SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 7, 2024 10:30 AM

↑ = Stand **©**: 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 for organ

Introit

1 Peter 2:2; Psalm 81:1

As newborn babes, long for the pure spiritual milk. Sing we merrily unto God, our helper; make a cheerful noise unto the God of Jacob.

Welcome

↑ Gathering Hymn

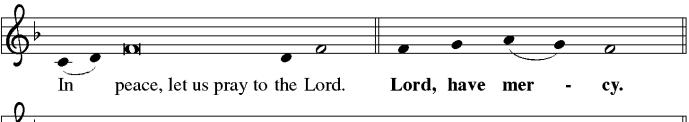
Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing! ELW 385

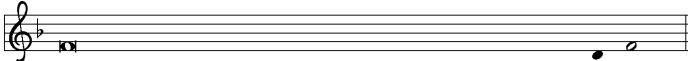
↑ Greeting

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

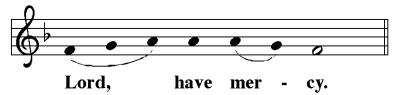
G: And also with you.

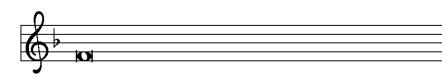




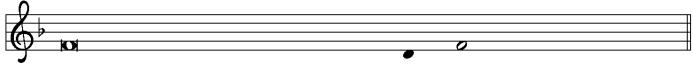


For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

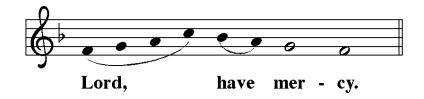


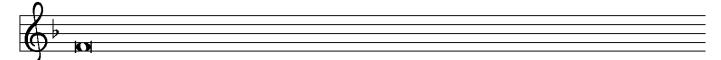


For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



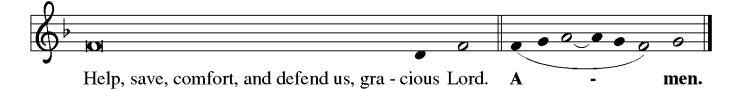
and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.





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

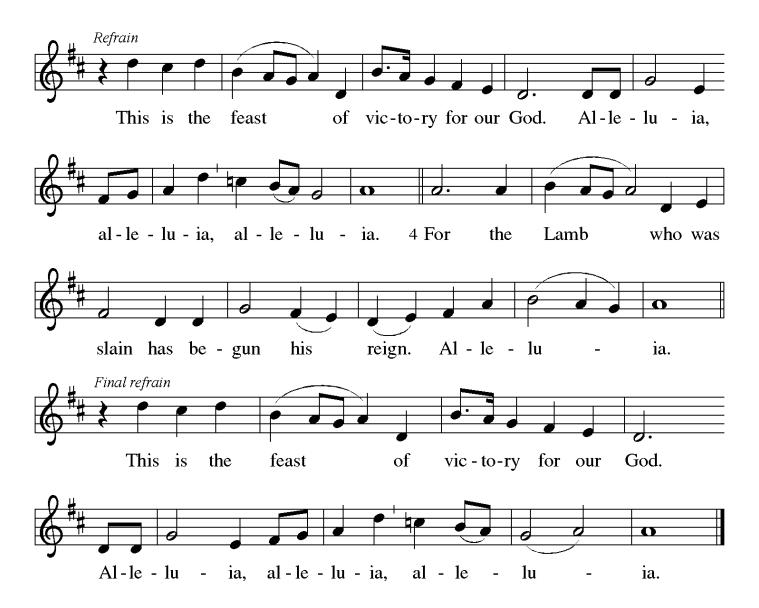




†Hymn of Praise







↑Prayer of the Day

P: The Lord be with you.

G: And also with you.

P: Lord of Life, with joy we celebrate the resurrection.

By the grace of Christ among us,

enable us to live out the power of the resurrection

by dying to ourselves and being reborn as men and women for others, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord,

who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

G: Amen.

First Reading Acts 4:32-35

A: Word of God, Word of life.

G: Thanks be to God.

Second Reading

1 John 1:1--2:2

A: Word of God, Word of life.

G: Thanks be to God.

↑ Gospel Acclamation





↑ The Holy Gospel

John 20:19-31

P: The Gospel according to St. John, the twentieth chapter.

G: Glory to you, O Lord.

After the reading

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

9: Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

Pastor Dan Peterson

↑ Hymn of the Day

We Walk by Faith ELW 635

↑ Apostles' Creed

9: 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.



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."

Prayers of the Church (please be seated or kneel)

A: ... Lord, in your mercy.

G: Hear our prayer.

↑ Sharing of Peace

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

G: And also with you.

Holy Communion -

All 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, come 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:

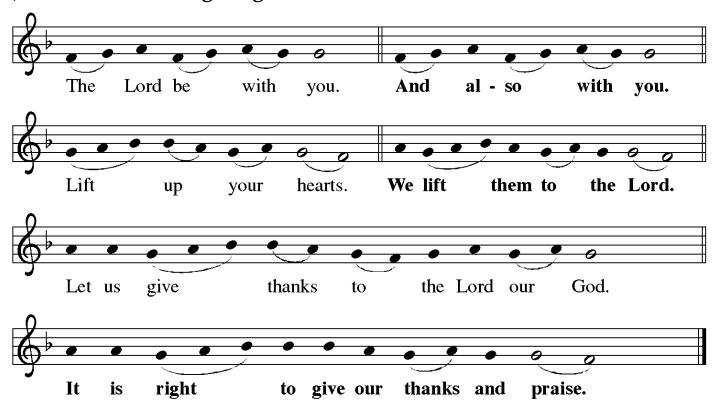
You may commune in the pews with individual elements. These are available in the narthex as you enter. When invited to commune, peel off the bottom tab to eat the bread; peel off the top tab to drink the wine. Place the waste in the paper bag in your pew.

By intinction:

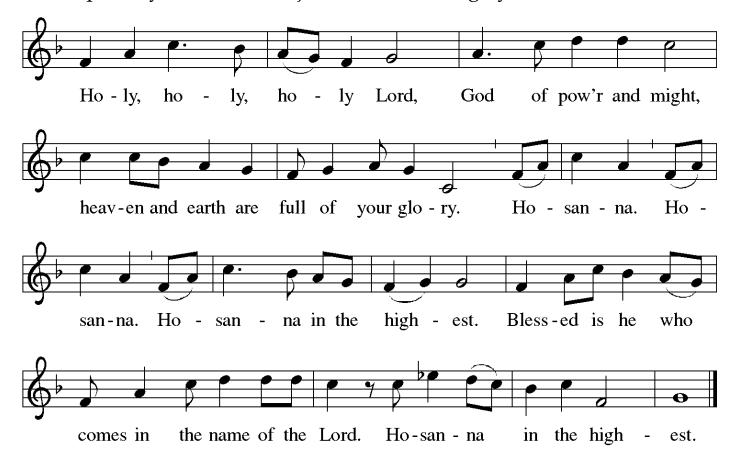
When prompted by the ushers, come down the center aisle to kneel at the railing; please sanitize your hands.

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.

↑ The Great Thanksgiving



- **P**: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy . . .
 - ... praise your name and join their unending hymn:



↑ Words of Institution

↑ Lord's Prayer

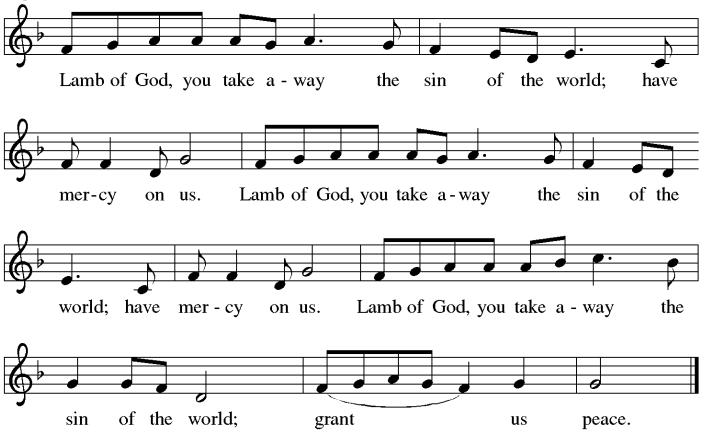
P: As we prepare our hearts for this holy meal, let us pray the prayer Jesus taught us:

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: Jesus Christ, risen from the dead, gives everyone a place at the table. Alleluia! Receive the bread of life.





Hymn at the Distribution

Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain ELW 363

† Post Communion Prayer

P: Living God,

you have greeted us in our brokenness and nourished us with the body of Christ, broken for us. Risen to new life in you, send us now to be Christ to a wounded world, in the name of our risen Savior and Lord.

G: 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.



↑ Sending Hymn

Christ the Lord Is Risen Today! ELW 373

↑ Dismissal

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

G: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

ANNOUNCEMENTS — SUNDAY, APRIL 7, 2024

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR	
Sunday, April 7	
Worship	8:00 AM
Forum	9:00 AM
Worship	10:30 AM
Monday	
PDQ Quilting (downstairs)	5:30 PM
Food Addicts in Recovery (FH)	7:00 PM
<u>Tuesday</u>	
Church Council (Conf. Rm/Zoon	n) 7:00 РМ
<u>Wednesday</u>	
Sewing & Service (downstairs)	10:00 AM
AA Counterbalance (FH)	7:30 РМ
Thursday	
Choir Rehearsal (Music Room)	7:00 PM
<u>Saturday</u>	
Alanon (<i>upstairs</i>)	10:30 AM
AA Shanty Trudgers (upstairs)	7:00 PM
Sunday, April 14	
Worship	8:00 AM
Forum	9:00 AM
Worship	10:30 AM

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 Amy Castle to the glory of God and in celebration of her mother's birthday.

OUR WORSHIP CONTINUES after the 10:30 service with fellowship. Many thanks to Joan Kavanaugh for hosting coffee hour today.

We are participating in an APRIL FOOD & TOILETRIES DRIVE to benefit the UW Food Pantry: Pastor Chelsea Globe at UW Ministries reports that the number of students, staff, and faculty arriving weekly for food has doubled in the past year. Please bring donations of non-perishable, healthy food and toiletries to the bin in the narthex. They will be delivered during the first week of May.

NEW IN OUR LIBRARY: Pastor Dan has written a chapter in a new book, based on a sermon he gave at Queen Anne Lutheran on the intersection of quantum physics and the Trinity. A copy of *Preaching the Uncontrolling Love of God* is displayed in the church library along with copies of his chapter.

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.

Pastor Dan is available Tuesday through Thursday, Saturdays and Sundays. Feel free to contact him if you wish to make an appointment by email at pastor@queenannelutheran.org. If an immediate response is needed, text Pastor Dan at 253.230.9695.

FORUM SERIES IN APRIL:

All are welcome to our Forums, which run **Sundays from 9 –10 AM**.



Forums are offered in hybrid format in the Conference Room, with an option to attend via Zoom at the same time.

"GOING GREEN: IS IT TOO LATE?"

04/07 *Genesis and Ecological Consciousness* Dr. Beatrice Lawrence, SU

04/14 Update on the Earth

Dr. Kristi Ebi, UW

04/21 The Effects of Climate Change on Marine Biology

Magdalena Phillips, QALC

04/28 Climate Change: perspectives

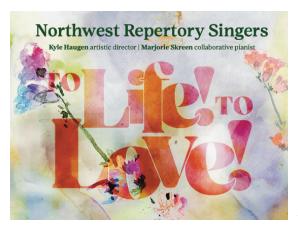
Earth Ministry/WA Interfaith Power and Light

04/28 (1 PM session)

Dr. Heidi Roop, Univ. of Minnesota

Climate Change Solutions Faith Communities Can Offer

Dr. Roop will present a public forum based on the ideas in her Climate Action Handbook. A free copy will be awarded to one lucky audience member.



CANTOR KYLE INVITES YOU

to the spring concerts of his community choir, Northwest Repertory Singers (NWRS) as they present "To Life! To Love!" on May 4 at 7:30 PM and May 5 at 3 PM at Christ Episcopal Church in Tacoma. As artistic director and conductor of the ensemble, Kyle has curated an inspiring program designed to celebrate the beauty of the human spirit and the ways we experience love.

The centerpiece of the concert is the first collection of *Liebeslieder* waltzes by Johannes Brahms, a composer of the late Romantic era, for singers and piano duo. Other music includes "Set Me As a Seal" by René Clausen (formerly of Concordia College, Moorhead), "This Little Light of Mine" by Moses Hogan, and diverse pieces based on poetry by Shakespeare and others.

You'll find the link to tickets at **www.nwrs.org**. When checking out, QALC members can use the code "**kyle50**" (without quotes) for 50% off!