LAKE OF THE ISLES LUTHERAN CHURCH

★ EASTER SUNDAY ★APRIL 9, 20239:30 & 11:00 AM

"This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it." God has indeed raised from the dead the one who was put to death "by hanging him on a tree." Alleluia! God allows Jesus to appear "to us who were chosen by God as witnesses" in holy baptism and invites us to eat and drink at the table of the risen Christ. Alleluia!



Francesco Buoneri, called Cecco del Caravaggio, 1690

Inspired by Christ, living and growing in faith, we are a loving and open community of worship, witness, and service in God's world.



¥ Gathering **¥**

Following the call of God's Spirit, the community of faith gathers, welcoming one another and praying for God's mercy to fill the church and the world.

We invite you to use the prelude time to prepare your heart and mind for worship.

Prelude

La Majesté from 12 Marches héroiques 'Heldenmusik' TWV 50:31 Georg Philipp Telemann (1681-1767)

Welcome

Call to Worship & Easter Proclamation

clamation | Christ is Risen!

Spoken three times. | H

He is risen indeed.

based on Psalm 118
Please stand as
you are able.

This is the day that the Lord has made,

Let us be glad and rejoice in it.

The Lord is my strength and my song,

And he has become my salvation.

There is a sound of exultation and victory in the tents of the righteous.

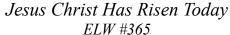
"The right hand of the Lord has triumphed!"

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit,

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Processional Hymn Please stand as you are able & turn to face the processional cross.







Text: Latin carol, 14th cent., sts. 1–3; tr. J. Walsh, *Lyra Davidica*, 1708, alt.; Charles Wesley, 1707–1788, st. 4 Music: EASTER HYMN, J. Walsh, *Lyra Davidica*, 1708

Apostolic Greeting

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

Everlasting God, in your endless love for the human race you sent our Lord Jesus Christ to take on our nature and to suffer death on the cross. In your mercy enable us to share in his obedience to your will and in the glorious victory of his resurrection, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

Children's Message Please be seated.

Dismissal Song *Please sing verse 1*

₩ Word ₩

The Word of God comes alive for the gathered community. As God speaks to us in scriptures read, sung and preached.

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Reading Colossians 3:1-4 Easter means new life for us as it first meant new life for Christ.

So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

R: Word of God, Word of Life.

C: Thanks be to God.

Gradual & Alleluia

This is the Feast of Victory

Ronald A. Johnson

This is the feast of victory for our God.

For the Lamb Who was slain has begun His reign:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain,
whose blood set us free to be people of God.
Power, riches, wisdom, and strength,
and honor, blessing, and glory are his.
Sing with all the people of God,
and join in the hymn of all creation.

Blessing, honor, glory, and might be to God and
the Lamb forever. Amen.
For the Lamb Who was slain
has begun His reign:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Gospel

Matthew 28:1-10 Sorrow gives way to "fear and great joy" when two women are sent by an angel to proclaim the good news: Jesus is risen!

Please stand as you are able.

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew the twenty-eighth chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

¹After the sabbath, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. ²And suddenly there was a great earthquake; for an angel of the Lord, descending from heaven, came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. ³His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. ⁴For fear of him the guards shook and became like dead men. ⁵But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. ⁶He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. ¹Then go quickly and tell his disciples, 'He has been raised from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him.' This is my message for you." ⁸So they left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. ⁹Suddenly Jesus met them and said, "Greetings!" And they came to him, took hold of his feet, and worshiped him. ¹0Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me."

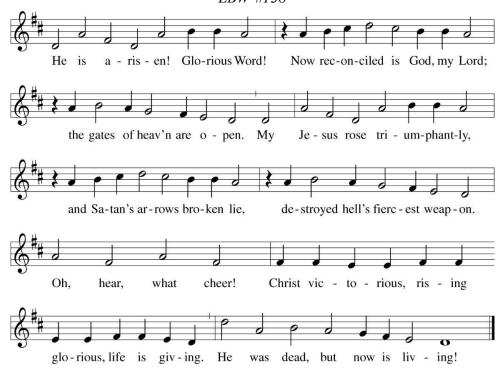
P: The Gospel of Our Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.



Pulpit Hymn

He Is Arisen! Glorious Word! LBW #138



Text: Birgitte K. Boye, 1742–1824; tr. George T. Rygh, 1860–1942, alt. Music: WIE SCHÖN LEUCHTET, Philipp Nicolai, 1556–1608

Sermon *Please be seated*

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Following the sermon, we will take a moment of silence to reflect on today's gospel message.

Hymn of the Day Please stand as you are able.



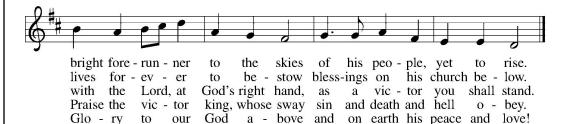
Hallelujah! Jesus Lives! ELW #380



- Hal-le lu jah! Je - sus lives! He is now the Liv - ing One;
- Je sus lives! Why you weep? Why that sad and mourn-ful sigh? do
- thus, my soul, Je - sus lives! And life e - ter - nal waits for you;
- re joice. Praise him, ran somed of Je - sus lives! Let the earth. Hal-le - lu - jah! An - gels, sing! Join with us in hymns of praise.



halls of Christ, the con - quer - or, has gone, from the gloom-y death Christ who died our broth - er here lives our broth-er still high, joined to Christ, your liv - ing head, where he is, you shall be too; Praise him in no - bler song, cher - u - bim of heav'n-ly birth. a your cho - rus swell the strain which our fee - bler voic - es



Text: Carl B. Garve, 1763-1841; tr. Jane L. Borthwick, 1813-1897, alt. Music: FRED TIL BOD, Ludvig M. Lindeman, 1812-1887

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Prayers of the Church

P: United in the hope and joy of the resurrection, let us pray for the church, the world and all who are in need.

A brief silence.

- A: You call your church to witness to your salvation. We give thanks for all theologians, preachers and teachers who proclaim the gospel....Lord, in your mercy,
- C: hear our prayer.
- P: Into your hands, God of abundant grace, we commend all of whom we pray, trusting in your mercy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior.
- C: Amen.

Greeting of Peace

- P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- C: And also with you.

After the greeting, please share a word of peace with your neighbors.

Lake of the Isles Lutheran Church is supported through the generous gifts of time, talent and treasure of our friends and members. In order to fulfill our mission and ministry, we need to receive approximately \$6,000 in offerings each week. We thank you for your support and partnership in the proclamation of the good news.



Anthem

Now the Green Blade Rises

John M.C. Crum/ Carolyn Johnson

Now the green blade riseth, from the buried grain, Wheat that in dark earth many days has lain; Love lives again, that with the dead has been: Love is come again like wheat that springeth green.

In the grave they laid Him, Love who had been slain, Thinking that He never would awake again, Laid in the earth like grain that sleeps unseen: Love is come again like wheat that springeth green.

Forth He came at Easter, like the risen grain,
Jesus who for three days in the grave had lain;
Quick from the dead the risen One is seen:
Love is come again like wheat that springeth green.

When our hearts are wintry, grieving, or in pain, Jesus' touch can call us back to life again, Fields of our hearts that dead and bare have been: Love is come again like wheat that springeth green.

Offertory Please stand as you are able.



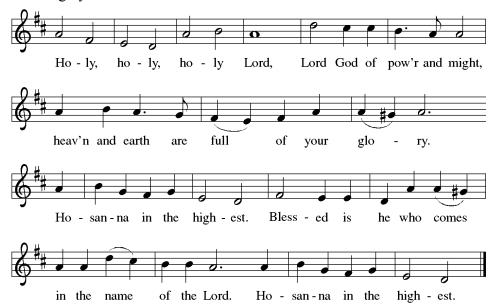
Text: George R. Woodward, 1848–1934 Music: VRUECHTEN, Dutch folk tune, 17th cent.

Offertory Prayer

A: Generous God, in this meal you offer your very self. We give thanks for these gifts of the earth. In the breaking of this bread reveal to us the Risen One. In the pouring of the wine pour us out in service to the world: through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

We lift our hearts with praise and thanksgiving as the table is set, and we receive the bread and wine—the humble meal through which we are fed by the presence of Jesus the Christ and united as the body of Christ in the world.

- Great Thanksgiving
- 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, our duty and our joy...we praise your name and join their unending hymn...





Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

C: 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.

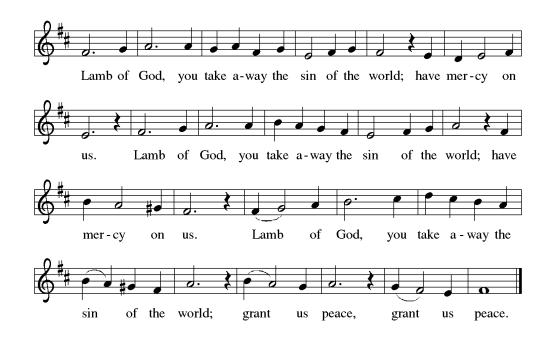


Invitation to Communion *Please be seated*

Lamb of God



P: Come to me all who are tired and heavy laden, and I will give you rest. The table has been prepared. All are welcome.



Distribution Music

Distribution

Fanfarra Real (Royal Fanfare)

Handel Cecilio (b. 1963)

Holy Communion will begin in the front of the church, nearest where the pastor and assisting minister will distribute the bread and wine. Please take either a glass of red wine or white grape juice from the full tray and place your emptied glass into the extra tray which is in front of the first pew.

Your offerings will also be received as the usher directs you toward the front of the church for communion.

Post-Communion Blessing Please stand as you are able.

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

C: Amen.

Post-Communion Prayer

A: Gracious God, in you we live and have our being. With your word and this meal of grace, you have nourished our life together. Strengthen us to show your love and serve the world in Jesus' name.

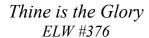
C: Amen.

Sending ■

We receive the blessing of God and leave in peace, Sent out to live the way of Jesus for the sake of the world God loves.

Closing Hymn







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- con-qu'ring Son; from the tomb! Thine is the glo - ry, ris - en, Lo, Je - sus meets thee, ris - en Lov - ing - ly he
- No more we doubt thee, glo rious Prince of life; life is naught with-



vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won! greets thee, scat-ters fear and gloom; thee; aid us our strife; in

An - gels in bright rai - ment let his church with glad - ness make us more than con-qu'rors,





its sting! death hath lost Thine is the glo - ry, ris - en, con-qu'ring thy home a - bove.



Text: Edmond Budry, 1854–1932; tr. R. Birch Hoyle, 1875–1939 Music: HIDAS MACCARAFUS, George Frideric Handel, 1685–1750

Benediction

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

C: Amen.

Announcements

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Dismissal

- P: Go in peace. Live in love, as Christ loved us.
- C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Toccata from Symphony for Organ N° 5, Op. 42, N° 1~ Sing

Charles-Marie Widor (1844-1937)

Sing we praise to God, who reigns above, God the fount of love; friend, protector, guide; ever by our side; Let us all our voices raise and sing to God a joyous hymn of praise. Hallelujah!

You are free to leave during the Postlude or remain to enjoy the offering of music & praise.

WELCOME

We thank you for celebrating the love of Jesus Christ with us this week, and we invite you back again—
for prayer and worship. We will continue to have Sunday services online.

We hope the message of God's grace will guide and strengthen you
as you grow in love and faith in your daily life.

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YOUR WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY	Pastor	Rev. Dr. Arden D. Haug			
	Organist	Dr. Kristina Rizzotto			
	Trumpet	Liam Green			
	Worship Assistant	Mark Duff, 9:30 am			
		Mary Sabatke, 11:00 am			
	Communion Assistant	Michelle McCreery, 9:30 AM			
		Marty Carlson, 11:00 am			
	Altar Servers	Cathy Carlson , Kathy Hering, 9:30 AM			
		Linda Nelson, Cathy Carlson,&			
		Kathy Hering, 11:00 AM			
	Reader	Lorraine Spies, 9:30 AM			
		Eric Amann, II:00 AM			
	Ushers	Mary Flynn, Bill Fredell, 9:30 AM			
		Linda Nelson, II:00 AM			
Church Officers	President	Marty Carlson			
	Vice President	Steve Hoyt			
	Treasurer				
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	Director of Music	Dr. Kristina Rizzotto			
	Children's Ministry Director	Diane LaMere			
	Worshin Technical Director	Joseph LaMere			
	•	Linda Nelson			
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	•	Michelle McCreery			
	Custodian/Caretakers	Sarah & Trevor Skorburg			

CALENDAR

Sunday, April 9	9:30 am	Worship with Holy Communion	Sanctuary & YouTube	
	11:00 AM	Worship with Holy Communion	Sanctuary	
Monday, April 10		Easter Monday ~ Church Closed		
	Office Hours Limited ~ 4/11-4/21			
Please Call Ahead				
	7:00 pm	AA	Fellowship Hall	
Tuesday, April 11	9:30 am	Prayer Ministry	Christy Room/Sanctuary	
	5:15 pm	SA Women's Group	Christy Room	
	7:00 pm	Men's AA	Patio/Fellowship Hall	
	7:00 pm	AA/Spiritual Recovery	Christy Room/Sanctuary	
Wednesday, April 12	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary	
Thursday, April 13	12:00 pm	Al Anon	Fellowship Hall	
	6:30 pm	Punschklubben	Fellowship Hall	
	7:00 pm	Women's Bible Study	Library	
Sunday, April 16	9:30 am	Worship with Holy Communion	Sanctuary & YouTube	
		& Sunday School	Sunday School Rooms	
	10:30 am	Coffee Hour	Fellowship Hall	

SCAN TO GIVE



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prayer List

Please keep the following friends & members of our community of faith in your prayers of thanksgiving or for comfort, peace, and healing:



Matthew Moen; Anna Lena Skold; Trygve Svard; Cindy Kiester, niece of Carolyn & David Hagford; Elena Glück & family, niece of Renate Amann; Barbara Koester, niece of Phyllis Dahl; Maureen Allen, friend of Carol Kuehn; David Zarling, friend of Kathy & Mark Hering; Sam Pederson, nephew of Jennifer Cook; Beth Addington & Elizabeth Muench, friends of the congregation; Natalie Mozey, daughter of Alan & Mary Poulsen; Allison Peterson, friend of Susanne Haas; Bunny & David Anderson, sister & brother-in-law of John Bergford; David Cook, brother of Jenny Cook; Kathy Sawyer, niece of Philip Friedlund, Joey Juras & Fitz Loula, friends of the Gruys family; Dona Duff, mother of Mark Duff; Alison Reagon, friend of Mark Duff & Michelle McCreery; Lyle Kuehn, brother-in-law of Carol Kuehn; Sylvia Johnson, mother of Twyla Hobbs; the family of **David Nelson**, nephew of Dave & Carolyn Hagford.

Meditation

LOTI is available during office hours for a time of quiet meditation. You can use the sanctuary to spend time in prayer, light a candle, listen to recorded sacred music, and/or use a guided meditation tool. Please call the church office to reserve a time.

Loved Ones In The Military

Please keep all the members & families of the military in your prayers of thanksgiving and protection.



No Staffed Nursery in the Christy Room Today, Sunday, April 9

Parents with little ones are welcome to use the Nursery, as needed. Ushers can help you with directions or simply follow the signs provided in the back of the Sanctuary. The livestream of the service will be playing in the Christy Room for you to view.

Kid Worship Materials

Kid worship materials are available in the Narthex (back of Sanctuary). Crayon packets and a variety of coloring pages and activity sheets are available for your children to enjoy during worship.



Thomas Rustad 4/10

LOTI Women's Book Club

Friday, April 28th 5:00 PM

Home of Deb Gilroy

This month's selection is *Midnight Library by Matt*. Join us! Bring a snack to share if you like.

Deb Gilroy LOTI Groups

Women's Bible Study Thursday, April 13th 7:00 PM Library

We are studying *Children of the Day*, by *Beth Moore*. Deb Gilroy LOTI Groups

Luther Park 2023 Summer Camp

Thinking about summer? So are we! Check out the summer camp opportunities at Luther Park in Danbury, WI. There's something for everyone! Go to Luther Park for registration and details.

Elementary Camps (Grades 1-6)

Cabin Camp – June 18-23, June 25-July 2, and July 23-28; Choice of Half week (Gr 1-4) or Full week (Gr 3-6). Half weeks end on Wed instead of Fri. Beginners Horse Camp – (Gr 4-6): June 25-30 Intermediate Horse Camp – (Gr 4-6) July 16-21

Youth Camps (Grades 7-12)

Treehouse Camp – June 18-23 or July 23-28 Canoe Trip – July 9-14 Beginners Horse Camp – June 25-30 Intermediate Horse Camp – July 16-21

Family Camps

grandchildren

Both camps have choice of cabins, log house, retreat center, treehouses or campgrounds

Grand Camp – July 16-19 for Grandparents &

Camp Getaway for Families – All dates are Friday-Sunday: June 23-25, June 30-July 2, July 7-9, July 21-23 or July 28-30



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Monday – Thursday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM Friday 9:00 AM to Noon

