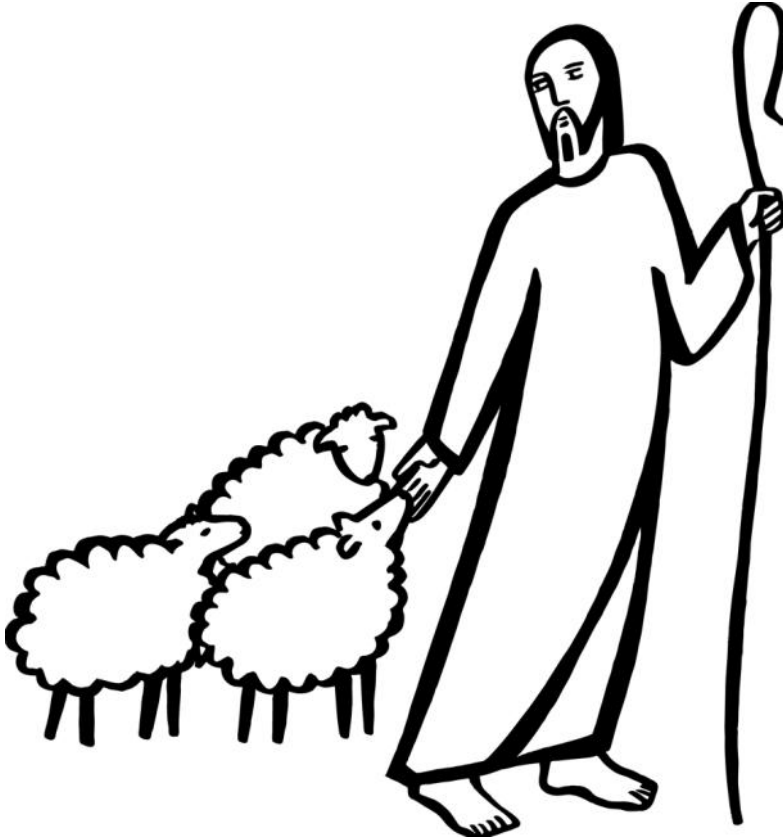


# 4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 11, 2025



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*“SHARING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST”*

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PRELUDE**      *The King of Love My Shepherd Is*      Victor Johnson

## THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

**ENTRANCE HYMN**    *The Day of Resurrection!*      ELW 361

## APOSTOLIC GREETING

### EASTER DIALOG

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

**He is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

This is the day that the Lord has made!

**Let us rejoice and be glad in it!**

**HYMN OF PRAISE**    *Now the Feast and Celebration*      ELW 167

### PRAYER OF THE DAY

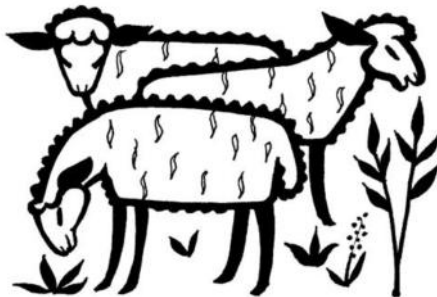
The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Let us pray. *A brief silence is kept before the prayer.*

### FIRST LESSON

Acts 9:36-43

*Response after the reading:* **Thanks be to God.**



## PSALM 23 *Sung responsively by whole verse.*



- <sup>1</sup> The LORD | is my shepherd;  
I shall not | be in want.
- <sup>2</sup> **The LORD makes me lie down | in green pastures  
and leads me be- | side still waters.**
- <sup>3</sup> You restore my | soul, O LORD,  
and guide me along right pathways | for your name's sake.
- <sup>4</sup> **Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I  
shall | fear no evil;  
for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they | comfort  
me.**
- <sup>5</sup> You prepare a table before me in the presence | of my enemies;  
you anoint my head with oil, and my cup is | running over.
- <sup>6</sup> **Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me  
all the days | of my life,  
and I will dwell in the house of the | LORD forever.**

## SECOND LESSON

Revelation 7:9-17

*Response after the reading:* **Thanks be to God.**

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

**Alleluia. Jesus says, I am the good shepherd. I know my own and  
my own know me. Alleluia. (John 10:14)**

## GOSPEL

John 10:22-30

*The Holy Gospel according to John: **Glory to you, O Lord.***

*The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.***

## SERMON

## **SILENCE FOR REFLECTION**

**HYMN OF THE DAY***The King of Love My Shepherd Is* ELW 502 (vs. 1, 2, 5, 6)

### **NICENE CREED**

**We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary  
and became truly human.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the  
dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and  
glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of  
sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen**

## **PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

*Hear us, O God. Your mercy is great.*

## **SHARING OF THE PEACE**

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

## **ANTHEM**

## **OFFERING**

## **OFFERTORY**

*Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us*

Robert J. Hughes

## **OFFERTORY HYMN**

*As the Grains of Wheat*

ELW 465

## **OFFERING PRAYER**



## GREAT THANKSGIVING

*Presider:*                      *Congregation:*

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

*Presider:*                      *Congregation:*

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

*Presider:*                      *Congregation:*

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is

right to give God thanks and praise.

*The minister continues: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise . . . we praise your name and join their unending hymn:*

## HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

ELW 191

## EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

### LORD'S PRAYER

*Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray:*

**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**

When we eat this bread we share the body of Christ.

When we drink this cup we share the blood of Christ.

**Reveal yourself to us, O Lord, in the breaking of bread,  
As once you revealed yourself to your disciples.**

# LAMB OF GOD

Congregation:

Congregation or Assistant:



Lamb of God,      you take a - way the sin of      the  
you break the chains of ha - tred      and  
you are the way of jus - tice      and  
you are the way of mer - cy      and

Congregation:



world:      have mer - cy on us,      mer - cy on us,  
fear:  
peace:  
love.

Final Stanza

Congregation or Assistant:



mer - cy      on      us.      Lamb of God,      you

Congregation:



take a - way the sins of      the world:      grant us peace,  
grant      us peace,      grant      us      peace.

## DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

All are welcome at the table! Please join us by coming up the center aisle and receiving the bread from the Pastor (Gluten-free wafers are available). Then you may choose to receive the wine from the common cup, or by picking up an empty cup and receiving the wine from one of the two pouring chalices. Filled cups of grape juice are available alongside the empty cups.

## COMMUNION HYMNS

ELW 843, 876, 789, 778

## COMMUNION BLESSING

## PRAYER

## BENEDICTION

**DISMISSAL**

Alleluia! Christ is risen. **Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**  
Go in peace. In Christ you are made new. Alleluia! Alleluia!  
**Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**POSTLUDE***Go Joyfully*

Richard A. Williamson

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**Today's Worship Support**

Presiding Minister: Rev. Christopher Frye

Assisting Minister: Kay Gauthier

Lector: Meghan Chestnut

Communion Assistants: Velegai Beyan  
& Beth Keener

Acolyte: Jon Mao

Greeters: Christina Yarma  
& Susie SnowbergerAltar Guild: Kay Gauthier  
& Carol Angstadt

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**Weekly Worship Schedule***Sundays*10:00 am Holy Communion  
8:45 am Faith Formation/Christian Education*Wednesdays*11:00 am Holy Communion & Healing  
7:00 pm Prayer & Share via Zoom**ST. LUKE**  
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