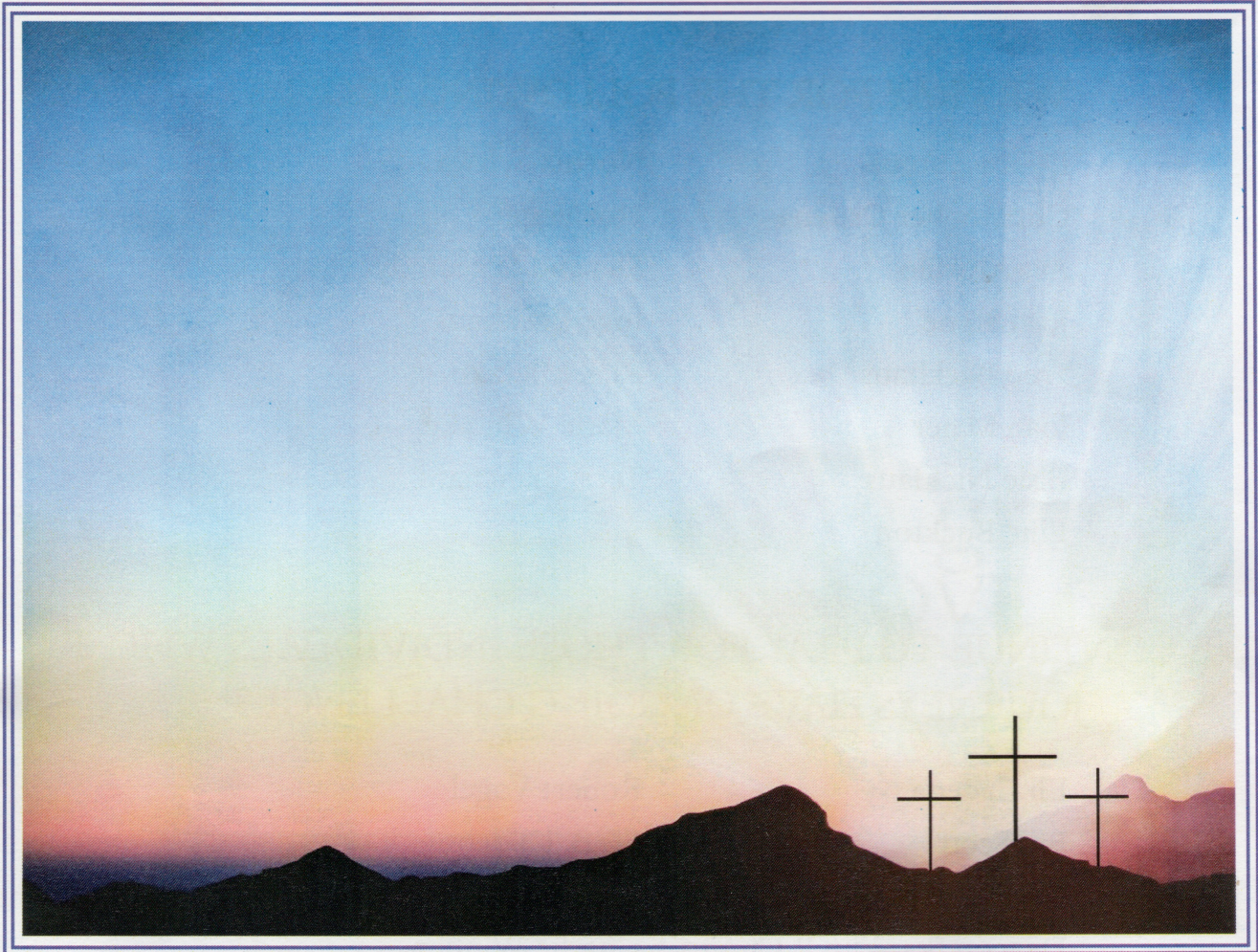


The Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Atonement

Serving God through the ELCA in the Metropolitan New York Synod



EASTER SUNDAY
April 20, 2025

Altar Flowers

Given to the Glory of God by the congregation in appreciation of Pastor Koenig who has been leading us through our transition.

Memorial Flowers

In loving memory of her Dad- Larry Benson by Brandy Benson

In loving memory of her dearest Tony Nobile by Brandy Benson

In loving memory of Phil & David by Delores Bjornseth

In loving memory of Loved ones by Delores Bjornseth

In loving memory of Loved ones by Alice Stinemire

In loving memory of her Parents & Brother by Connie Graff

In loving memory of Betty & William Hochbrunn by Don Hall

In loving memory of Great Grandparents- Amelia & Albert Jacobs by Pam Goetz & Cipriana Costello

In loving memory of Parents- Barbara & Bill Goetz by Pam Goetz & Cipriana Costello

In loving memory of Uncle- Ronald Gumbel by Pam Goetz & Cipriana Costello

In loving memory of Mother- Helen Hally by Kathleen Benson & Family

In loving memory of Mother & Father-in-Law- Alice & Max Benson by Kathleen Benson & Family

In loving memory of Aunt Horkoor by Lily Benson

In loving memory of beloved dog- Rip by Lily Benson

In loving memory of Husband Lou & Son Craig by Dot Vogel

In loving memory of Husband Charles "Chuck" & Beautiful Daughter Andrea by Marilyn Brackett

In loving memory of Kay's Parents- Bertha & Andrew Simmons by Kay & Charlie Winpen

In loving memory of Charlie's Parents- Martha & Charles Winpen by Kay & Charlie Winpen

In loving memory of One of God's Littlest Angels- Niece Christina Bruno by Kay & Charlie Winpen

In loving memory of Nephew- Steven Reed by Kay & Charlie Winpen

In loving memory of Best Friend Forever- Frank Kelsch by Kay & Charlie Winpen

In loving memory of their Mothers & Grandmothers by Teri & Jim Drumgold

Memorial Donation for the youth of Atonement

In loving memory of my Mother- Marjorie Liebing & my other Mother- Ruthie Moshos by Diane Snow



WE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE

Fred Backhaus	Inge Backhaus	Terri Blanchard
Ellie Buckton	Christopher Cadena	Joan Maier
Rick Mletzko	Ava Murillo	Elsie Nicklaus
Norma Schwartz	Josh Stene	Dot Vogel
Marie Whitaker	Sha and her family	

WE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR THOSE INDIVIDUAL'S WHO'S JOURNEY HAS ONGOING CHALLENGE

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Timothy Lazorvich	Bill Scott	Joey Simmons
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To add someone to the prayer list, please email sectyatnoment12477@gmail.com, or leave a message at 845-246-4534.

If you are requesting flowers, please call Diane Snow (845-246-9468) at least one week in advance to discuss flower or color preferences and wording for the bulletin.



GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

Our prelude music is designed to help you and your neighbors to relax, settle in, and immerse yourselves in some quiet time with God before we begin our worship service. This is also a good time to double check your portable devices to make sure they are on "mute." We hope that this prelude music will enhance your worship experience and bring peace to you.

Prelude

Singing at the gathering may include hymns old and new, a prayer for God's mercy to fill the church and the world, or a canticle of praise to God's glory revealed in Jesus Christ.

Processional Hymn *Jesus Christ Is Risen Today* ELW 365

During the gathering, the presiding minister and the assembly greet each other in the name of God, using a trinitarian greeting.

Greeting

Pastor Alleluia! Christ is Risen!

All He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

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

All And also with you.

Hymn of Praise

High Voices Sing Verses 1 and 3

Low Voices Sing Verses 2 and 4

Refrain



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



al - le - lu - ia, 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.

Refrain



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



al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. **2** Pow - er, rich - es, wis - dom, and



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

Refrain



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



al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. **3** Sing with all the peo - ple of



God, and join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion: Bless - ing, hon - or,



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

Refrain

This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia,
 al-le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. 4 For the Lamb who was
 slain has be - gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.

Final refrain

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

Prayer of the Day

The presiding minister gathers the congregation into prayer.

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

Pastor 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.

All Amen.

The congregation is seated

Prayer of the Day

The presiding minister gathers the congregation into prayer.

Pastor The Lord be with you.

All And also with you.

Pastor Let us pray...
(see "Celebrate" insert)

All Amen.

The congregation is seated



WORD

First Reading *(see "Celebrate" insert)*

Reader The word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God!

Psalm *(see "Celebrate" insert)*

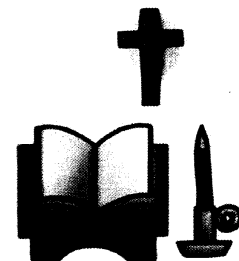
Read responsively

Second Reading *(see "Celebrate" insert)*

Reader The word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God!

Please stand if you are able



Gospel Acclamation



Re - turn to the Lord, your God, for he is gra - cious and
mer - ci - ful, slow to an - ger, and a - bound - ing in
stead - fast love, and a - bound - ing in stead - fast love.

gospel

Pastor The holy gospel according to _____ in the _____ Chapter.

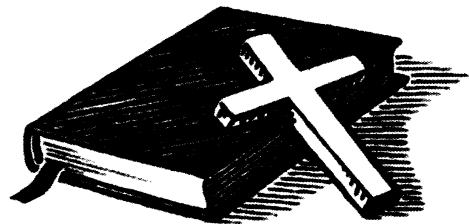
All Glory to you, O Lord.

Gospel Reading *(See Celebrate insert)*

Pastor This is the gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, O Christ.

The congregation is seated.



Sermon

Silence for reflection follows the sermon.

Please stand if you are able.



Hymn of the Day *Now All the Vault of Heaven Resound* ELW 367

God's word is further proclaimed as we sing and as we confess our faith with the whole church. After praying for the whole world, we receive and extend to one another the gift of Christ's peace.

Pastor We express our faith using the words of the Apostles' Creed.

All I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead.*
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and 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.

*or, "descended into hell."

**or, catholic (universal)

Prayers of Intercession

See Celebrate insert.

Sharing of the Peace

Pastor The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All And also with you.

The people may greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace, and may say:

Response Peace be with you.

The congregation is seated.

Announcements



Offering

An offering is gathered and the table is set. During this section of worship, we offer our gifts of time, self, and possessions to the glory of God, and we celebrate the sacrament of the eucharist, where Christ comes to meet us at the table.

Organ Offertory

As the gifts are brought forward, the congregation stands.

Offertory Prayer

A Let us pray.

All O Lord our God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts. With them we offer ourselves to your service and dedicate our lives to the care and redemption of all that you have made, for the sake of him who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

We speak responsively

P The Lord be with you!

C And also with you!

P Lift up your hearts!

C We lift them to the Lord!

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

C It is right to give our thanks and praise!

P It is indeed right and salutary, and join their unending hymn:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,



heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na. Ho -



san-na. 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.



Pastor Blessed are you, almighty and ever-living God. Your mercy is everlasting and your faithfulness endures from age to age. We give you thanks that you have gathered us into one through your Son, Jesus Christ, who reached out to heal the sick and suffering, who preached good news to the poor, and who, on the cross, opened his arms to all. Send now your Holy Spirit into our hearts, that we may receive our Lord with a living faith as he comes to us in his holy supper.

All Amen! We give you thanks and praise, O Lord!

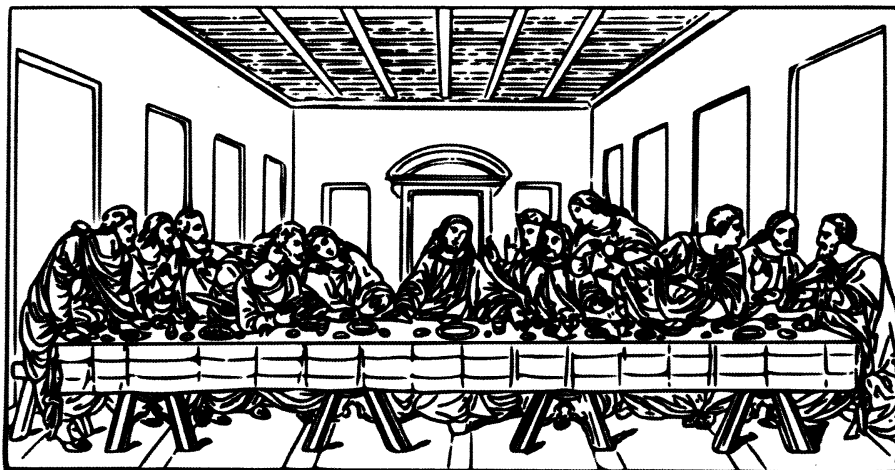
Pastor On the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

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.

Remembering, therefore, his death, resurrection, and ascension, we await his coming in glory. Pour out your Holy Spirit, that by this Holy Communion we may know the unity that we share with all your people in the body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Through him, † with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor are yours, Almighty God, now and forever.

All Amen.



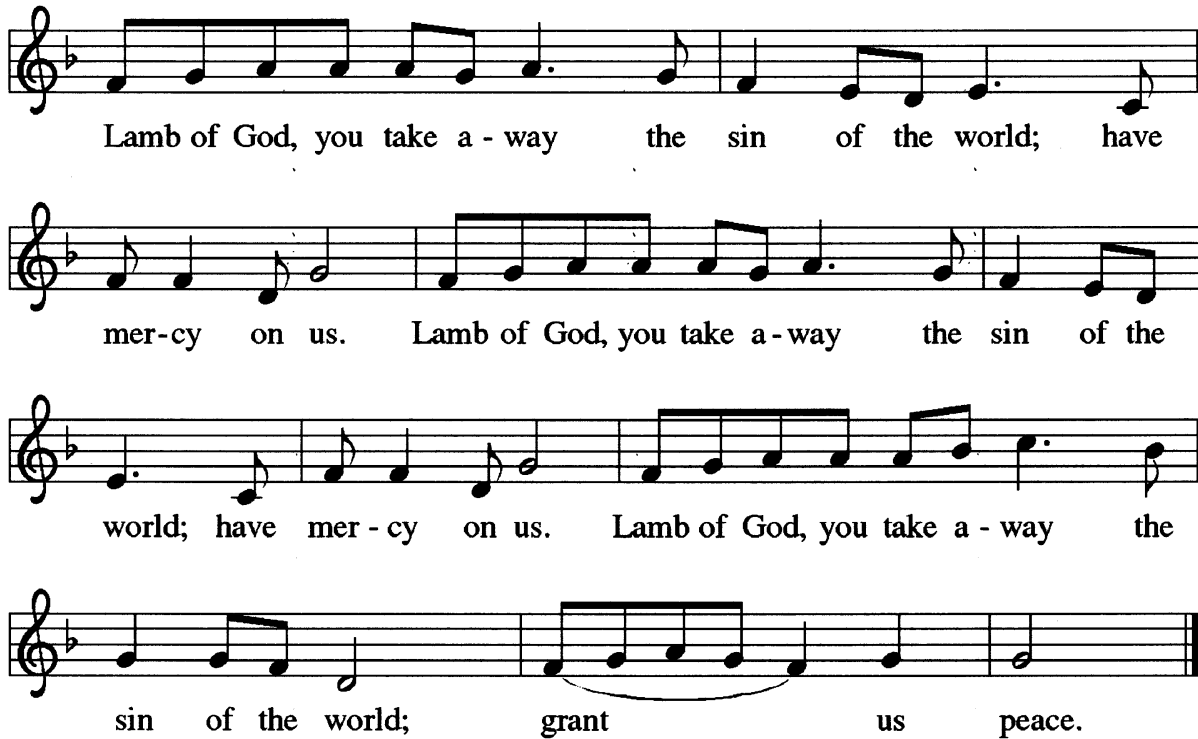
Pastor Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us boldly pray:

All 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

Pastor Come to the table where all are welcomed home.



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.

Communion Hymns

Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen!

ELW 377

Christ the Lord Is Risen Today!

ELW 373

Thine Is the Glory

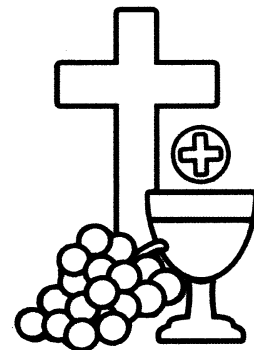
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After the Eucharist has been shared by all, the congregation stands.

Table Blessing

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

All Amen.



Post-Communion Canticle



Let the vine - yards be fruit - ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our
cup of bless - ing. Gath - er a har - vest from the
seeds that were sown, that we may be fed with the bread of life.
Gath - er the hopes and the dreams of all; u - nite them with the
prayers we of - fer now. Grace our ta - ble with your
pres - ence, and give us a fore - taste of the feast to come.

Prayer After Communion

A Let us pray.

God of all creation, all that you have made is good, and your love endures forever. Send your spirit with us now, that we may be united and transformed through the healing power of this gift of life, to serve you more fully by loving our neighbors more deeply. Through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

All Amen.

SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

The gifts of grace that we share at God's table are now ours to bring to all those in need.

We are sent out to live as Christ's body in our community and throughout the world.

Go in peace!

Benediction

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and † grant you peace.

All Amen.

Sending Hymn *Christ Is Risen! Alleluia!*

ELW 382

Dismissal

Pastor: You are the body of Christ, raised up for the world!
Go in peace! Serve the Lord!

All: Thanks be to God!

Postlude

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Sunday Worship 9:00 AM
Sunday School 10:30 AM



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Saugerties, NY

Christ sacrifice
life rejoice joy
Jesus hope crucifixion
SAVIOR
REDEEMER
amazing grace
LOVE mercy

He is RISEN



Blessed Easter
To You All!

