



The Second Sunday of Easter
April 27, 2025-10:00am
Lakeside Community Lutheran Church
Webster, Wisconsin

Introduction

In spite of all we have heard and all we have seen, it is often hard to believe. Because it is hard to believe, we will invest ourselves in the Easter mystery for fifty days (a week of weeks). Because it is hard to believe, John the evangelist will provide sign after sign celebrating Jesus' victory over death. Because it is hard to believe, the risen Jesus will return to us again and again in the mystery of holy communion, inviting us to touch and taste his presence, and offering us his peace.

GATHERING

We gather as God's People
** Please Stand if you are able*

PRELUDE Festal Prelude on Lacashire

Gilbert Martin

WELCOME

***GATHERING HYMN**

The Day of Resurrection

RESURRECTION AND EXALTATION

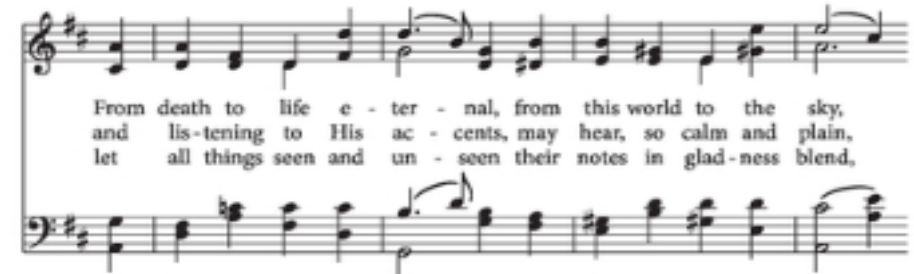
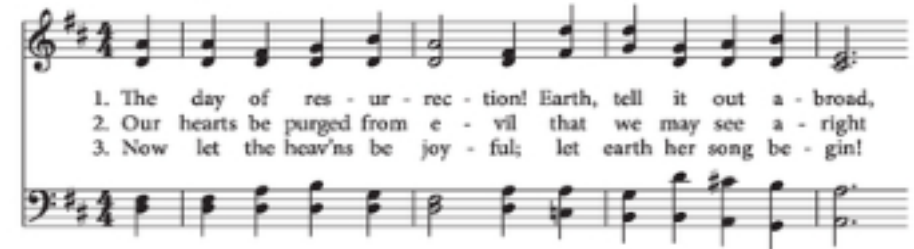
The Day of Resurrection

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John of Damascus, 8th cent.
trans. John Mason Neale, 1862

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Henry Smart, ca. 1835



***THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM**

In the name of the Father,
and of the ☩ Son,
and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism,
we are clothed with God's mercy and forgiveness.
Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

We give you thanks, O God,
for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters
...To you be given honor and praise
through Jesus Christ our Lord
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.
Amen.

***HYMN OF PRAISE** **I'm Going on A Journey** **ELW 446**

***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Alleluia! He is risen!
He is risen indeed. Alleluia!
The Lord be with you
And also with you.

Let us pray,
O God of life, you reach out to us amid our fears with the wounded hands of
your risen Son. By your Spirit's breath revive our faith in your mercy, and
strengthen us to be the body of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who
lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
Amen.

CHOIR ANTHEM **In The Breaking of the Bread** *Michael Ward*

WORD

We hear God's word

First Reading: Acts 5:27-32

When they had brought [the apostles,] they had them stand before the council.
The high priest questioned them, saying, "We gave you strict orders not to teach
in this name, yet here you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and you are
determined to bring this man's blood on us." But Peter and the apostles
answered, "We must obey God rather than any human authority. The God of
our ancestors raised up Jesus, whom you had killed by hanging him on a tree.
God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Savior that he might give
repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins. And we are witnesses to these
things, and so is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him."

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

PSALM 118: This Day was Made By The Lord

REFRAIN:

1

This day was made by the Lord, let us re-joice, let us be glad!

VERSES:

2

let us re-joice in sal - va - tion. 1. I thank you, your love is e-
2. Your hand raised me up in
3. The stone which the build - ers re-
4. You o - pened the gates of
5. () You are my strength and my

1. ter-nal, you have giv-en me life. You have giv-en me life.
 2. tri-umph, you have giv-en me life. You have giv-en me life.
 3. ject-ed is the cor-ner-stone. Is the cor-ner-stone.
 4. heav-en, you have giv-en me life. You have giv-en me life.
 5. Sav-ior, you have giv-en me life. You have giv-en me life.

to Refrain
 1-5. I will pro-claim the won-ders you do.

SECOND READING Revelation 1:4-8

John 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, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

Look! He is coming with the clouds;
 every eye will see him,
 even those who pierced him;
 and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail.

So it is to be. Amen.

“I am the Alpha and the Omega,” says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia

Al-le-lu-ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the
 words of e-ter-nal life. Al-le-lu-ia. Al-le-lu-ia.

Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.

*HOLY GOSPEL

The holy gospel according to John.

Glory to you, O Lord.

John 20:19-31

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, “Peace be with you.” After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.” When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, “Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.”

But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, “We have seen the Lord.” But he said to them, “Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.”

A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, “Peace be with you.” Then he said to Thomas, “Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.” Thomas answered him, “My Lord and my God!” Jesus said to him, “Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.”

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

The gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON ON THE STEPS

SERMON

Pastor Mary Albing

HYMN OF THE DAY We Walk By Faith

ELW 635

***APOSTLE’S CREED**

**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 catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

THE PRAYERS OF GOD’S PEOPLE

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

Response
Hear us, O God.
Your mercy is great.

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.
Amen.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you all.
And also with you.

We share Christ’s peace with each other.

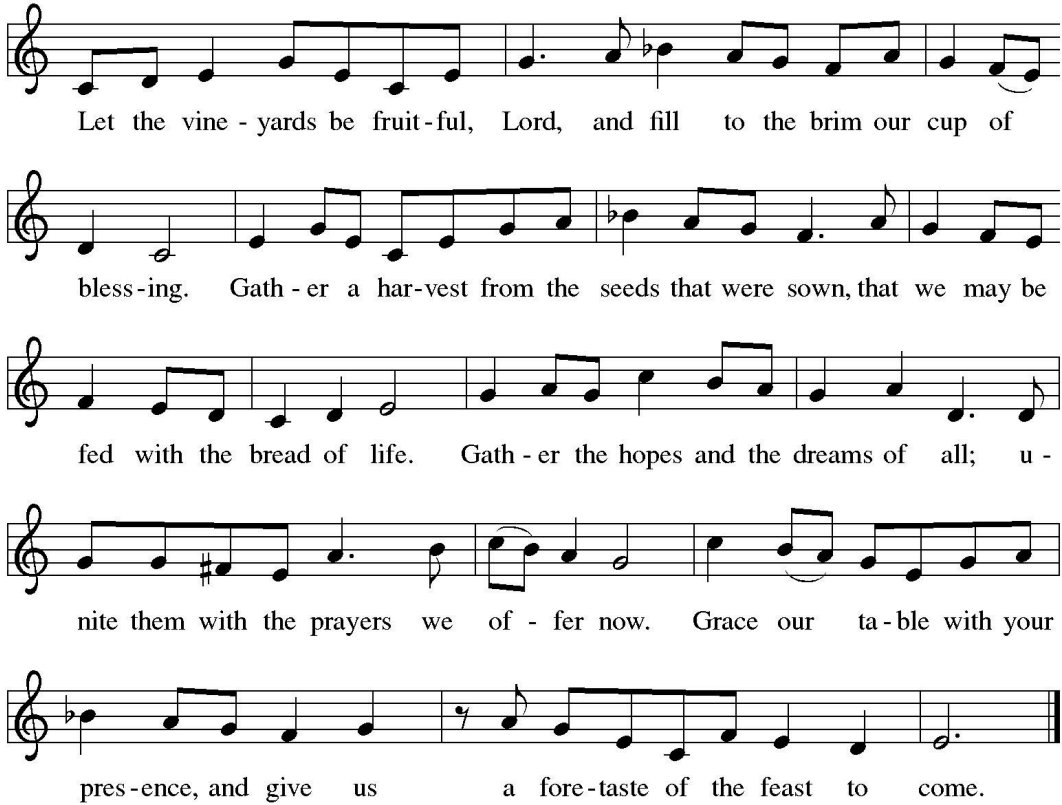
MEAL

We are fed and nourished by Jesus’ body and blood

THANKSGIVING FOR OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY Lord Enthroned in Heavenly Splendor *Michael Burkhardt*

*OFFERTORY RESPONSE Let The Vineyards ELW 182



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.

*OFFERING PRAYER

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.
Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

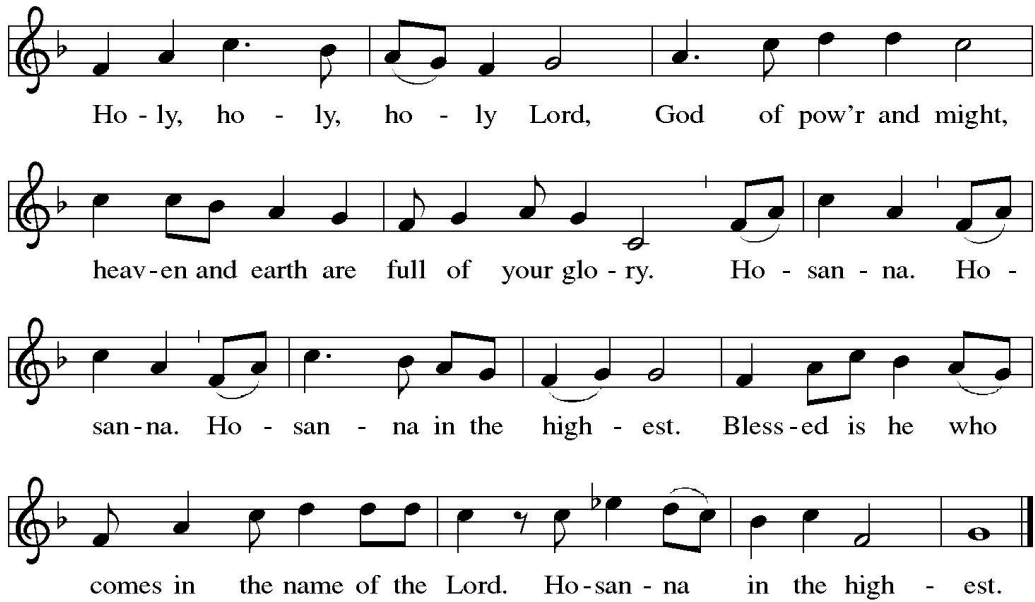
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

*PREFACE

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,
that we should at all times and in all places...
...and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY



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.

*THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

Minister On the night You were betrayed

You took the bread after giving thanks

You broke it and said

This is My Body broken for you

And as you eat it, Remember Me

This is My Body broken for you

And as you eat it, Remember Me

Minister On the night You were betrayed

You held the cup after giving thanks

You lifted it up

This is my blood poured out for you

And as you drink it, Remember Me

This is my blood poured out for you

And as you drink it, Remember Me

Minister So we thank you for

The wine and for the bread

For we see the life you gave

And the blood you shed

And we remember Your wondrous love

You gave your body, You shed your blood

And we remember Your wondrous love

You gave your body, You shed your blood

*LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit,

let us pray as Jesus taught us.

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.

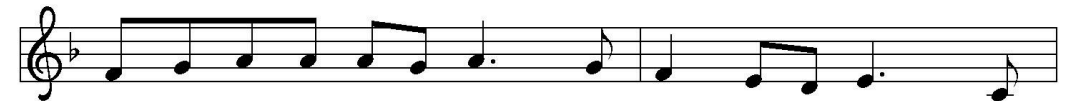
INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Come to the table of grace.

Receive the gift of new life.

All are welcome at God's Table

COMMUNION



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 SONG

Dona Nobis Pacem

ELW 753

TABLE BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you until everlasting life.
Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

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

SENDING

We are sent into mission

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SENDING SONG

Jesus Is Alive

CHORUS

Hal - le - lu - jah!

Je - sus is a - live, death has lost its vic -

3

A/C#

Am/C

150

G/A

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A/D

D

Ron Kenoly

6

Bsus

- t'ry and the grave has been de - nied;

8

B/D# B7/F# D/E Em D/E Em Em7 F#m7

Je - sus lives for - ev - er, He's a -

11

Gmaj7 F#m7 Em7 F#m7

live, He's a -

13

Gmaj7 A G/A

live! He's the

15

D

VERSE

A/C#

Al - pha and O - me - ga, the first and last is He,

18

Am/C

the curse of sin is bro - ken and we have

21

Bsus B D/E Em D/E

per - fect lib - er - ty; The Lamb of God has ris -

24

Em Em7 F#m7 Gmaj7 F#m7 Em7 F#m7

en, He's a - live, He's a -

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.

BENEDICTION SONG May the Lord Bless You

Dismissal

Alleluia! Christ is risen.
Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!
 Go in peace. In Christ you are made new. Alleluia! Alleluia!
Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

POSTLUDE Joyful Praise Eugene Butler

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Thank you to today's participants: **Pastor:** Peter Johnson **Interim Administrative**
Pastor: Mary Albing, **Music Director** Pat Barnett; **Lakeside Lutheran Church**
Choir; Producer: Kristy DuBois; **Counters:** Ron & Ann Peterson **Altar Guild:** Linda
 Spidel & Bonnie Niemi; **Conveners:** Ken & Linda Dobson; **April Shepherds:** Bonnie
 Niemi, Tony Kallas, Marcia Proehl, Mick Peterson, Ken Dobson, Linda Dobson

PRAYER CONCERNS: Marilyn Anderson, Elaine Davis, Clint Erickson, Anne
 Gelein, Barb Henderson, Hitomi Henderson, Jolyne Peterson, Diane Roberts,
 Faith Snyder, Mark Snyder, Barb Umholtz, and Dorothy VanPykeren. Those
 fighting addictions; people in crisis; deployed military and families; leaders,
 children, and areas of conflict throughout the world.

Beginning April 6th all our church services can be viewed live on our YouTube channel. To access this go to:
<https://www.youtube.com/@lakesidecommunitylutheranc4937> at 10am each Sunday and click on the “Live” icon. Don't log in more than 5 minutes early or it may not work without refreshing your screen. Or go to our church website and follow the instructions there. All services will still be archived for later viewing.

Please note that our Communion Bread is now Gluten free, so those with Celiac disease and gluten sensitivities can also participate.

If you have announcements for the bulletin or to add anything to the monthly calendar, please contact Jen Hammond at the church office:
aandhlclc@gmail.com or 715-635-7791. Please have them submitted by Monday the following week to be included in the next bulletin.

SAVE THE DATE: On Saturday May 31st we will be hosting our Let’s Reconnect 2025 celebration! Once again, it’s time to connect with old friends and new friends. Please join us for a Fried Chicken Dinner complete with sides and beverages. Adult Tickets: \$15.00 Children under 10: \$8.00. No refunds will be given after May 25th. Invite your friends and family. Tickets will be sold at Lakeside Lutheran Church after the 10am service on Sundays in May through Sunday, May 25th. Deadline for purchasing tickets is May 25th. Checks should be payable to Lakeside Lutheran Church with a note that indicates “For Church Dinner” and the names of the attendees and whether they are adults or children. We will be looking for volunteers to help serve and clean up. For those that want to linger after dinner, we are offering a game night. Either bring a favorite game or partake in games provided by others. If you have questions, please contact Linda Dobson at 612-209-8697 or linda@lindadobsonevents.com

**JOIN US FOR 2025
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!**

JULY 7 – 11 from 9:00AM to NOON

**LAKESIDE COMMUNITY
LUTHERAN CHURCH**

CALL 612-209-8697 FOR MORE INFORMATION
OR VISIT LAKESIDELUTHERANWI.COM

ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND!

Church Office Hours:

Bookkeeping - Tuesdays - 9 am – 1 pm

This week at Lakeside:

Monday, 4-28	11 am - ADRC 6 pm - Yoga
Tuesday, 4-29	9 am - Mission Quilters 11 am - ADRC 7 pm- AA/Alanon
Wednesday, 4-30	9 am - Yoga 9:30 am - Bible Study 5:00 pm - Choir Practice
Thursday 5-1	Fellowship at JoMama’s 8 am - Men’s Breakfast 9 am - Women’s Coffee 11 am - ADRC
Friday, 5-2	No Events Scheduled
Sunday, 5-4	9 am - Sunday School 9:30 am - Choir Practice 10:00 am - Worship with Pastor Peter Johnson

