

7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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“SHARING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST”

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Lord, Speak to Me

Lani Smith

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Gracious God,
have mercy on us. In your compassion forgive us our sins,
known and unknown, things done and left undone. Uphold us by
your Spirit so that we may live and serve you in newness of life,
to the honor and glory of your holy name; through Jesus Christ
our Lord. Amen

ENTRANCE HYMN

Crown Him With Many Crowns

ELW 855

APOSTOLIC GREETING

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 16:16-34

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

PSALM 97 *Sung responsively by whole verse.*



¹ The Lord reigns; let the ¹ earth rejoice;
let the multitude of the ¹ isles be glad.

**² Clouds and darkness sur- round the Lord,
righteousness and justice are the foundations of God's throne.**

- ³ Fire goes be-¹ fore the Lord,
burning up enemies on¹ every side.
- ⁴ **Lightnings light¹ up the world;
the earth¹ sees and trembles.**
- ⁵ The mountains¹ melt like wax
before the Lord of¹ all the earth.
- ⁶ **The heavens declare your righteous-¹ ness, O Lord,
and all the peoples¹ see your glory.**
- ⁷ Confounded be all who worship carved images and delight¹ in false gods!
Bow down before the Lord,¹ all you gods.
- ⁸ **Zion hears and is glad, and the cities of Ju-¹ dah rejoice,
because of your judg-¹ ments, O Lord.**
- ⁹ For you are the Lord, most high over¹ all the earth;
you are exalted far a-¹ bove all gods.
- ¹⁰ **You who love the¹ Lord, hate evil!
God guards the lives of the saints and rescues them from the hand¹
of the wicked.**
- ¹¹ Light dawns¹ for the righteous,
and joy for the hon-¹ est of heart.
- ¹² **Rejoice in the¹ Lord, you righteous,
and give thanks to God's¹ holy name.**

SECOND LESSON

Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21

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

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Congregation:

Al-le-lu - ia, al-le-lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we
go? You have the words of e - ter - nal
life. Al - le - lu - ia!

Optional Repeat

GOSPEL

John 17:20-26

*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 *Son of God, Eternal Savior*

ELW 655

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,

**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

Offertory on "Trentham" Robert Jackson/Lani Smith

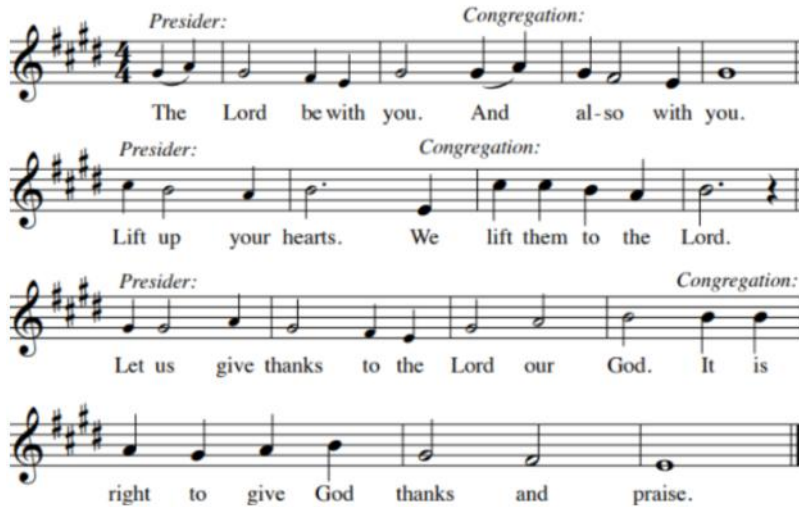
OFFERTORY HYMN

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**

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 765, 767, 870, 823

COMMUNION BLESSING

PRAYER

BENEDICTION

