



MOUNT OF RESURRECTION

Grace Lutheran Church & School



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Hymns:

Sun. School: Mark 16:1-8; TLH 200, st. 1-2, 6-8 (open) TLH 210: The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done Choir: The Lord is Risen Today (after Absolution) Day School: TLH 198 (after Creed, join in singing st. 4-5)

TLH 188: Hallelujah! Jesus Lives!

TLH 199: Jesus Christ is Risen Today, Alleluia!

Worship Prep:

Psalm 2, TLH p. 123

<u>Liturgy</u>:

TLH 202; TLH 190; TLH 207:2 (offering)

Scripture Readings:

John 20:1-10; 11-18; 19-23; Ephesians 1:15-23

Sermon: Psalm 2:1-12

¹ Why do the nations rage, And the people plot a vain thing? ² The kings of the earth set themselves, And the rulers take counsel together, Against the LORD and against His Anointed, *saying*, ³ "Let us break Their bonds in pieces And cast away Their cords from us." ⁴ He who sits in the heavens shall laugh; The Lord shall hold them in derision. ⁵ Then He shall speak to them in His wrath, And distress them in His deep displeasure: ⁶ "Yet I have set My King On My holy hill of Zion." ⁷ "I will declare the decree: The LORD has said to Me, 'You *are* My Son, Today I have begotten You. ⁸ Ask of Me, and I will give *You* The nations *for* Your inheritance, And the ends of the earth *for* Your possession. ⁹ You shall break them with a rod of iron; You shall dash them to pieces like a potter's vessel." ¹⁰ Now therefore, be wise, O kings; Be instructed, you judges of the earth. ¹¹ Serve the LORD with fear, And rejoice with trembling. ¹² Kiss the Son, lest He be angry, And you perish *in* the way, When His wrath is kindled but a little. Blessed *are* all those who put their trust in Him. (*NKJV*TM)

MOUNT OF RESURRECTION: WHERE JESUS ROSE FROM THE DEAD

Psalm 2: Christ's Death, Resurrection, and Ascension

The Psalms and Hymns of Isaac Watts (L.M.)

Why did the Jews proclaim their rage? The Romans, why their swords employ? Against the Lord their powers engage, His dear Anointed to destroy?

"Come, let us break His bands," they say,
"This Man shall never give us laws:"
And thus they cast His yoke away,
And nailed the Monarch to the cross.

But God, who high in glory reigns, Laughs at their pride, their rage controls, He'll vex their hearts with inward pains, And speak in thunder to their souls.

"I will maintain the King I made On Zion's everlasting hill; My hand shall bring Him from the dead, And He shall stand your Sovereign still."

[His wondrous rising from the earth Makes His eternal Godhead known; The Lord declares His heav'nly birth, "This day have I begot my Son.

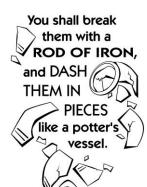
"Ascend, My Son, to My right hand, There Thou shalt ask, and I bestow, The utmost bounds of heathen lands; To Thee the Northern Isles shall bow."]

But nations that resist His grace Shall fall beneath His iron stroke; His rod shall crush His foes with ease, As potters' earthen work is broke.

Now, ye that sit on earthly thrones, Be wise, and serve the Lord, the Lamb; Now at His feet submit your crowns, Rejoice and tremble at His name.

> With humble love address the Son, Lest He grow angry, and ye die; His wrath will burn to worlds unknown, If ye provoke His jealousy.

> His storms shall drive you quick to hell; He is a God, and ye but dust: Happy the souls that know Him well, And make His grace their only trust.



GOOD NEWS – CHRIST IS RISEN

Written by Rev. Daniel Fleischer, 4/2022

O, sing with exultation,
And trust the Father's promise
Who graciously and kindly
Sent Jesus Christ, your Savior,
Who bore your sins and suffered
And earned for you, forgiveness.

O, sing with exultation-Faithful Christians far and wide,
The promised loving Savior,
Without complaint or rancor,
Fulfilled the Father's purpose
To take away transgression.

O, sing with exultation-Jesus suffered on the cross
In deep pain and anguish sore.
Forsaken of His Father,
He paid the price required
And redeemed your soul from death.

O, sing with exultation-Despite the mocking venom
Jesus quietly endured.
Every word the Savior spoke
Was spoken from compassion,
An expression of His love.

O, sing with exultation-When darkness chased the daylight,
Sacrifice complete, He cried,
"It is finished," and proclaimed,
"Father, receive My spirit."
Then He bowed His head and died!

From lowly stable manger
To the brand-new garden tomb,
As prophesied in Scripture,
And numbered with transgressors,
He bore the sins of many,
Lonely, lying in the tomb.

Then on the Sabbath morning
When women came to serve Him,
They were stunned. He was not there!
Instead an angel told them,
"Look and see, He is not here.
He has risen from the dead."

O, sing with exultation, God's Truth abides forever. All occurred as was foretold! Jesus died, your debt is paid, By His blood you're justified, Sealed by His resurrection!

O sing with exultation!
In this world, whate'er befalls,
Jesus' Word is ever true:
"I am yours and you are mine.
As I live, you too shall live.
Where I am, you too shall be." (df-2022)

In confident faith and with joy, give thanks to God, "Who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ" (1 Corinthians 15:58), by whose righteousness, through faith, Christ-believers are assured, in His own words: "Whoever believes in Me shall never die" (John 11:26).

"IT IS FINISHED"

- 1. Nothing, either great or small--nothing, sinner, no; Jesus did it, did it all, long, long ago.
- 2. When He, from His lofty throne, stooped to do and die, Everything was fully done, hearken to His cry!
- 3. Weary, working, burdened one, Wherefore toil you so? Cease your doing, all was done long, long ago.
 - 4. Till to Jesus' work you cling by a simple faith, "Doing" is a deadly thing--"Doing" ends in death.
 - 5. Cast your deadly "Doing" down, down at Jesus' feet; Stand in Him, in Him alone, gloriously complete.
 - 6. "It is finished!" Yes, indeed, finished every jot; Sinner, this is all you need, tell me, is it not? (By James Procter, 1922, Sacred Songs and Solos #142)

Welcome: We welcome our visitors on this most joyous of Christian holidays. Please sign our guest register located by the entrance of the church. You are certainly welcome to talk with our Pastor to learn more about Grace Lutheran and what we believe Scripture teaches. We cordially invite you to come again, and please let us know how we may provide spiritual ministry to you!

⇒ Easter Greeting: As the world around us changes and as many of our members face personal challenges, the one consistent and the only thing that holds fast our bearings is the message of Christ crucified. As we gather today to celebrate the resurrection of Christ, may its message ring loudly in our hearts and lives. To have a living Savior means that we all enjoy the vast blessings He continues to extend to each of us by His grace. Our Lord lives indeed! May

each of you have a blessed Easter. - Pastor & Mrs. Hein

- **▶ Easter Thanks:** Thanks to all those who contributed to the gathering of Easter flowers at the front of the church. Those who purchased flowers may speak with Mikey Oman about picking them up following worship. Another thanks to all who helped make the breakfast a special occasion.
- → Among Us: Fred Dauer has been hospitalized at North Memorial Hospital for pneumonia and may likely be there for another day or two. May the LORD grant our brother the healing he seeks.
- New Address: Barb Crandall; Lake Ridge Manor; 310 Lake Blvd. S., Room 21; Buffalo, MN 55313
- → Organ Fund Update: The LORD has certainly moved hearts to contribute to the new organ! This is a testament to how much Grace appreciates and values the opportunity to worship the LORD. The Council recently discussed how we are close to the Voters' target of \$55,000, short by about \$4,000. There could be some additional costs that could be covered by the fund for sanctuary preparations. Due to supply chain issues, the earliest the organ could arrive is in May. But Barry Hay believes it may most likely land in June.

- → Confirmation Note: This year there are no confirmands at Grace. However, we continue to pray for those students who are continuing their understanding of Christian doctrine through their training in Catechism class, a wonderful time to grow in the Word.
- ▶ **Volunteers?** Pastor is seeking volunteers to assist with a few things: 1) update weekly copyright information on One License website; 2) mail bulletins to shut-ins; 3) Daily Rest renewal contact person; 4) various secretarial help with updating the yearbook.
- ▶ ILHS Visitors' Day: Immanuel Lutheran High School Visitor's Day will be on Fri., April 29 starting at 8 am. Students (grades 7 and up) will have an opportunity to experience firsthand what it would be like to attend Immanuel. Please speak with Pastor regarding your interest as he will be bringing students to campus that day.
- **TVBS Volunteers:** The TVBS committee has finalized our list of trips for this summer. We will be going to California, Washington, and North Dakota. We are now in need of volunteers to ensure we can make these trips possible. If you are interested in volunteering and would like more info. please go to our website: www.clctvbs.org/tvbs.
- ➡ Installation: Living Savior Lutheran of Eden Prairie will install Pastor Luke Willitz on Sunday, May 1, at 4:00 p.m. at the Huber Funeral Chapel, 16394 Glory Lane in Eden Prairie. A luncheon/reception will follow service. Attendees are asked to RSVP President Scott Libby, if possible, at salibby@msn.com
- **CLC News:** Teacher Ross Kok of Holy Cross Lutheran in Phoenix, AZ, has returned the K-4th Grade Teacher call at Gethsemane Lutheran in Spokane Valley, WA.
- **⇒ Sunday School Memory Work:** Break

Last Week's Stats:	Apr. 10, 2022	Sun.: 112 S.S.	.: 17 B.Cl.: 3	38 Fri.: 79
Sun. Offering:	Grace:	\$2,113	CLC:	\$425
Fri. Offering:	Grace:	\$1,166	CLC:	\$20
Weekly Need:	Grace:	4,250	CLC:	1,020
Under / +Ove	r: Grace:	-971	CLC:	-575
Year-to-Date Offe	ering: Grace:	\$66,025	CLC:	\$14,785
Year-to-Date Nee	ed: Grace:	63,750	CLC:	15,300
Year-to-Date (+/-) Grace:	+2,275	CLC:	-515
GLC Other:	304 Living Fa	aith: 20	Tuition Ai	d: 0
SAF Endowment	:100 MDF:	0	Kinship:	50
ILC Student Aid:	0 ILC Bldg	. 0	IIF: 0	CEF: 0
Current Balances: Tuition Aid: \$		\id: \$592	Organ: \$	51,347

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Organist: Sue Nelson **Elder: Dave Rust**

Ushers: Larry Brandt; Jeremiah Boe; Nick Duehlmeier; Dale **Enns; Duane Enns; Brandon Paplow; Pat Paplow**

Counting Team 4: James Bomber; David Hein; Roger Ochsner; Al Rosendahl; Dave Rust

Church Cleaners: Wales School: Ude

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Counting Team 1: Dale Enns; Larry Nelson; Ryan Oman; Pat Paplow: Phil Radichel

Church Cleaners: B. Sydow School: Ude

OUR SCHEDULE T

Sun., Apr. 17: EASTER

(S.S., Bible Class, Hospitality Suspended)

7:30 am - Easter Breakfast

9:00 am - Easter Festival Worship Service Grace School Resumes after Easter Break Tue., Apr. 19:

Wed., Apr. 20: 4:30-6:15 pm - Catechism for Public School Students

8:30 am - Choir Practice Sun., Apr. 24: 9:00 am - Bible Class

10:00 am – Worship Service (Easter 2) 11:15 am - Voters & Dorcas Guild Meetings Grace School – Iowa Basic Tests

April 25-28: April 25-26: CLC Board Meetings (Eau Claire, WI) Wed., Apr. 27: CLC Coordinating Council (Eau Claire, WI) Fri., Apr. 29: Kindergarten Roundup at Grace Lutheran School

Immanuel Lutheran High School Visitors' Day

2:00 pm - Immanuel Play, "Father Knows Best" (Band @ 1:30 pm) 7:30 pm – Immanuel Play, "Father Knows Best" (Music @ 7 pm) Apr. 29-30:

Sat., Apr. 30: 9:00 am - Grace Work Dav

Field Day @ Inver Grove Hts. (Grades 5-8) (K-4 No School) Fri., May 6:

3:00 pm - Immanuel Class Day @ ILC Fieldhouse Fri., May 20:

> 7:30 pm – Immanuel Spring Concert @ Messiah Lutheran 10:00 am - Immanuel Graduation Service @ ILC Fieldhouse

Sat., May 21: Wed., May 25: 7:00 pm – Grace School Spring Program

Thu., May 26: 12:00 pm - Grace School Dismissal for Summer

7:00 pm - Ascension Day Worship Service

9:00 am - Worship (Summer Schedule Begins, Grace Graduation) Sun., May 29: Sat., June 11: 10:00 am - MN Delegate Conference @ Eagle Lake, MN

June 23-26: CLC Convention @ Eau Claire, WI

Vacation Bible School July 25-29: