

Messiah Lutheran Church
The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod



Jubilate
The Fourth Sunday of Easter

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Divine Service II

Messiah Lutheran Church

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VISITORS WELCOME! A special welcome to any visitors and guests who are with us today. Please sign the guestbook near the front door and introduce yourself to the pastor after the service. We pray that the hearing and receiving of the Word of God in our midst will be filled with joy and thanksgiving!

HOLY COMMUNION is celebrated every Sunday and on Feast Days. Visiting communicant members of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod are invited to commune today. All other visitors are asked to speak with the pastor before coming to the altar. If there is time before the service, introduce yourself to the pastor or an elder. Other visitors are invited to use this time for prayer. If you desire information about attending communion, you are encouraged to visit with the pastor after the service today.

PRAYERS OF PREPARATION are found in the cover of the hymnals. Take some time before the service begins in quiet preparation and prayer. **Please turn off and put away all electronic devices during the service.**

+SERVING TODAY+

Elder: Nate Nevius

Ushers: TBD

Greeter: Linda Polcin

Organist: Monica Scholz

Altar Guild: Cara Zietz & LeAnn Varvil

Fellowship: Sandra Babel & Kathy Knutell

Old Testament Reading

Lamentations 3:22–33

²²The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases;
His mercies never come to an end;
²³they are new every morning;
great is Your faithfulness.
²⁴“The LORD is my portion,” says my soul,
“therefore I will hope in Him.”

²⁵The LORD is good to those who wait for Him,
to the soul who seeks Him.
²⁶It is good that one should wait quietly
for the salvation of the LORD.
²⁷It is good for a man that he bear
the yoke in his youth.

²⁸Let him sit alone in silence
when it is laid on him;
²⁹let him put his mouth in the dust—
there may yet be hope;
³⁰let him give his cheek to the one who strikes,
and let him be filled with insults.

³¹For the Lord will not
cast off forever,
³²but, though He cause grief, He will have compassion
according to the abundance of His steadfast love;
³³for He does not willingly afflict
or grieve the children of men.

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

LSB 809

Epistle

1 John 3:1–3

¹See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know Him. ²Beloved, we are God’s children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when He appears we shall be like Him, because we shall see Him as He is. ³And everyone who thus hopes in Him purifies himself as He is pure.

Stand

Alleluia and Verse

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Holy Gospel

John 16:16-22

¹⁶[Jesus said:] “A little while, and you will see Me no longer; and again a little while, and you will see Me.” ¹⁷So some of His disciples said to one another, “What is this that He says to us, ‘A little while, and you will not see Me, and again a little while, and you will see Me’; and, ‘because I am going to the Father?’” ¹⁸So they were saying, “What does He mean by ‘a little while’? We do not know what He is talking about.” ¹⁹Jesus knew that they wanted to ask Him, so He said to them, “Is this what you are asking yourselves, what I meant by saying, ‘A little while and you will not see Me, and again a little while and you will see Me’?” ²⁰Truly, truly, I say to you, you will weep and lament, but the world will rejoice. You will be sorrowful, but your sorrow will turn into joy. ²¹When a woman is giving birth, she has sorrow because her hour has come, but when she has delivered the baby, she no longer remembers the anguish, for joy that a human being has been born into the world. ²²So also you have sorrow now, but I will see you again and your hearts will rejoice, and no one will take your joy from you.”

Sit

With High Delight Let Us Unite

LSB 483

Sermon

Stand

Nicene Creed

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Prayer of the Church

Offertory - New Testament Canticle

Refrain

Christ has been raised from the dead! Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

Christ our Pass - o - ver Lamb has been sac - ri - ficed.

Raised from the dead, He will nev - er die a - gain.

Death has no more do - min - ion o - ver Him.

Refrain

Christ has been raised from the dead! Al - le -
 lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.
 Dy - ing, Christ dies to sin, once for all. Liv - ing, He
 lives to God. Count your - selves as dead to
 sin and a - live to God in Christ Je - sus, our Lord.

Refrain

Christ has been raised from the dead! Al - le -
 lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

+SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT+

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Benediction**

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Splendor and Honor

LSB 950

+ VDMA +

**Verbum Domini Manet in Aeternum
The Word of the Lord endures forever**

+PRAYER LIST+

- ✘ Those who serve in our armed forces: Rick Zuehls, Rev. Lynn Christensen, Rianon Padro, and for veterans.
- ✘ For all those suffering from illnesses or other trials, including: David Kristopeit (brother-in-law of Linda Polcin), Herb Knautz (relative of Angela Pynaker), Rylie Snodgrass, Fran Kroll, Hannah Basquez (granddaughter of Jim & Kathy Vescova), Vern and Judy Stern (relatives of Jane Gundlach), Wendell Zirbel (brother-in-law of Mary Sandberg), Nancy Davenport (aunt of Cara Zietz), David Scholz (brother of Ted Scholz), Mark Jagow (cousin of Ted Scholz), and Jen Bertz.

+ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 8th+

- ✘ **ROSE SALE:** Please purchase some roses for your mother or wife today; proceeds benefit Wisconsin Right to Life.
- ✘ **ADDRESSES:** The elders are in the process of reaching out to our inactive members and those who have moved out of the area. If you have a mailing address for any family members or friends who haven't been here in a while, please share them with Lesa so we can contact them.

+CONTRIBUTIONS+

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| Budgeted Lord's Work Needed Weekly: | \$4,653 |
| Lord's Work Received week of 5/1: | 5,992 |
| Difference Received vs. Needed: | +1,339 |
| Difference Received vs. Needed YTD: | +2,352 |
| Mortgage Balance as of 3/3/2022: | 53,283 |

ATTENDANCE 5/1: 105

BIRTHDAYS

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| 5/8 | Grace Vallis |
| 5/10 | Jeremy Gerlach Andrew Griepentrog |
| 5/11 | Jeff Vallis |
| 5/12 | Gina Grenyo |

BAPTISM BIRTHDAYS

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| 5/14 | Rick Zuehls |
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ANNIVERSARIES

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| 5/10 | Nate & Gabby Nevius (8 years) |
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+MAY EVENTS AT MESSIAH+

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| 5/21 | Saturday | 9:30 am | Lutheran Confessions Study |
| 5/26 | Thursday | 6:30 pm | Ascension Divine Service |