

INTROIT - *entrance Psalm of worship*

Psalm 23, John 10, antiphon Psalm 4

I will lie down and sleep in peace, in peace, for
You a-lone, O Lord, make me dwell in safe - ty.

L I am the good | shepherd. *

I know My sheep and I lay down My life | for My sheep.

G **The LORD is my | shepherd; ***
I | shall not want.

L He makes me lie down in green | pastures. *
He leads me beside still | waters.

G **He re- | stores my soul. ***

He leads me in paths of righteousness for his | name's sake.

G *Antiphon*

L Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear
no evil, for you are | with me; *
your rod and your staff, they | comfort me.

G **You prepare a table before me in the presence of my | enemies; ***
you anoint my head with oil; my cup | overflows.

P Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days | of my life, *
and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD for- | ever.

G **Glory be to the Father and | to the Son ***
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning, *
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

G *Antiphon*

Continued with the 'Kyrie', p. 168

COLLECT OF THE DAY - *ancient prayer of the Church based upon the Scriptural theme of the day*

P Almighty God, You have enriched Your Church with the proclamation of the Gospel through the evangelist Mark. Grant that we may firmly believe these glad tidings and daily walk according to Your Word; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

G *Continued with sung "Amen", p. 172*

FIRST READING **Acts 4:1-12** *Peter confessing the risen Lord*

As they were speaking to the people, the priests and the captain of the temple and the Sadducees came upon them, greatly annoyed because they were teaching the people and proclaiming in Jesus the resurrection from the dead. And they arrested them and put them in custody until the next day, for it was already evening. But many of those who had heard the word believed, and the number of the men came to about five thousand.

On the next day their rulers and elders and scribes gathered together in Jerusalem, with Annas the high priest and Caiaphas and John and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. And when they had set them in the midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?" Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders, if we are being examined today concerning a good deed done to a crippled man, by what means this man has been healed, let it be known to all of you and to all the people of Israel that by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead—by him this man is standing before you well. This Jesus is the stone that was rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone. And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved."

GRADUAL *the ancient seasonal, Scriptural response to hearing God's Word* Matt. 28, Heb. 2, Psalm 8

L Christ is risen | from the dead. *

God the Father has crowned Him with glory and | honor.

G **He has made Him ruler over the works | of His hands; ***
He has put everything un- | der His feet.

EPISTLE **1 John 3:16-24** *Love one another*

By this we know love, that he laid down his life for us, and we ought to lay down our lives for the brothers. But if anyone has the world's goods and sees his brother in need, yet closes his heart against him, how does God's love abide in him? Little children, let us not love in word or talk but in deed and in truth. By this we shall know that we are of the truth and reassure our heart before him; for whenever our heart condemns us, God is greater than our heart, and he knows everything.

Beloved, if our heart does not condemn us, we have confidence before God; and whatever we ask we receive from him, because we keep his commandments and do what pleases him. And this is his commandment, that we believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. Whoever keeps his commandments abides in God, and God in him. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit whom he has given us.

HOLY GOSPEL **Mark 16:14-20** *Jesus appears to His disciples*

Afterward [Jesus] appeared to the eleven themselves as they were reclining at table, and he rebuked them for their unbelief and hardness of heart, because they had not believed those who saw him after he had risen. And he said to them, "Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation. Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned. And these signs will accompany those who believe: in my name they will cast out demons; they will speak in new tongues; they will pick up serpents with their hands; and if they drink any deadly poison, it will not hurt them; they will lay their hands on the sick, and they will recover." So then the Lord Jesus, after he had spoken to them, was taken up into heaven and sat down at the right hand of God. And they went out and preached everywhere, while the Lord worked with them and confirmed the message by accompanying signs.

Please turn to follow the Processional Cross. You may bow as it passes you in reverence to Christ.

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God's Own Child I Gladly Say It

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This Is the Feast

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He Is Arisen! Glorious Word

Announcements

Visitors– it is a joy to have you with us. Please fill out the attendance pad by the bulletins.

Parents with small children. If needed, the Nursery has a video feed of the Service; also a restroom with changing table.

We celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Baptism today for: Edel Katharina Selbe, daughter of Aaron & Katlyn Selbe, siblings Dietrich, Klein

Prayer List – those who mourn:

Cathy York was called to her eternal rest Wednesday; Tuesday at Risen Savior: Visitation 10 am, Funeral 11 am, then luncheon – **members:**

Ted Dunn (heart issues), Jerry Long (covid), Erika Colacicco (cancer), Rae Ann Evans (cancer),

– family & friends:

Kailey Sligar (Scharnhorst's friends, heart issues)
Shirley (sister of Chyleen Pauesick, hospice)
Rev. Michael Ahlemeyer (critical with covid)
Joan Nielsen (mother of Aimee DeSotel, fall)
Mr. Burghart (friend of Curtis family, cancer)
Toby Baeuchle (friend of the Albright's, illness)
Willard Wiley (friend of the Albright's, illness)
Joseph Patch (brother of Mary Lingo, hospice)
Larry, Donna Sligar (Scharnhorst's friends, health issues)
Don Mars (father of Brad Mars, cancer, hospice)
Kody Daniels (colon cancer)
Bob Jackson (friend of Tim Fincham, bone disease)
Barbara Workman (sister of Bev Saving, cancer)
Maren Turner (niece of Amanda Dowdall, leukemia)
Dean Landman (father of Deb Glaum, health issues)
Diane Beckett (sister of Paula Knollman, Alzheimer's)
Marlin Dunlap (brother of S. Smith, L. Fulkeron, ALS)
Evan Rayl (in-law, Chyleen Pauesick, dementia)
Sandra Ray (mother of Teresa Miller, Alzheimer's)

Adult Catechism/New Member Class, begins April 25, 5 pm.

Book of Concord Study, today, 6 pm, all welcome to this monthly study, social time following. Childcare provided.

Spring planting & workday, Sat., May 1, 8-10 am.

Men's Gamenight, Friday, 7 pm. All men, friends over 18 invited.

Book Club (new) all invited, Thursday, May 6, 6:30 pm reviewing: How the Irish Saved Civilization, By Thomas Cahill

Trail Life scouting, boys 5-18, see Pastor if questions.

Risen Savior Classical Academy, Open House, April 30, 3 pm our homeschool community is moving to 2 full days (Mon. & Thurs.) with Classical education approach for Fall 2021.

A Divine Call process to Call a 2nd Pastor? This will be discussed at Sunday Bible Class, May 16. See newsletter.

Ascension Day, Thurs., May 13, Divine Service 7 pm. Following the Service, 7:45-8:30, we will have Trivia Night with various desserts, refreshments, prizes. Children may use the gym, other games.

Congregation Potluck/Quarterly Voter's Assembly, May 16 after 10:30 Service. Agenda available 5/9. On the Agenda will be a motion to begin a Divine Call process to Call a 2nd Pastor. For our potluck, members last name:
A-M: please bring a side dish, salad, dessert, or bread;
N-Z: please bring a main dish

Calendar

Day	Time	Service	
Today	8:00 a	Divine Service	
	9:15 a	Sunday School/Bible Class for all	
	10:30 a	Divine Service	
	11:45 a	Choir	
	5:00 p	New Member Class/Adult Catechism	
Monday	6:00 p	Book of Concord class for all	
	8:30 a	Risen Savior Academy until 3:30 pm	
	Weds.	8:30 a	Matins Service
		9:00 p	Bible Class for all
	6:30 p	Evening Prayer	
Thursday	7:00 p	Bell Choir	
	4-5:30 p	Sports Camp	
Friday	3:00 p	RS Classical Academy Open House	
	7:00 p	Men's Gamenight	
Saturday	8:00 a	Outdoor planting & workday	
	Sunday	8:00 a	Divine Service
9:15 a		Sunday School/Bible Class for all	
10:30 a		Divine Service	
11:45 a		Choir	
5:00 p		New Member Class/Adult Catechism	
	6:00 p	Youth Group	

Upcoming Events

May 13	Ascension, Divine Service 7 pm, Trivia Night follows
May 15	K-7 Highway clean-up
May 16	Next Potluck, Quarterly Voter's Assembly
May 23	Feast of Pentecost
May 30	Feast of the Holy Trinity
June 17-19	Vacation Bible School
July 4-10	Youth Gathering, Colorado State U.

Stewardship \$6517/wkly. budget

Date	Attendance	Offering	+	Special Funds
4/18	253	\$5570		\$530
4/11	221	\$7381		\$270
4/4	360	\$10,096		\$780

Altar Flowers: in thanksgiving on the baptism of Edel Selbe.

See Church Calendar in the office to sign-up, \$25/1 Vase.

Financial Reports & Special Funds posted in Church Office.

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4th Sunday of Easter **April 25, 2021** **Feast of Saint Mark**

Welcome to the Lord's House. This day the Church throughout the world honors Christ for the work of Saint Mark. Saint Mark is remembered as the lion-hearted evangelist, depicted with his fellow evangelists as the four living creatures of Ezekiel 1 and Revelation 4. The evangelist worked in Rome (1 Peter 5:13), where tradition has it that he wrote his Gospel from St. Peter's sermons before founding the church in Alexandria and facing a martyr's death. He and the apostles "were teaching the people and proclaiming in Jesus the resurrection from the dead" (Acts 4:2). Since "there is salvation in no one else," His voice rings out to this day through the preaching of His name, "for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved" (Acts 4:12). His voice comforts our hearts against all condemnation and gives us courage to "love one another" and "to lay down our lives for the brothers," as He laid down His life for us (1 John 3:16,23). **May the Lord bless this Divine Service.**



Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

Psalm 23

We celebrate the Lord's Supper today, in the confession, as Jesus says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread, wine but His very real, true body, blood to eat, drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him, and with one another. According to Scripture, Holy Communion is also a public confession of faith, sharing a unity in doctrinal belief; also those who eat, drink our Lord's body, blood unworthily or without discernment do so to their harm. In love towards God and our neighbor, according to Scripture, the Church has always practiced a closed communion. **Therefore, in love and pastoral concern for our guests, if you are not a member of the LCMS and desire to receive the Sacrament, please speak with the pastor first.**