

# Worship Service ~ May 1, 2022, 9:00

## Third Sunday of Easter

VISION: Be the body of Christ:  
welcoming all, inspired by God, and sent out to live our Faith.  
MISSION: Led by the Spirit to share God's grace.

Today's Broadcast is sponsored by Dave Fleming  
in memory of Mary Fleming.

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

BAPTISM OF PARKER DAHLEN

SHARING OF THE PEACE

P: The Peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C: And also with you.**

OPENING HYMN ELW #377 ALLELUIA! JESUS IS RISEN  
stz 1, 2

Alleluia! Jesus is risen! Trumpets resounding in glorious light!  
Splendor, the Lamb, heaven forever!  
Oh, what a miracle God has in sight!  
Jesus is risen and we shall arise. Give God the glory! Alleluia!

Walking the way, Christ in the center  
telling the story to open our eyes;  
breaking our bread, giving us glory:  
Jesus our blessing, our constant surprise.  
Jesus is risen and we shall arise. Give God the glory! Alleluia!

INVOCATION

L: Alleluia! Christ is Risen!

**C: Christ is Risen Indeed. Alleluia!**

L: In the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

L: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, the keeper of the covenant, the source of steadfast love, our rock, and our redeemer. God hears us when we cry and draws us close in Jesus Christ. Let us return to the one who is full of compassion.

*~Silence for reflection~*

L: Fountain of living water,

**C: pour out your mercy over us. Our sin is heavy, and we long to be free. Rebuild what we have ruined and mend what we have torn. Wash us in your cleansing flood. Make us alive in the Spirit to follow in the way of Jesus, as healers and restorers of the world you so love. Amen.**

L: Beloved, God's word never fails. The promise rests on grace: by the saving love of Jesus Christ, the wisdom and power of God, our sins are † forgiven, and God remembers them no more. Journey in the way of Jesus. **Amen.**

#### PRAYER OF THE DAY

L: Let us pray, God of life,

**C: you reach out to us amid our fears with the wounded hands of your risen Son. By your Spirit's breath revive our faith in your mercy and strengthen us to be the body of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

#### PRAYER LAB MINUTE

SPECIAL MUSIC "*That Easter Day*" by Cathy Moklebust; Bells of Faith, Dean Jensen, director

#### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

*HALLE, HALLE, HALLE*

#### GOSPEL

##### **John 21:1-14**

<sup>1</sup>After [he appeared to his followers in Jerusalem,] Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. <sup>2</sup>Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. <sup>3</sup>Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We will go with you." They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.

<sup>4</sup>Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. <sup>5</sup>Jesus said to them, "Children, you have no fish, have you?" They answered him, "No." <sup>6</sup>He said to them, "Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some." So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. <sup>7</sup>That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!" When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the sea. <sup>8</sup>But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off.

<sup>9</sup>When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. <sup>10</sup>Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish that you have just caught."

<sup>11</sup>So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. <sup>12</sup>Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they knew it was the Lord. <sup>13</sup>Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. <sup>14</sup>This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

MESSAGE      Pastor John Klawiter

SONG OF THE DAY      ELW #869 *WE HAVE SEEN THE LORD*

We have seen the Lord.

We have seen the Lord.

We have seen the Lord, God with us, Jesus Christ.

MUSICAL OFFERING      *"O Sons and Daughters"* arr. Roland Martin;  
Faith Choir, Alan Ball, organ; Linda Burk, director

OFFERTORY PRAYER

L: Let us pray. God of love,

**C: you call us beloved children and welcome us. Receive our lives and the gifts we offer. Abide with us and send us in service to a suffering world; for the sake of your beloved Child, Jesus Christ. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

THE LORD'S PRAYER

BLESSING

L: May the LORD bless us and keep us; May the LORD's face shine upon us and be gracious unto us, May the LORD look upon us with favor, + and give us peace.

**C: Amen.**

SENDING SONG    ELW #384 *THAT EASTER DAY WITH JOY WAS  
BRIGHT*    stz 1, 3

That Easter day with joy was bright; the sun shone out  
with fairer light when, to their longing eyes restored,  
the apostles saw their risen Lord!

O Christ, you are the Lord of all  
in this our Easter festival, for you will be our strength and shield  
from ev'ry weapon death can wield.

DISMISSAL

L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

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