

# FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 30, 2023

10:30 AM

↑ = *Stand*   **C**: *Congregation*   **A**: *Worship Assistant*   **P**: *Presiding Minister*

Hymns may be found in the red hymnals in the pews. • Large-print hymns are available in the narthex as you enter. • Quiet Bags with books and soft toys, or Doodle Bags with markers are available in the narthex for children.

## Prelude

*Selections from a partita on DUKE STREET* (ELW 619)  
Charles Callahan (b. 1951)

## Introit

**Psalm 33:5, 6, 1**

The lovingkindness of the LORD fills the whole world. By the word of the LORD the heavens were made. Rejoice in the LORD, O you righteous, for praise befits the upright.

## Welcome

↑ **Gathering Hymn**  
*Stanzas 1-4*

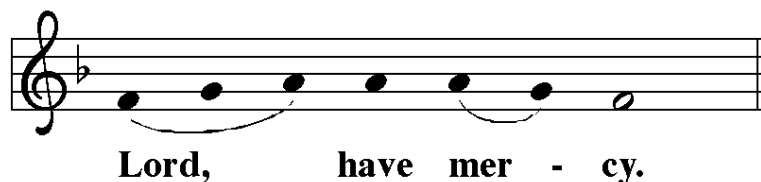
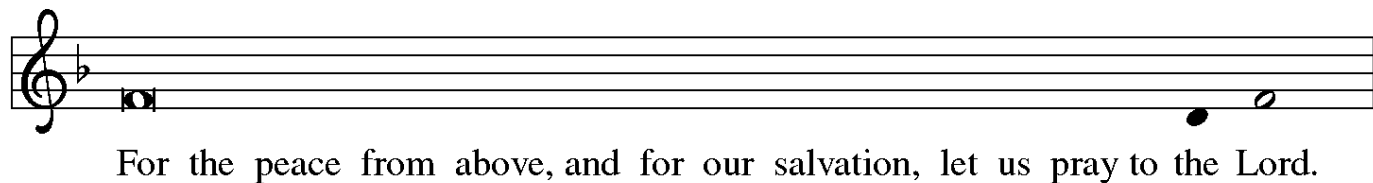
*I Know That My Redeemer Lives*  
**ELW 619**

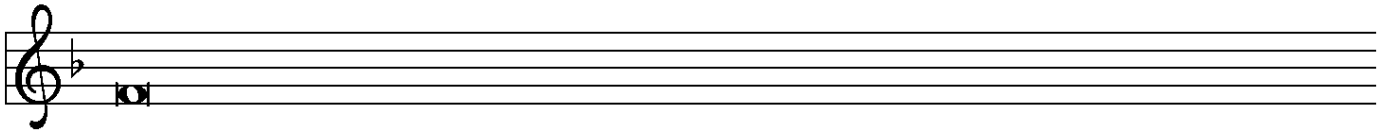
## ↑ Greeting

**P**: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,  
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

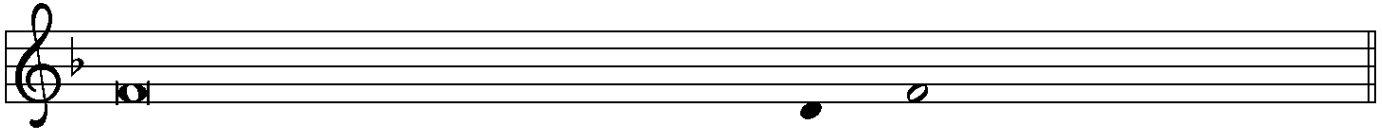
**C**: **And also with you.**

## ↑ Kyrie





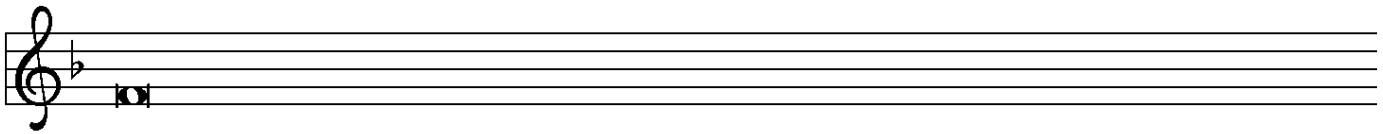
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



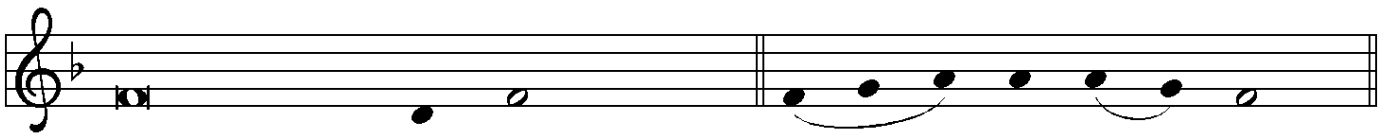
and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



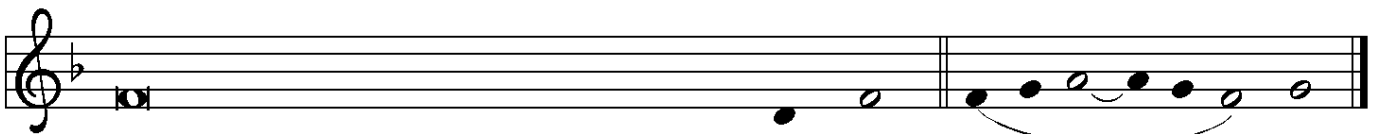
Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord. Lord, have mer - cy.



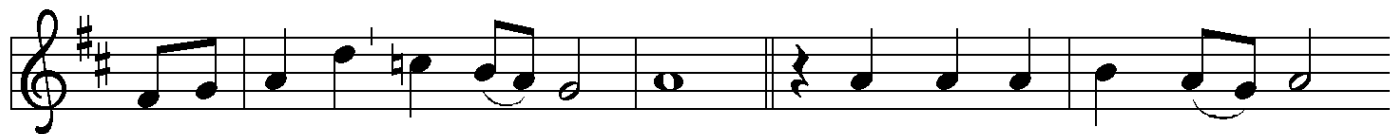
Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord. A - men.

### ↑Hymn of Praise

*Refrain*



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia,



al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. 1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb

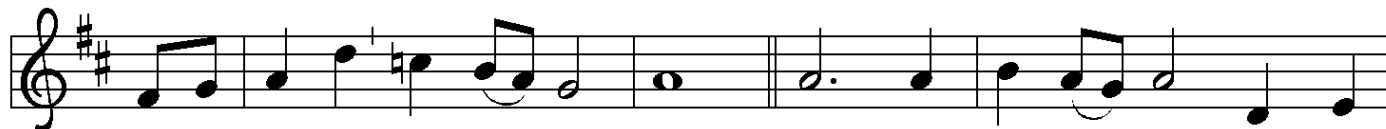


who was slain, whose blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.

*Refrain*



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia,



al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. 2 Pow - er, rich - es, wis - dom, and

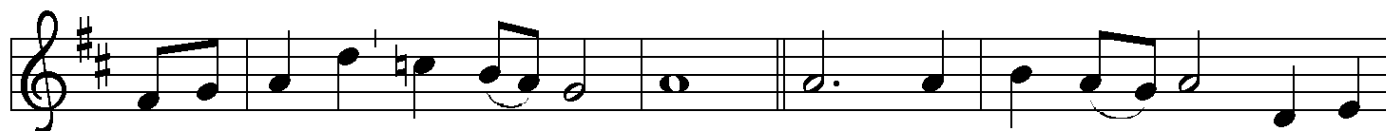


strength, and hon - or, bless - ing, and glo - ry are his.

*Refrain*



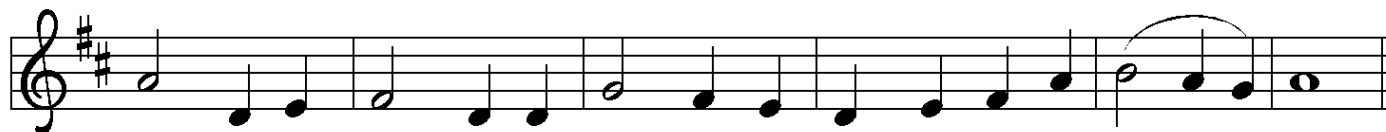
This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia,



al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. 3 Sing with all the peo - ple of



God, and join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion: Bless - ing, hon - or,



glo - ry, and might be to God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.

*Refrain*

This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia,  
 al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. 4 For the Lamb who was  
 slain has be - gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.

*Final refrain*

This is the feast of vic - to-ry for our God.  
 Al-le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

**↑Prayer of the Day**

**P:** The Lord be with you.

**C:** And also with you.

**P:** Let us pray.

O God our shepherd, you know your sheep by name  
 and lead us to safety through the valleys of death.  
 Guide us by your voice, that we may walk in faith and hope  
 to the joyous feast prepared in your house,  
 through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord,  
 who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
 one God, now and forever.

**C:** Amen.

## First Reading

Acts 2:42-47

**A:** Word of God, Word of life.

**G:** Thanks be to God.

## Psalmody

*The Lord's My Shepherd* [Psalm 23]

ELW 778

*This morning, Psalm 23 is sung to one of the famous hymnic settings of these cherished words. We will sing in alternation as follows:*

1 = Choir

2 = All, melody

3 = Choir

4 = All, harmony (or melody)

5 = All, melody

## Second Reading

1 Peter 2:19-25

**A:** Word of God, Word of life.

**G:** Thanks be to God.

## ↑ Gospel Acclamation

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.

## ↑ The Holy Gospel

John 10:1-10

**P:** The Gospel according to St. Luke, the twenty-fourth chapter.

**G:** Glory to you, O Lord.

*After the reading*

**P:** The Gospel of the Lord.

**G:** Praise to you, O Christ.

↑ Hymn of the Day

*Have No Fear, Little Flock*  
ELW 764

↑ Apostles' 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.

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The Apostles' Creed emphasizes the full humanity of Christ (e.g., he was born, suffered, and died) in response to one of the earliest heresies, namely, the view that Christ only "appeared" to be human. Why? Detractors believed that the Spirit of God, which is good, could not dwell in a material or physical body, which is evil. When we profess the Apostles' Creed, following Jewish tradition, we insist otherwise. The world God made is good! With great joy and without contradiction, therefore, we can say with John 1:14 that "the Word became flesh and dwelled among us." —Pastor Dan



## Blessing of the Quilts and Kits

- P:** God, our neighbors around the world are in need of hope. Your Spirit is a mighty force, your whispers of hope bring reassurance into the world. Open our hearts and hands to feel your presence around us, in our neighborhoods and with others across the world.
- C:** **Jesus, help us speak words of hope to our neighbors.**
- P:** God, we give you thanks for the pieces of fabric, thread, the sewing machines, and the items collected for the school kits, personal care kits, baby care kits and fabric kits. May their presence be a sign of hope; may these quilts wrap our neighbors in unending love; and may these kits give strength to those who struggle against hardship.
- C:** **Jesus, help us reach out in hope to our neighbors.**
- P:** God, we give thanks for all the hands that fashioned hope into a quilt, for the hands that collected and sorted, for the hands that continually open wider so that no one feels left out. Bless our quilting ministry at Queen Anne Lutheran and all who share in it.
- C:** **Jesus, help us see hope in our neighbors.**
- P:** God, we ask you to guide the staff and partners at LWR. May their voices and hands be a beacon of hope. Keep them safe. Keep them filled with your strength and perseverance. Be with those who pack and deliver these kits.
- C:** **Jesus, help us share a taste of hope with our neighbors.**

**P:** God, be with our neighbors who will receive these gifts. Whether we know their names or where they live, they are our neighbors, made in your image as we are, children of one humanity. We pray all this in the name of Jesus, God's loudest whisper of hope and healing to the world.

**C:** Amen.

**P:** Recognizing God's abundant hope, let us be a sign of hope to our neighbors near and far: offering hands to hold, and compassion from our hearts. In the name of the Father, † the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

**C:** Amen.

### Prayers of the Church *(please be seated or kneel)*

**A:** . . . Lord, in your mercy.

**C:** Hear our prayer.

### ↑ Sharing of Peace

**P:** The peace of Christ be with you always.

**C:** And also with you.

### ↑ The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

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

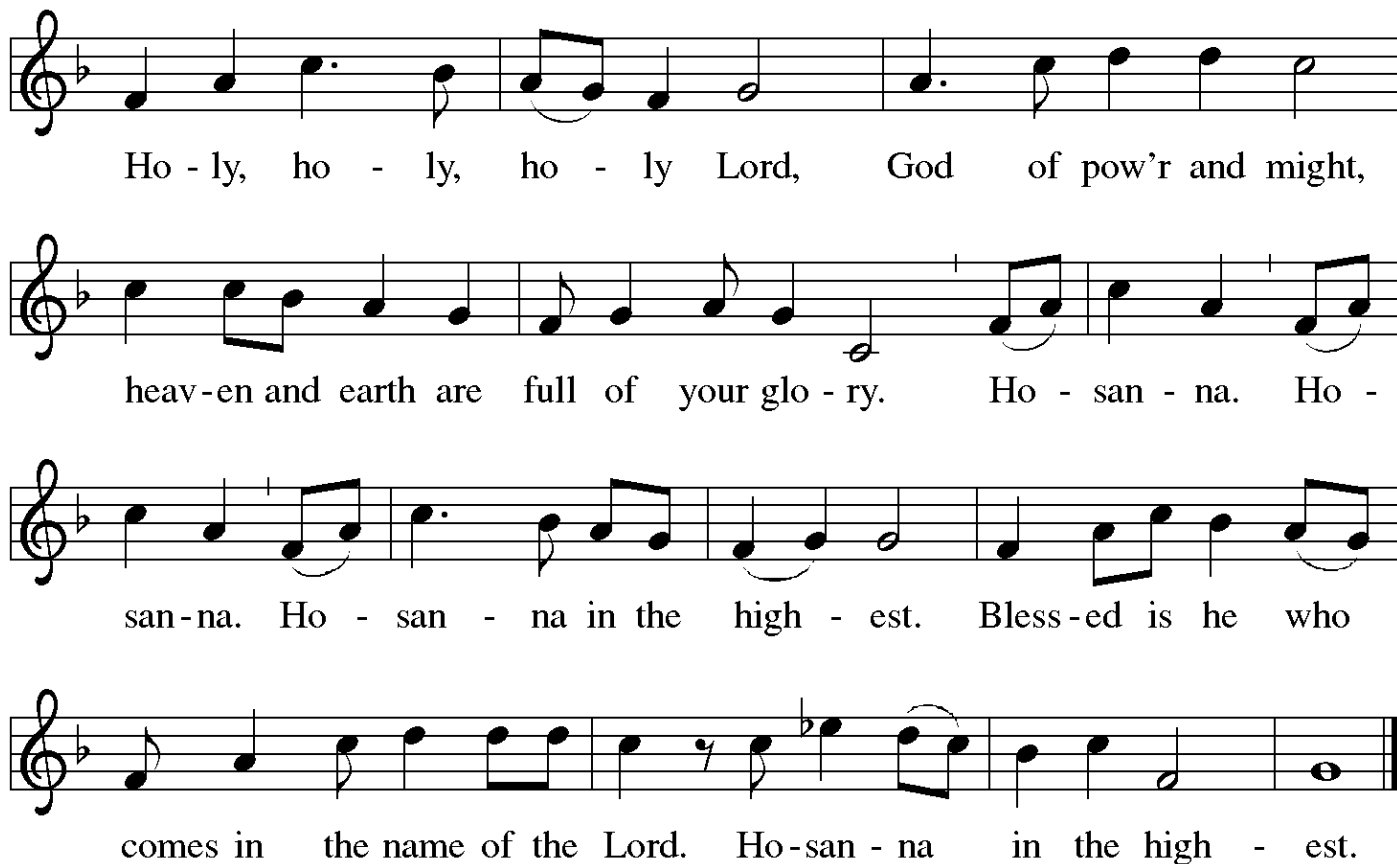
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.



**P:** It is indeed right, our duty and our joy . . .

. . . praise your name and join their unending hymn:



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.

### ↑ Words of Institution

### ↑ Lord's Prayer

**P:** As we prepare our hearts for this holy meal,  
let us pray the prayer Jesus taught us:

**G:** **Our Father in heaven,**  
**hallowed be your name,**  
**your kingdom come, your will be done,**  
**on earth as in heaven.**  
**Give us today our daily bread.**  
**Forgive us our sins**  
**as we forgive those who sin against us.**  
**Save us from the time of trial**  
**and deliver us from evil.**  
**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,**  
**now and forever. Amen.**

## ↑ Invitation to the Table

**P:** Come and taste the joy of God!

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**Holy Communion** – All baptized Christians who seek a taste of the new and forgiven life in Jesus Christ are welcome to receive the sacrament. We confess and believe that Christ, who fills all things, comes to us in a special way through the Sacrament of Bread and Wine and that by **sharing** in this meal, we share in Christ’s real presence among us.

The ministration of the Sacrament is given in two ways:

### In the pew:

You may commune in the pews with individual elements. These are available in the narthex as you enter.

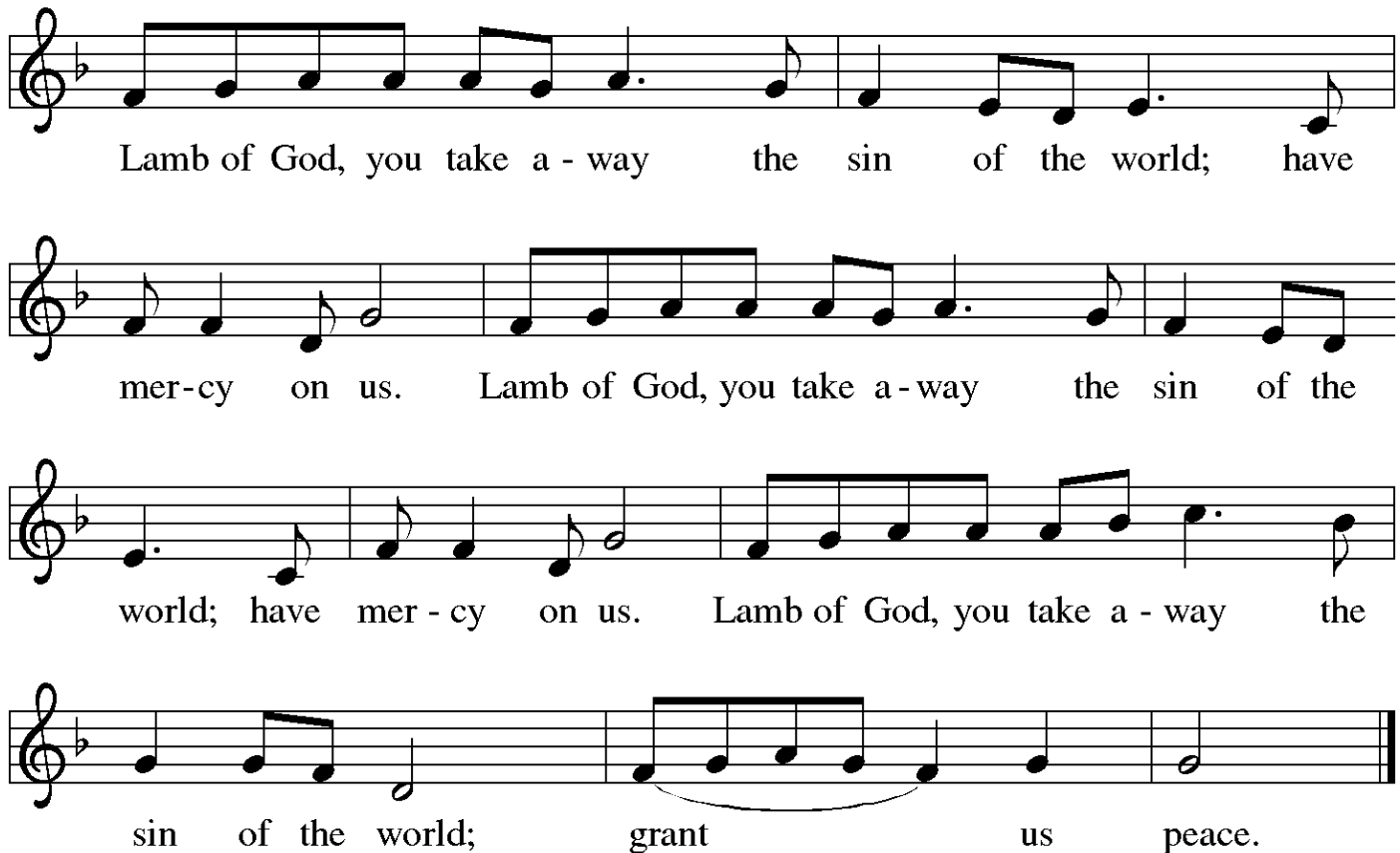
When invited to commune, peel off the bottom tab to eat the bread; peel off the top tab to drink the wine. The waste can go in the paper bag found in each pew.

### By intinction:

When prompted by the ushers, come down the center aisle to kneel at the railing; please sanitize your hands.

Receive a wafer in your hands. Dip it in a chalice, either wine or grape juice, before partaking. Use the outside aisle to return to your seat.

## Agnus Dei



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.

## Hymn at the Distribution

*Stanzas 1, 3, 5 = All*

*Stanzas 2, 4 = Choir or soloist*

*All sing the Refrain each time.*

## *You Satisfy the Hungry Heart*

**ELW 484**

### ↑ Post-Communion Prayer

**P**: Gracious God,  
in you we live and move 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.**

## Announcements

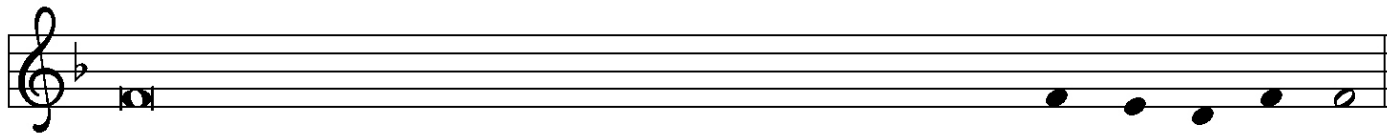
### ↑ Benediction



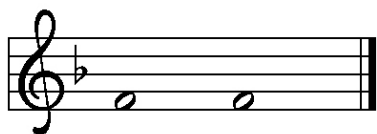
Let us bless the Lord.



**Thanks be to God.**



Eternal God, the Father, + the Son, and the Holy Spirit, bless and pre-serve you.



**A - men.**

↑ **Sending Hymn**  
*Stanzas 1, 5–8*

*I Know That My Redeemer Lives*  
**ELW 619**

↑ **Dismissal**

**A**: Go in peace. Be Christ to your neighbor.

**G**: **Thanks be to God.**

**Postlude**

*Toccata*  
Théodore Dubois (1837–1924)

**About Today's Music**

Today's Hymn of the Day, "Have No Fear, Little Flock" (ELW 764) might be remembered at QALC for its use at baptisms years ago. It is included in *Evangelical Lutheran Worship* by way of *Lutheran Book of Worship* (1978) and was first published in *Five Hymns* (1973) and then *The Baptist Hymnal* (1975). The first stanza is by the composer of the tune, Heinz Werner Zimmermann (1930–2022), who used the Revised Standard Version translation of Luke 12:32 almost verbatim. The subsequent stanzas were written by Marjorie Jillson (1931–2010). The hymn uses influences from the jazz idiom to memorably set the text using skillful placement and repetition of rhythms. In *Five Hymns*, Zimmerman wrote that he "consider[ed] jazz and syncopated music to be the most representative idiom of [the twentieth] century" and wanted to make the idiom "fruitful for church music."

– Cantor Kyle Haugen

## ANNOUNCEMENTS — APRIL 30 , 2023

**WELCOME!** Please fill out a CONNECT card if you are visiting us today, if you wish to receive our emails or newsletter, or if you wish the pastor to contact you. PRAY cards may be used for prayer requests. Place cards in the offering plate as you leave.

**FLOWERS FOR THE ALTAR** are provided today by Mark and Susan Dibble to the glory of God and in celebration of the 23rd anniversary of their wedding at Queen Anne Lutheran Church.

### **BLESSING OF THE QUILTS & KITS – HELP US SHIP THEM OUT!**

Today we bless 153 Personal Care Kits, 50 School Kits, 9 Fabric Kits, and 65 quilts. Please donate to help ship them. Special offering envelopes are in the narthex; write your check to Queen Anne Lutheran Church with “Quilts and Kits” on the memo line.

**AFTER 10:30 WORSHIP:** If you are able to **stay after church** to help weigh and pack the kits and quilts to ready them for shipping, we thank you.

### **TODAY’S FORUM @ 9AM: Priests of a Groaning Creation**

In Genesis we’re told repeatedly that creation is good. But by the time we get to Paul’s writings in Romans, we find that creation is groaning. What’s gone wrong? And what’s our role in God’s plan for creation? In this forum, we’ll explore the idea that creation was intended as God’s temple, and humans were (and are!) called to be priests of God’s good creation.

Join us as we welcome **Dr. Eric Long**, Professor of Biology and Ecology of SPU for this foray into Eco-Theology.

### **MEET & GREET WITH VANNADY KEO TODAY AFTER 10:30 WORSHIP:**

Vannady Keo, your Children and Youth Ministry Coordinator would like to meet with parents with KIDS who are 12 and under to hear parents (and your children) about what would you like to see offered at church.

What are some of your wishes? What experiences do you want your kids to have at a church? Do you prefer them to be in the service with you? In between the 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM services, what would you like to see offered for your kids?

Kids: We want to hear from you as well! How can church be more engaging?

So if you are a parent with children who are 12 or under, we invite you to stay **after our 10:30 AM service today** to have some donuts and share your ideas. Pastor Dan will also be present during our time together. We’ll gather in the Conference Room.

If you have any questions, or can’t make it but would like to share your ideas, please email Van at [children.youth@queenannelutheran.org](mailto:children.youth@queenannelutheran.org)

P.S. Van is also hoping to meet with **youth grades 6 to 12** and their families on **May 7**, and with **young adults on May 21** – after the 10:30 worship on both Sundays.

## FORUM NEXT WEEK @ 9AM: Q&A with Bishop Shelley

**Bishop Shelley Bryan-Wee** last led a Forum here in January of 2020, when she was newly-elected to serve our Northwest Washington Synod. Share your hopes, dreams, and questions for the bishop and the church in this special opportunity for dialogue!

## YOU ARE INVITED TO HELP FORM A VISION!

QALC is about to launch a short-range leadership process to identify and celebrate the assets we have as a people of God, and how those assets might inform a vision for our ministry over the next two to five years.

**This process invites anyone committed to the future of our life together for a Saturday morning retreat on May 13 in the Fellowship Hall.**

**Pastor Paul Hoffman**, a nationally-recognized mission leader from right here in Seattle, will lead us. You, as a member or friend of the congregation are welcome to attend. Join us on **Saturday, 13 May from 9:00 AM to 12:15 PM** for worship, Bible study, prayer, and visioning for the life of the congregation that we all cherish so much.

**Adult Forum** on Sunday, May 14 will also be led by Pastor Hoffman, who will follow up on our time together the day prior in an effort to broaden support and enlist participation in a short-term project we believe will have lasting impact on the ministry we share. Please join us!

**OUR THANKS** to Patty and John Rose for sharing the lovely painting by Todd Horton that is now hanging above the fireplace. The artist has titled it: *"All around in sunlit emptiness, bees fly."*

**The Narthex Rotating Art program** is a way we share with one another those things that bring us joy. Be it a photograph, a painting, or a family treasure, if you are willing to let us display it and share its story, feel free to sign up in the narthex for one of the open 6-week slots. Questions? Please speak to Barbara in the office or Myra Dittes.

### THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

#### Sunday, April 30

Worship	8:00 AM
Forum ( <i>Conf. Rm/Zoom</i> )	9:00 AM
Worship	10:30 AM
Families: meet w/Vannady <i>after worship</i>	

#### Monday

Food Addicts in Recovery ( <i>FH</i> )	7:00 PM
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#### Tuesday

Executive Committee ( <i>Zoom</i> )	7:00 PM
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#### Wednesday

Sewing & Service ( <i>downstairs</i> )	10:00 AM
AA Counterbalance ( <i>FH</i> )	7:30 PM

#### Thursday

Choir Rehearsal ( <i>Music Room</i> )	7:00 PM
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#### Saturday

Alanon / Alateen ( <i>upstairs</i> )	10:30 AM
AA Shanty Trudgers ( <i>upstairs</i> )	7:00 PM

#### Sunday, May 7 – Family Sunday

Worship	8:00 AM
Forum ( <i>Conf. Rm/Zoom</i> )	9:00 AM
Worship	10:30 AM
Families/Youth: mtg wVan <i>after worship</i>	

## OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK

**Main Office (Barb Bash):** The office will be open Tuesday–Friday, 9:00–5:30

**Cantor Kyle** is in on Wednesdays and Thursday afternoon and evenings.

**Vannady Keo's** hours are Sundays

8:30 AM–12:30 PM, Wednesdays 3–5 PM, and Thursdays 2–4 PM.

**Pastor Dan** is available Tuesday through Thursday, Saturday and Sunday.

Feel free to contact him if you wish to make an appointment

by email at [pastor@queenannelutheran.org](mailto:pastor@queenannelutheran.org).

If an immediate response is needed, text Pastor Dan at 253.230.9695.

## NW WASHINGTON SYNOD GATHERINGS: WE'D LIKE TWO ATTENDEES



**Pastor Dan will attend the May 20 Gathering in Bellevue –**

We would like to have **two others** from our congregation

attend as well! **Contact Pastor Dan or the office ASAP**

if you are able to come; we will sign you up this week.

**Saturday, May 20** Saint Andrew's Lutheran, Bellevue

**Saturday, May 13** Salem Lutheran, Mt. Vernon

- 8:30 AM – 4 PM each Saturday
- \$40/person – QALC will cover your costs
- Every three years, synod-wide gatherings are held in lieu of a regular assembly
- Worship, fellowship, conversations, learning & lunch
- Each Saturday is nearly identical in offerings – each participant will choose three forums to attend from 21 options

**EVENT OF INTEREST:** The Clergy Institute for Interfaith Learning presents Jonathon Greenblatt, CEO of the Anti-Defamation League, speaking on a particularly timely topic in light of the recent vandalization of the synagogue with antisemitic graffiti. To attend, go to [templedehirschsinai.org/clergyinstitute/](http://templedehirschsinai.org/clergyinstitute/) and register by May 15.

### CLERGY INSTITUTE FOR INTERFAITH LEARNING



Jonathan Greenblatt,  
CEO, Anti-Defamation League

### **Antisemitism Today: Building Understanding & Allyship**

**THURSDAY, MAY 25 | 9:30 AM - 1:00 PM**

Temple De Hirsch Sinai | Seattle Campus  
& streaming online