

Harrold Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

March 31st 7am 8:45am & 10:30am

The Resurrection of Our Lord - Easter Day 2024



WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP!

- **It is a joy to welcome our visitors!** Please sign the guest book in the Communication Center at the rear of the church, to the right as you exit, and take a Welcome Packet which is filled with information about Harrold Zion. Please introduce yourself to the pastor as you leave worship. We hope you return soon! Follow us on social media!
- **Children's bags** are available in the Narthex.
- **There is a prayer request book** on a podium in the Welcome Center. Please write name(s) in the book prior to the service to have names included in the prayers.
- **Large print bulletins** are available from any usher for those needing them.
- **Hearing devices** are available from any usher for those needing them.
- **An AED machine** can be found on the wall after the Ladies Room on the left.
- **Receiving Holy Communion** - We believe the body and blood of Christ to be present in the bread and wine. All who are baptized are invited to share in this meal. Please come forward at the usher's direction. Non-communing children may come forward for a blessing. If you desire communion in the pew, please inform one of the ushers so that you may receive communion there.

Our MISSION

*To Worship and Serve God,
Grow Disciples and Love our Neighbors*

Our Vision

*Building Faith that's Open, Affirming, Authentic,
Positive, Inviting, and that Serves Others.*

GATHERING – *We are brought together to remember who and whose we are.*

Welcome, Sharings and Announcements

Prelude: *Christ is Risen Alleluia!!*

Turner

When invited, please rise and face the cross at the entrance of the church.

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Thanksgiving for Baptism

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God,
the wellspring of grace,
our Easter and our joy.

Amen.

Look, here is water!

Here is our water of life! Alleluia!

Immersed in the promises of baptism,
let us give thanks for what God has done for us.

We give you thanks, O God, for in the beginning
your voice thundered over the deep
and water became the essence of life.

Adam and Eve beheld Eden's verdant rivers.

The ark carried your creation through the flood into a new day.
Miriam led the dancing as your people passed through the sea
into freedom's land.

In a desert pool the Ethiopian official
entered your boundless baptismal life.

Look, here is water!

Here is our water of life! Alleluia!

At the river your beloved Son was baptized by John
and anointed with the Holy Spirit.

By the baptism of Jesus' death and resurrection
you opened the floodgates of your reconciling love,
freeing us to live as Easter people.

We rejoice with glad hearts,
giving all honor and praise to you,
through the risen Christ, our source of living water,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Amen.

Look, here is water!

Here is our water of life! Alleluia!

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Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Gathering Hymn #365

Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

Jesus Christ is ris'n today, Alleluia!
our triumphant holy day, Alleluia!
who did once upon the cross, Alleluia!
suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!

Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia!
unto Christ, our heav'nly king, Alleluia!
who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia!
sinners to redeem and save. Alleluia!

But the pains which he endured, Alleluia!
our salvation have procured; Alleluia!
now above the sky he's king, Alleluia!
where the angels ever sing. Alleluia!

Sing we to our God above, Alleluia!
praise eternal as his love; Alleluia!
praise him, all you heav'nly host, Alleluia!
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia!

Greeting and Kyrie

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

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

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

Lord, have mer - cy.

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.**

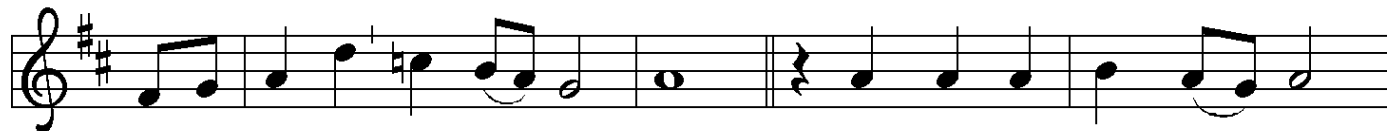
Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord. **A - men.**

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

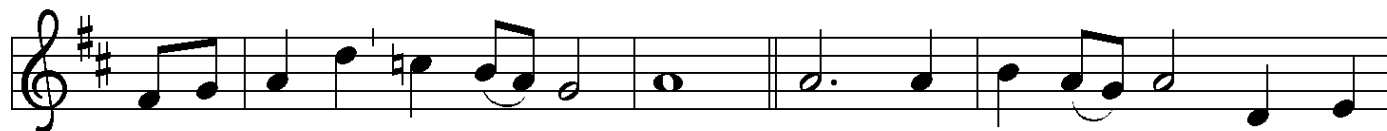


who was slain, whose blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.

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

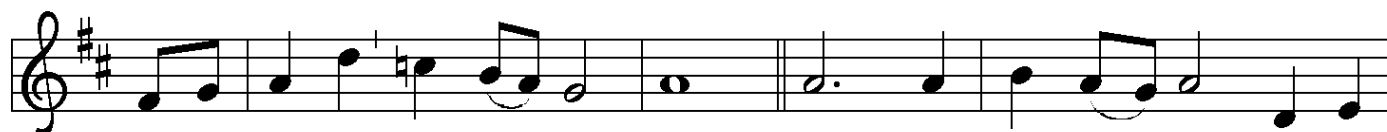


strength, and hon - or, bless - ing, and glo - ry are his.

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



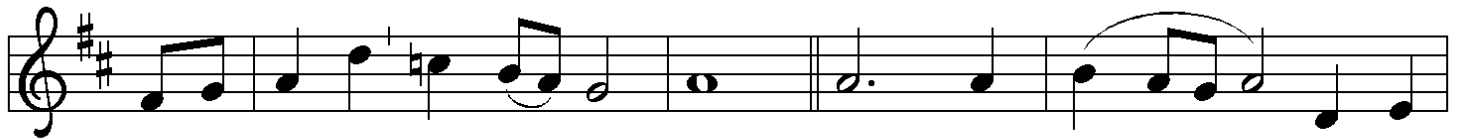
God, and join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion: Bless - ing, hon - or,



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



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.



This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

WORD – *We hear God’s teachings to guide our path of serving.*

Prayer of the Day

Let us pray together. **O God, you gave your only Son to suffer death on the cross for our redemption, and by his glorious resurrection you**

delivered us from the power of death. Make us die every day to sin, that we may live with him forever in the joy of the resurrection, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Please be seated.

First Reading: Isaiah 25:6-9

⁶On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all peoples
a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wines,
of rich food filled with marrow, of well-aged wines strained clear.

⁷And he will destroy on this mountain
the shroud that is cast over all peoples,
the sheet that is spread over all nations;

⁸he will swallow up death forever.

Then the Lord God will wipe away the tears from all faces,
and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth,
for the Lord has spoken.

⁹It will be said on that day,

Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us.
This is the Lord for whom we have waited;
let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Handbell Anthem: *Christ Is Risen, He Is Risen Indeed!* (Arr. Scholes)

Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24

¹Give thanks to the LORD, for the LORD is good;
God's mercy endures forever.

²**Let Israel now declare,
"God's mercy endures forever."**

¹⁴The LORD is my strength and my song,
and has become my salvation.

¹⁵**Shouts of rejoicing and salvation echo in the tents of the righteous:
"The right hand of the LORD acts valiantly!"**

¹⁶The right hand of the LORD is exalted!

The right hand of the LORD acts valiantly!”

**¹⁷I shall not die, but live,
and declare the works of the LORD.**

¹⁸The LORD indeed punished me sorely,
but did not hand me over to death.

**¹⁹Open for me the gates of righteousness;
I will enter them and give thanks to the LORD.**

²⁰“This is the gate of the LORD;
here the righteous may enter.”

**²¹I give thanks to you, for you have answered me
and you have become my salvation.**

²²The stone that the builders rejected
has become the chief cornerstone.

**²³By the LORD has this been done;
it is marvelous in our eyes.**

²⁴This is the day that the LORD has made;
let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Second Reading: Acts 10:34-43

³⁴Peter began to speak to [the people]: “I truly understand that God shows no partiality, ³⁵but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. ³⁶You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. ³⁷That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: ³⁸how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. ³⁹We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; ⁴⁰but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, ⁴¹not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. ⁴²He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. ⁴³All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.”

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation (Please Stand as able.)

Celtic Alleluia

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Holy Gospel: Luke 24:1-12

The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the twenty-fourth chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

But on the first day of the week, at early dawn, they went to the tomb, taking the spices that they had prepared. ²They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, ³but when they went in they did not find the body. ⁴While they were perplexed about this, suddenly two men in dazzling clothes stood beside them. ⁵The women were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, “Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here but has risen. ⁶Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, ⁷that the Son of Man must be handed over to the hands of sinners and be crucified and on the third day rise again.” ⁸Then they remembered his words, ⁹and returning from the tomb they told all this to the eleven and to all the rest. ¹⁰Now it was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the other women with them who told this to the apostles. ¹¹But these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. ¹²But Peter got up and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; then he went home, amazed at what had happened.

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

Please be seated.

Children’s Message

Sermon

Please stand, as able.

Hymn of the Day *Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds (next page)*



1 Now all the vault of heav'n re - sounds
 2 E - ter - nal is the gift he brings,
 3 Oh, fill us, Lord, with daunt - less love;
 4 A - dor - ing prais - es now we bring



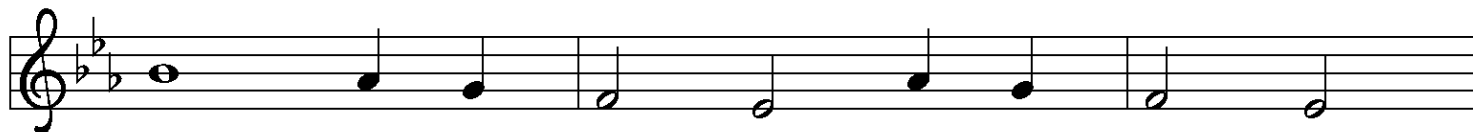
in praise of love that still a - bounds: "Christ has
 there - fore our heart with rap - ture sings: "Christ has
 set heart and will on things a - bove that we
 and with the heav'n - ly bless - ed sing: "Christ has



tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!" Sing, choirs of
 tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!" Now still he
 con - quer through your tri - umph; grant grace suf -
 tri - umphed! Al - le - lu - ia!" Be to the



an - gels, loud and clear! Re - peat their song of glo - ry
 comes to give us life and by his pres - ence stills all
 fi - cient for life's day that by our lives we tru - ly
 Fa - ther, and our Lord, to Spir - it blest, most ho - ly



here: "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"
 strife. "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"
 say: "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"
 God, all the glo - ry, nev - er end - ing!



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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; by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the virgin Mary, and was made man. 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 Scripture; 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. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He 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

(petitions)...Lord in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

(prayer concludes)...**Amen.**

Sharing of the Peace

Offering Anthem *Easter Carol* (Drennan)

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Giving Form



Offertory

This is the Day

Please see next page.

This is the day, this is the day that the Lord has made, that the Lord has made.

We will re-joyce, we will re-joyce and be glad in it, and be glad in it.

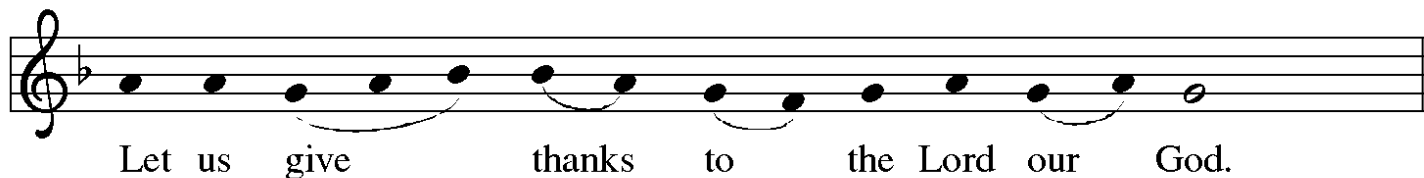
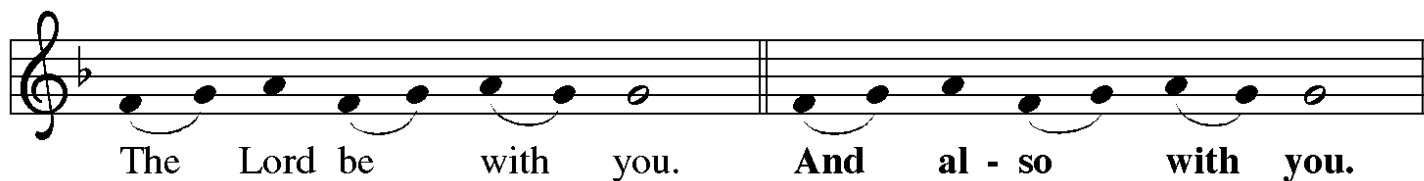
This is the day that the Lord has made; We will re-joyce and be glad in it.

This is the day, this is the day that the Lord has made.

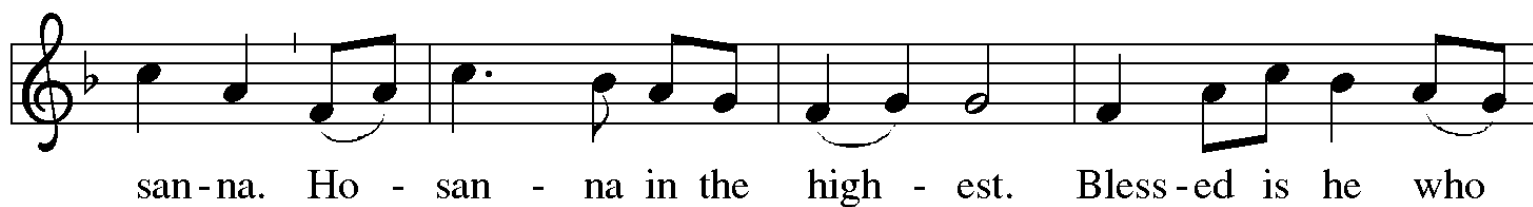
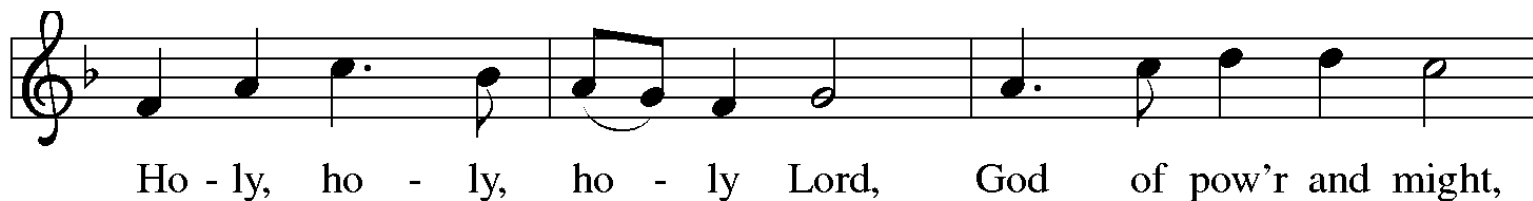
Offertory Prayer

Let us pray together. **Risen One, you call us to believe and bear fruit. May the gifts that we offer here be signs of your abiding love. Form us to be your witnesses in the world, through Jesus Christ, our true vine. Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving, Proper Preface, and Sanctus



It is indeed right, our duty and our joy...and join their unending hymn:



Thanksgiving at the Table Prayer

Blessed are you, O God of the universe. Your mercy is everlasting and your faithfulness endures from age to age. Praise to you for creating the heavens and the earth. Praise to you for saving the earth from the waters of the flood. Praise to you for bringing the Israelites safely through the sea. Praise to you for leading your people through the wilderness to the land of milk and honey. Praise to you for the words and deeds of Jesus, your anointed one. Praise to you for the death and resurrection of Christ. Praise to you for your Spirit poured out on all nations.

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

With this bread and cup we remember our Lord's passover from death to life
as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

O God of resurrection and new life: Pour out your Holy Spirit on us and on
these gifts of bread and wine. Bless this feast. Grace our table with your
presence.

Come, Holy Spirit.

Reveal yourself to us in the breaking of the bread. Raise us up as the body of
Christ for the world. Breathe new life into us. Send us forth, burning with
justice, peace, and love.

Come, Holy Spirit.

With [*name/s and*] your holy ones of all times and places, with the earth and all
its creatures, with sun and moon and stars, we praise you, O God, blessed and
holy Trinity, now and forever.

Amen.

Lord remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray: [*Sung – next page*]

Our Fa - ther, who art in heav - en, hal-low-ed be

thy name, thy king-dom come, thy will be

done, on earth as it is in heav - en.

Give us this day our dai - ly bread; and for -

give us our debts as we for-give our debt-ors; and

lead us not in-to temp-ta-tion, but de-liv-er us from e-vil.

For thine is the king-dom, and the pow-er, and the

glo-ry for-ev-er. A-men

Breaking the Bread and Invitation to Communion

The risen Christ is made known to us in the breaking of the bread.

Come and eat at God's table.

Please be seated.

Lamb of God

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.

Please be seated.

The proclamation is shared for those communing in their place with an all-in-one kit or home elements. Sharing the elements:

The Body of Christ given for you. The Blood of Christ shed for you.

*Each person may respond: **Amen.***

The leaders share Holy Communion. Gluten free wafers and grape juice are in the center of each tray. The assembly is invited to come forward by the direction of the ushers by the center aisle and receive Holy communion, then return via the side aisle.

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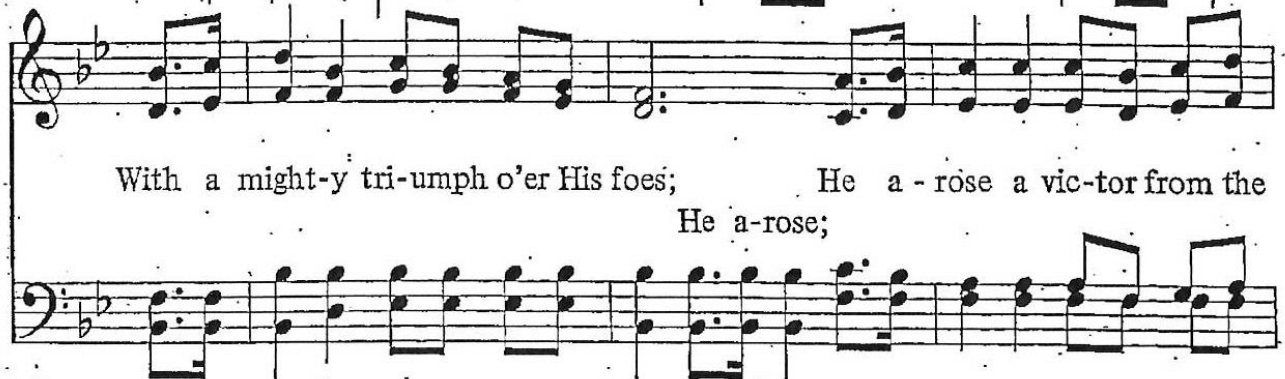
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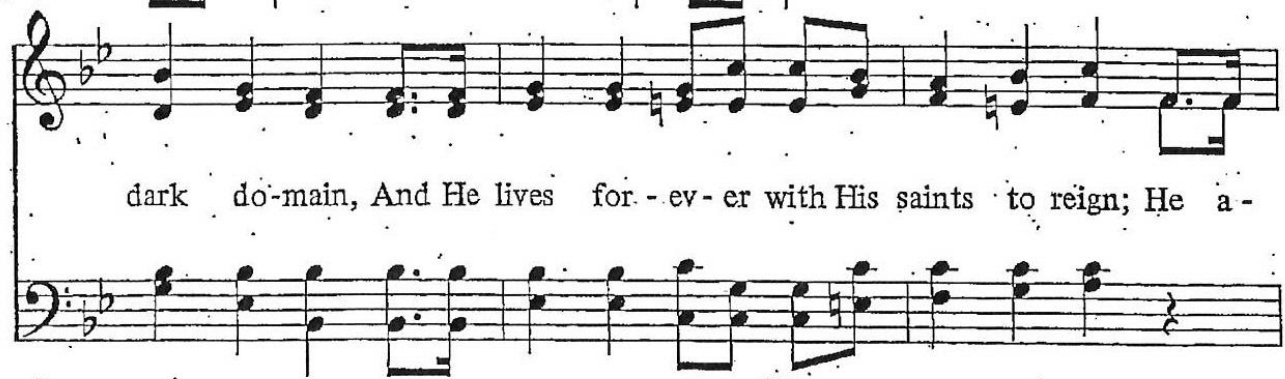
1 Low in the grave He lay, Je - sus, my Sav - ior! Wait - ing the
2 *Vain - ly they watched His bed,* Je - sus, my Sav - ior! *Vain - ly they*
3 Death could not keep his prey, Je - sus, my Sav - ior! He tore the



1 com - ing day, Je - sus, my Lord!
2 *sealed the dead,* Je - sus, my Lord! Up from the grave He a - rose,
3 bars a - way, Je - sus, my Lord! He a - rose,



With a might - y tri - umph o'er His foes; He a - rose a vic - tor from the
He a - rose;



dark do - main, And He lives for - ev - er with His saints to reign; He a -



rose! He a - rose! Hal - le - lu - jah! Christ a - rose!
He a - rose! He a - rose!



1 Christ is ris-en! Al - le - lu - ia! Ris - en our vic - to - rious head!
2 Christ is ris-en! All the sad-ness of our Lent-en fast is o'er;
3 Christ is ris-en! All the sor-row that last eve-ning round him lay
4 Christ is ris-en! Hence-forth nev - er death or hell shall us en - thrall.



Sing his prais - es! Al - le - lu - ia! Christ is ris - en from the dead!
through the o - pen gates of glad-ness he re-turns to life once more;
now has found a glo-rious mor-row in the ris - ing of to - day.
We are Christ's, in him for - ev - er we have tri-umphed o - ver all.

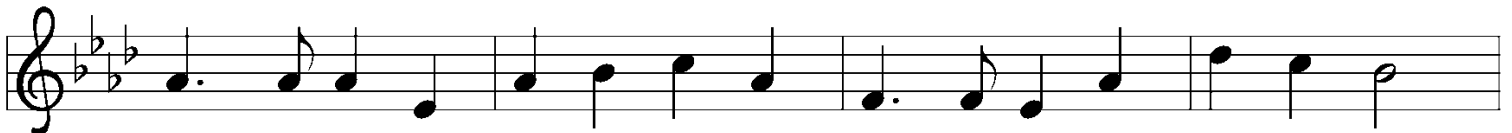


Grate-ful - ly our hearts a - dore him as his light once more ap - pears;
death and hell be - fore him bend-ing see him rise, the vic - tor now,
See the grave its first-fruits giv - ing, spring-ing up from ho - ly ground;
All the doubt-ing and de - jec - tion of our trem-bling hearts have ceased;



bow - ing down in joy be - fore him, ris - ing up from griefs and tears.
an - gels on his steps at - tend-ing, glo - ry round his wound-ed brow.
Christ was dead, but now is liv - ing; he was lost, but he is found.
hail the day of res - ur - rec - tion! Let us rise and keep the feast.

Refrain



Christ is ris - en! Al - le - lu - ia! Ris - en our vic - to - rious head!



Sing his prais-es! Al - le - lu - ia! Christ is ris - en from the dead!

At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing



1 At the Lamb's high feast we sing praise to
2 Praise we Christ, whose love di - vine gives his
3 Where the pas - chal blood is poured death's dread
4 Praise we Christ, whose blood was shed, pas - chal



our vic - to - rious king, who has washed us in the tide
sa - cred blood for wine, gives his bod - y for the feast—
an - gel sheathes the sword; Is - rael's hosts tri - um - phant go
vic - tim, pas - chal bread; with sin - cer - i - ty and love



flow - ing from his wound - ed side. Al - le - lu - ia!
Christ the vic - tim, Christ the priest. Al - le - lu - ia!
through the wave that drowns the foe. Al - le - lu - ia!
eat we man - na from a - bove. Al - le - lu - ia!

5 Mighty victim from the sky,
hell's fierce pow'rs beneath you lie;
you have conquered in the fight,
you have brought us life and light.
Alleluia!

7 Easter triumph, Easter joy!
This alone can sin destroy;
from sin's pow'r, Lord, set us free,
newborn souls in you to be.
Alleluia!

6 Now no more can death appall,
now no more the grave enthrall;
you have opened paradise,
and your saints in you shall rise.
Alleluia!

8 Father, who the crown shall give,
Savior, by whose death we live,
Spirit, guide through all our days:
Three in One, your name we praise.
Alleluia!

SENDING – *We are set out to share hope and make disciples.*

Blessing *Please stand as able.*

Prayer after Communion

Let us pray together. **Shepherding God, you have prepared a table before us and nourished us with your love. Send us forth from this banquet to proclaim your goodness and share the abundant mercy of Jesus, our redeemer and friend. Amen.**

Benediction

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

The God of resurrection power,
the Christ of unending joy,
and the Spirit of Easter hope
✠ bless you now and always.

Amen.

Please turn and face the cross as it passes.

Sending Hymn

Thine Is the Glory

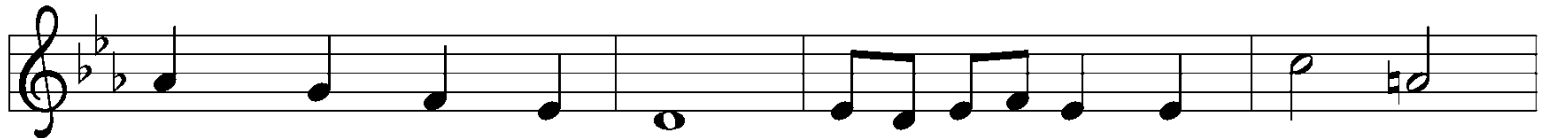
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1 Thine is the glo - ry, ris - en, con-qu'ring Son; end - less is the
2 Lo, Je - sus meets thee, ris - en from the tomb! Lov - ing - ly he
3 No more we doubt thee, glo - rious Prince of life; life is naught with-



vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won! An - gels in bright rai - ment
greet thee, scat - ters fear and gloom; let his church with glad - ness
out thee; aid us in our strife; make us more than con-qu'rors,



rolled the stone a - way, kept the fold - ed grave - clothes
hymns of tri - umph sing, for the Lord now liv - eth;
through thy death - less love; bring us safe through Jor - dan

Refrain



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



Son; end - less is the vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won!

Text: Edmond Budry, 1854–1932; tr. R. Birch Hoyle, 1875–1939
Music: JUDAS MACCABAEUS. George Frideric Handel. 1685–1759

Dismissal

Alleluia! Go in peace. Rejoice and be glad.

Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

Postlude: *Postlude* Stickle

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PLEASE TAKE A MOMENT to fill out a “communion card” for each person if you have not done so this year. They can be found in the pew rack in front of you. Please place the completed card in the offering plate.

THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING MUSICIANS:

Special Thank you to Susan Molnar, Teresa Litsinger, Cooper Anderson, Isaac Shilling, Eli Shilling, Ryan Gacek, and Maria Gacek for providing beautiful instrumental music at our services this morning!

Service Participants

Crucifer: 7:00AM Cooper Anderson

8:45 AM Cooper Anderson

10:30 AM Hailey Uhrinek

Acolytes: 7:00 AM Eli Bitner

8:45 AM Grace Dansak, Anna Dansak

10:30 AM Ben Hayes, Hailey Uhrinek, Caleb Heasley

Lectors: 7:00 AM Mary Lou Millward

8:45 AM Bernie Zundel

10:30 AM Jeanne Toohey

Communion Assistants: 7:00 AM John Millward, Mary Lou Millward

8:45 AM Linda Boyer, Don Freeman

10:30 AM Bob Kebe, Erin Black

Worship Assistants: Sheri Anderson, Cooper Anderson, Chad Altman

Ushers: Glen Nickodemus, Jen Koehl, Rachel Uhrinek, Paul Kanouff, Jeanne

Toohey, Charles Englert, John Doncaster, Kevin Kurimsky

Altar Guild: Nancy Basile

The flowers are presented to the glory of God and are placed as follows:

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

Tom Appleby, Carl & Orel Diven
Betty & Wayne Appleby & Chuck Phillips
Departed loved ones
My loving husband, Melvin Brown
Dave Cortazzo
Thomas Tucker, Uncle John Dorsey
My mom, Audrey R. Errett
My dad, Homer R. Errett
My brother, Ronald W. Errett
Lloyd Fait
Gene Fritz
Ron Herrod
Kurpiel & Izzo family
Loved ones
Our loved ones
Our beloved son, David
Our Beloved Mother & Grandmother

Agnes Jesiolowski (my mother)
Debbie Barnett
Loved ones
Ken Diffenderfer
Merle Mull
Our deceased family members
Our loved ones
Rev. Robert A Free
Bob Henry

BY:

Barb Appleby
Barb Appleby
Norman & Linda Bono
Mary Ann Brown
Cheryl, Cortazzo & Family
John & Donna Dorsey
Bob Errett
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Bob Errett
Toni Fait & family
Karen, Brian & Rachel Fritz
Kathleen & family
Lou & Ann Izzo
Andy, Jen, and Heidi Koehl
Mary Lou & John Millward
Dave & Teresa Silvis
Starenchak & Houston
Families
Camille VanFleet
Denny Barnett
Joanne Gebhart & Kevin Torrance
Mary Jane Diffenderfer
Donna Mull
Donna Mull
Stacey Winfield
Bonny Free, Crystal & Ben
Dorothy Henry & Family

Shirley Miller

Children, Grandchildren & Great
Grandchildren

Our Parents

Glenn & Marilyn Nickodemus

IN HONOR OF:

BY:

Our children and their families

Norman & Linda Bono

Our mothers, Elizabeth Schadle and

Mandy & Paul Kanouff

Wanda Kanouff

Our loving family

Mary Lou & John Millward

Our children and grandchildren

Jerry Starenchak

Our Family

Curtis & Rita Heasley

Our Children & Grandchildren

Rob & Jennifer Hepler

My children, grandchildren & great grandchildren

Kathleen Herrod

THIS WEEK.... OFFICE HOURS T-TH 9:00 AM -2:00 PM,

FRIDAY 9 AM-12PM

Pastor Caroline is on Call. Pastor Fitch is off until 4/7.

SUNDAY

He is Risen! Alleluia!

MONDAY

Office Closed

No PS

TUESDAY

No PS

WEDNESDAY

PS Returns

6:00 PM Bell Choir

7:00 PM Adult Choir

THURSDAY

11:00 AM PS Library Speech

7:00 PM Boy Scouts

FRIDAY

10:00 AM Ladies Bible Study

SATURDAY

5:00PM Communion

SUNDAY

8:00 AM & 10:30 AM Communion

THE ETERNAL CANDLE and THE BULLETIN are given to the glory of God
are in Loving Memory of Gene Fritz by Karen Fritz

**New Bible Study with Pastor Andrew: "Resurrection Ripples" – every
Thursday at 10:30am starting April 11th.** We will be covering the contexts,
background, and everyday impacts of the Acts texts, the Revelation texts, and
related Bible sections of the Easter season. We will wrestle with the faith
questions of what does it mean to be Easter people in this day?

JIGSAW PUZZLE RACE NIGHT

Friday April 12 6:00pm

\$10 a person

Come participate in Harrold Zion's first puzzle race! No matter what your puzzling skills are, it will be a night of fun, laughter, and competition. The concept is easy- get a team of 2-4 people and assemble a 500 piece puzzle as fast as you can.

There will be a prize awarded for the 1st team finished. Pizza, drinks, and snacks will be provided, and each team will be provided a puzzle. Space is limited to 15 teams. Sign up in the communication center and indicate a team captain. If you would like to participate but don't have a partner or team, no worries, sign up anyways; we've got you covered! Please place payments with the team captain's name on it and place in the box labeled puzzle race.

Any questions can be directed to Mandy Kanouff 724-433-9882

Camp Lutherlyn is having a Camp Blast on Saturday May 11 from 11 am to 4:30 pm. it will be a day of fun with all that Lutherlyn has to offer. Campfire. Gaga ball, Archery, Zipline, Crafts, Bouldering Room, Hiking, Nature Activities Canoeing, Hay Rides, Games, Sports, Archaeology, Jump Pillow, Kayaking, Lego Room, Tours, Great Food and more. There is no registration. This is a free event!

Camp registrations are now open for summer campers! \$100 off for first time campers...IT IS \$50 OFF for half week campers. There is a discount code for this it is **First**. It doesn't apply for Family Camp, Confirmation Camp, Day Camps, or Small Fry Days. Register at LUTHERLYN.COM/SUMMERCAMP Please see/or call Rob Hepler for more information. 724-446-2174. We want to be sure that every child or youth that wants to go to Lutherlyn can go—we have camp scholarships!

The Parent's Breakfast Group will be held next Sunday, April 16, at 9:15 AM. Please note the change in date and join us for a continental breakfast and fellowship.

Shoe Drive "We are in the last few weeks of our shoe drive. We are 3/4 of the way to our goal of 2,500 pair. So, keep collecting those gently used shoes, any size any kind".

Grief Support Group: We are going to begin another grief support group here at Harrold Zion for those who have lost loved ones. The group will begin on April 18th at 3:00 PM here at the church. The group will meet for at least six weeks. We may have other groups after this group ends. If you are interested or have questions, please contact Pr. Caroline at pastorcarolinehzlc@gmail.com or call the church office.



Summer Book Class: Deb Mertz and Pr. Caroline are offering a class this summer using the book, “Believe: Living the story of the Bible to become like Jesus,” edited by Randy Frazee. We will be doing the second 10 lessons of the book. You are welcome to attend even if you could not attend the previous class. There is a book and a study guide. Please contact Pr. Caroline at pastorcarolinehzlc@gmail.com or Deb Mertz at deb_mertz@att.net if you are interested or talk to either one at church. We are having the class on Tuesdays, 6:30 PM, here at the church. It will begin Tuesday, April 16th, and it will last 10 weeks. We will not meet during the week of VBS, June 11th. The last class will be on June 25th.

Playground Clean-up April 6th, 10:00 AM -12:00 PM. Volunteers needed for playground and pavilion clean up. Please come if you are able!

ITEMS AVAILABLE FOR SPONSORSHIP:

Altar Flowers – April 13/14 (1 Vase), April 13/14 (1 vase)

Bulletin – April 6/7, April 13/14 Eternal candle – April 6/7,

Reminder: Rose = \$5, Bulletin = \$10, Candle = \$5, Altar Flowers = \$25/vase

To sponsor items, please sign up in the Communication Center.

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