

# ***The Resurrection of Our Lord***

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***Faith Lutheran Church***

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1 I know that my Re - deem - er lives; What com-fort  
 2 He lives tri - um - phant from the grave; He lives e -  
 3 He lives to bless me with His love; He lives to  
 4 He lives to grant me rich sup - ply; He lives to  
 this sweet sen - tence gives! He lives, He lives, who  
 ter - nal - ly to save; He lives all - glo - rious  
 plead for me a - bove; He lives my hun - gry  
 guide me with His eye; He lives to com - fort  
 once was dead; He lives, my ev - er - liv - ing head.  
 in the sky; He lives ex - alt - ed there on high.  
 soul to feed; He lives to help in time of need.  
 me when faint; He lives to hear my soul's com - plaint.

8 He lives, all glory to His name!  
 He lives, my Jesus, still the same;  
 Oh, the sweet joy this sentence gives:  
 I know that my Redeemer lives!

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- P** In the Name of the Father and ✠ of the Son and of the Holy Spirit  
**C** **Amen!**  
**P** Alleluia! He is risen!  
**C** **He is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

### Collect of the Day

- P** Almighty God, through Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, You overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life. We humbly pray that we may live before You in righteousness and purity forever; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.  
**C** **Amen.**

The Song of Moses

15 Then Moses and the people of Israel sang this song to the LORD, saying,

“I will sing to the LORD, for he has triumphed gloriously;  
the horse and his rider<sup>[a]</sup> he has thrown into the sea.

<sup>2</sup>The LORD is my strength and my song,  
and he has become my salvation;  
this is my God, and I will praise him,  
my father's God, and I will exalt him.

<sup>3</sup>The LORD is a man of war;  
the LORD is his name.

<sup>4</sup>“Pharaoh's chariots and his host he cast into the sea,  
and his chosen officers were sunk in the Red Sea.

<sup>5</sup>The floods covered them;  
they went down into the depths like a stone.

<sup>6</sup>Your right hand, O LORD, glorious in power,  
your right hand, O LORD, shatters the enemy.

<sup>7</sup>In the greatness of your majesty you overthrow your adversaries;  
you send out your fury; it consumes them like stubble.

<sup>8</sup>At the blast of your nostrils the waters piled up;  
the floods stood up in a heap;  
the deeps congealed in the heart of the sea.

<sup>9</sup>The enemy said, ‘I will pursue, I will overtake,  
I will divide the spoil, my desire shall have its fill of them.  
I will draw my sword; my hand shall destroy them.’

<sup>10</sup>You blew with your wind; the sea covered them;  
they sank like lead in the mighty waters.

<sup>11</sup>“Who is like you, O LORD, among the gods?  
Who is like you, majestic in holiness,  
awesome in glorious deeds, doing wonders?

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God!

The Song of Moses and Israel

Exodus 15:1-6, 11-13, 17-18

**C** I will sing to the LORD, for He has triumphed gloriously; the horse and his rider He has thrown into the sea.

**P** The LORD is my strength and my song, and He has become my salvation; this is my God, and I will praise Him, my father's God, and I will exalt Him.

- C** I will sing to the LORD, for He has triumphed gloriously; the horse and his rider He has thrown into the sea.
- P** The LORD is a man of war; the LORD is His name. Pharaoh's chariots and his host He cast into the sea, and his chosen officers were sunk in the Red Sea. The floods covered them; they went down into the depths like a stone. Your right hand, O LORD, glorious in power, Your right hand, O LORD, shatters the enemy.
- C** I will sing to the LORD, for He has triumphed gloriously; the horse and his rider He has thrown into the sea.
- P** Who is like You, O LORD, among the gods? Who is like You, majestic in holiness, awesome in glorious deeds, doing wonders? You stretched out Your right hand; the earth swallowed them. You have led in Your steadfast love the people whom You have redeemed; You have guided them by Your strength to Your holy abode. You will bring them in and plant them on Your own mountain, the place O Lord, which you have made for Your abode, the sanctuary, O LORD, which Your hands have established. The LORD will reign forever and ever.
- C** *Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.*  
 I will sing to the LORD, for He has triumphed gloriously; the horse and his rider He has thrown into the sea.

### The Epistle Reading:

*1 Corinthians 5:6b-8*

Do you not know that a little leaven leavens the whole lump? <sup>7</sup> Cleanse out the old leaven that you may be a new lump, as you really are unleavened. For Christ, our Passover lamb, has been sacrificed. <sup>8</sup> Let us therefore celebrate the festival, not with the old leaven, the leaven of malice and evil, but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God!

### The Verse

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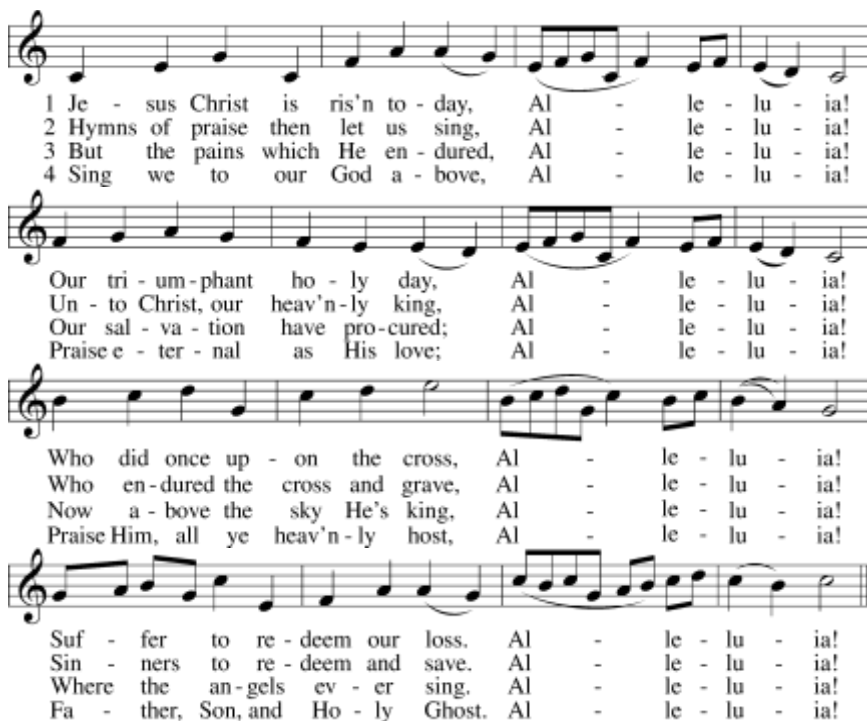
- P** Christ is arisen from the grave's dark prison. So let our joy rise full and free; Christ our comfort true will be. Alleluia!
- C** Were Christ not arisen, then death were still our prison. Now, with Him to life restored, we praise the Father of our Lord. Alleluia!
- All** Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! Now let our joy rise full and free; Christ our comfort true will be. Alleluia!

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the twentieth chapter ✠  
**C** **Glory be to You, O Lord!**

Now on the first day of the week Mary Magdalene came to the tomb early, while it was still dark, and saw that the stone had been taken away from the tomb. <sup>2</sup>So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, “They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.” <sup>3</sup>So Peter went out with the other disciple, and they were going toward the tomb. <sup>4</sup>Both of them were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. <sup>5</sup>And stooping to look in, he saw the linen cloths lying there, but he did not go in. <sup>6</sup>Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen cloths lying there, <sup>7</sup>and the face cloth, which had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen cloths but folded up in a place by itself. <sup>8</sup>Then the other disciple, who had reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; <sup>9</sup>for as yet they did not understand the Scripture, that he must rise from the dead. <sup>10</sup>Then the disciples went back to their homes.

<sup>11</sup>But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb, and as she wept she stooped to look into the tomb. <sup>12</sup>And she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had lain, one at the head and one at the feet. <sup>13</sup>They said to her, “Woman, why are you weeping?” She said to them, “They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.” <sup>14</sup>Having said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing, but she did not know that it was Jesus. <sup>15</sup>Jesus said to her, “Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you seeking?” Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, “Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.” <sup>16</sup>Jesus said to her, “Mary.” She turned and said to him in Aramaic, “Rabboni!” (which means Teacher). <sup>17</sup>Jesus said to her, “Do not cling to me, for I have not yet ascended to the Father; but go to my brothers and say to them, ‘I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.’” <sup>18</sup>Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, “I have seen the Lord”—and that he had said these things to her.

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
**C** **Praise be to You, O Christ!**



1 Je - sus Christ is ris'n to - day, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 2 Hymns of praise then let us sing, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 3 But the pains which He en - dured, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 4 Sing we to our God a - bove, Al - le - lu - ia!

Our tri - um - phant ho - ly day, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Un - to Christ, our heav'n - ly king, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Our sal - va - tion have pro - cured; Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Praise e - ter - nal as His love; Al - le - lu - ia!

Who did once up - on the cross, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Who en - dured the cross and grave, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Now a - bove the sky He's king, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Praise Him, all ye heav'n - ly host, Al - le - lu - ia!

Suf - fer to re - deem our loss, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Sin - ners to re - deem and save, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Where the an - gels ev - er sing, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, Al - le - lu - ia!

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## The Meditation

## The Prayer of the Faithful

Risen and eternal Lord, we come before Your Father this day rejoicing in Your resurrection and praying in confidence for His mercy upon us and all people as they have need.

### *Brief silence*

Blessed Lord, You raised up Jesus Christ from death to show forth the fulfillment of Your promise and to assure us that our sins are forgiven and eternal life has been prepared for us and all believers. Keep us in this holy joy, that in all the days of our trials and troubles we may remember His triumph and be comforted in all our needs. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Blessed Lord, You raised up Christ as Lord of life and of death. Deliver the sick from their illness, give relief to all who suffer, bestow comfort to the grieving and keep the dying in perfect peace, especially those whom we name before You: **[the**

**members of the congregation may name out loud the names of those for whom prayers are requested],** that wherever people cry to You they may know Your mercy and grace is sufficient for their every need. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Blessed Lord, You have bestowed upon us hope beyond imagination in the promise of our own joyful resurrection with Christ to everlasting life. Accept now our grateful song of praise, and help us by Your Holy Spirit to live worthy of the grace of life You have so richly bestowed on us here. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Blessed Lord, You have brought us to this new day of hope and joy through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. Hinder the work of all enemies of Your Gospel so that this Easter message may be proclaimed to all people in every place, and bring many to faith through the preaching of Your Word. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Blessed Lord, You bid us come to You with confidence that You will hear and answer the prayers of Your people who pray through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Grant to us all things needful and keep from us all things harmful to us and to our salvation; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who has taught us how to pray:

**Al** 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.**

**P** O give thanks to the Lord, for He is good!

**C** His mercy endures forever!

**P** The Lord is my strength and my song;

**C** He has become my salvation!

**P** I shall not die, but I shall live,

**C** and recount the deeds of the LORD!

**P** This is the LORD's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.

**C** This is the day that the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

**P** Let us bless the Lord!

**C** Thanks be to God!

☐ The almighty and merciful Lord, the Father, the ✠ Son, and the Holy Spirit, bless and preserve you.

☐ Amen!

**Closing Hymn - *He is Arisen! Glorious Word***

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He is a - ris - en! Glo - rious Word! Now rec - on - ciled  
is God, my Lord; The gates of heav'n are o - pen.  
My Je - sus did tri - um - phant die, And Sa - tan's ar -  
rows bro - ken lie, De - stroyed hell's fierc - est weap - on.  
O hear what cheer! Christ vic - to - rious, Ris - ing glo - rious,  
Life is giv - ing. He was dead but now is liv - ing!

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*Our celebration of the Lord's resurrection will continue with*

***Easter breakfast 7:30-9:00am***

***Divine Service 9:30am***

*An Easter egg hunt for the children will follow the Divine Service*

***Alleluia! Christ is risen! He is risen indeed! Alleluia!***