Chapter Mtg
7:00 Pack 584 Committee Mtg
Tue: 9:00 Quilters
2:30 Pictorial Dir. Photo Session
6:00 Chimes Choir
6:30 Cub Bear Pack 584
7:00 Eagle Board of Review
7:00 Alleluia Ringers
Wed: 10:00 Anna Fellowship
2:30 Pictorial Dir. Photo Session
5:00 Jr. Choir for Public School
5:35 Chantichor Choir
7:00 Sr. Youth B-ball
7:00 Wed. Bible Study
Thu: 9:00 Mary/Martha Bible Study
12:00 Ladies Guild
2:30 Pictorial Dir. Photo Session
6:00 ESL Sports
6:15 ESL
7:30 Chancel Choir
Fri: 2:30 Pictorial Dir. Photo Session
Sat: 8:00 Sat. AM Kids Sports Prog.
9:00 Brass Choir
10:00 Pictorial Dir. Photo Session
5:00 Worship Service w/Communion
Sun: 6:30 Jr. Youth SNL