



## PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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### DIVINE SERVICES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.; Sunday: 8:00, 9:20, & 10:30 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Jon C. Furgeson, Senior Pastor, 314-601-1039

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# THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

## MOTHER'S DAY

MAY 8, 2022

### THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

Divine Service, Setting Three

**P** = Pastor

\* = Stand

**C** = Congregation

#### Opening Voluntary

#### \*Opening Hymn

#### LSB 709 The King of Love My Shepherd Is



1 The King of love my shep - herd is, Whose good - ness  
2 Where streams of liv - ing wa - ter flow, My ran - somed  
3 Per - verse and fool - ish oft I strayed, But yet in  
4 In death's dark vale I fear no ill With Thee, dear



fail - eth nev - er; I noth - ing lack if  
soul He lead - eth And, where the ver - dant  
love He sought me And on His shoul - der  
Lord, be - side me, Thy rod and staff my



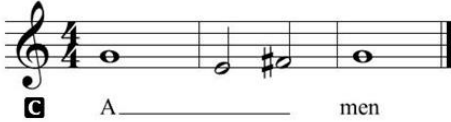
I am His And He is mine for - ev - er.  
pas - tures grow, With food ce - les - tial feed - eth.  
gent - ly laid And home re - joic - ing brought me.  
com - fort still, Thy cross be - fore to guide me.

- 5 Thou spreadst a table in my sight; Thine unction grace bestoweth;  
And, oh, what transport of delight From Thy pure chalice floweth!
- 6 And so through all the length of days Thy goodness faileth never;  
Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise Within Thy house forever!

*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

**\*Invocation**

**P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.



**\*Easter Acclamation**

**P** Alleluia! Christ is risen!  
**C** **He is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

**\*Opening Sentences**

*Psalm 23:1, 6b; Revelation 7:17*

**P** The LORD is my shepherd;  
**C** **I shall not want.**

**P** For the Lamb in the midst of the throne  
**C** **Will be their shepherd,**

**P** And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.  
**C** **And I shall dwell in the house of the LORD forever.**

**\*Confession of Sins**

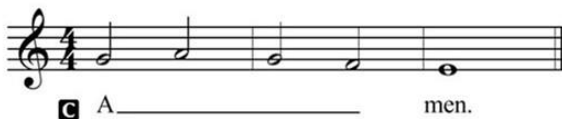
**P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,  
**C** **Who made heaven and earth.**

**P** I said I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,  
**C** **And You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

**P** Lord, our God,  
**C** **We confess that we have strayed from hearing the voice of Your Son, our Shepherd, who went through death to eternal life for us. We have failed to trust in You fully. We have sinned in our thoughts, words, and deeds. Forgive us and renew in us faith and trust. Grant us to hear anew our Shepherd's voice and to follow wherever He leads, until we see Him with You in Your eternal house.**

**\*Absolution**

**P** Fellow sheep within Christ's fold, our Lord Jesus was God's sacrificial Lamb and has gone through death, paying for the sins of all people, and He now reigns in eternity. Therefore, in His stead and by His command, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.



**\*Gloria Patri**



☐ Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

**\*Kyrie**



☐ Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -

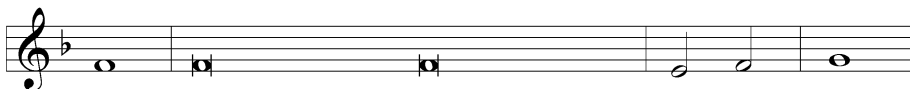


on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

**\*Gloria in Excelsis**



☐ Glory be to God on high: and on earth peace, good - will toward



men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,



we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.



O Lord God, heav'n - ly King, God the Fa - ther Al - mighty.



O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;



O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.

Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-

on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on-ly art the Lord.

Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho-ly Ghost,

art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

**\*Salutation and Collect of the Day**

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And with thy spir - it.

**P** Let us pray. . .

**C** A - men.

**First Reading**

*Acts 20:17-21, 28-35*

<sup>17</sup>Now from Miletus [Paul] sent to Ephesus and called the elders of the church to come to him. <sup>18</sup>And when they came to him, he said to them:

“You yourselves know how I lived among you the whole time from the first day that I set foot in Asia, <sup>19</sup>servng the Lord with all humility and with tears and with trials that happened to me through the plots of the Jews; <sup>20</sup>how I did not shrink from declaring to you anything that was profitable, and teaching you in public and from house to house,

<sup>21</sup>testifying both to Jews and to Greeks of repentance toward God and of faith in our Lord Jesus Christ.

<sup>28</sup>Pay careful attention to yourselves and to all the flock, in which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to care for the church of God, which he obtained with his own blood. <sup>29</sup>I know that after my departure fierce wolves will come in among you, not sparing the flock; <sup>30</sup>and from among your own selves will arise men speaking twisted things, to draw away the disciples after them. <sup>31</sup>Therefore be alert, remembering that for three years I did not cease night or day to admonish everyone with tears. <sup>32</sup>And now I commend you to God and to the word of his grace, which is able to build you up and to give you the inheritance among all those who are sanctified. <sup>33</sup>I coveted no one's silver or gold or apparel. <sup>34</sup>You yourselves know that these hands ministered to my necessities and to those who were with me. <sup>35</sup>In all things I have shown you that by working hard in this way we must help the weak and remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how he himself said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'"

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Epistle

*Revelation 7:9–17*

<sup>9</sup>After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, <sup>10</sup>and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" <sup>11</sup>And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, <sup>12</sup>saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

<sup>13</sup>Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?" <sup>14</sup>I said to him, "Sir, you know." And he said to me, "These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

<sup>15</sup>"Therefore they are before the throne of God,  
and serve him day and night in his temple;  
and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence.

<sup>16</sup>They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore;  
the sun shall not strike them,  
nor any scorching heat.

<sup>17</sup>For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd,  
and he will guide them to springs of living water,  
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

**\*Alleluia**



**C** Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

**\*Holy Gospel**

*John 10:22-30*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the tenth chapter.



**C** Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

<sup>22</sup>At that time the Feast of Dedication took place at Jerusalem. It was winter, <sup>23</sup>and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the colonnade of Solomon. <sup>24</sup>So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, “How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Christ, tell us plainly.” <sup>25</sup>Jesus answered them, “I told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father’s name bear witness about me, <sup>26</sup>but you do not believe because you are not part of my flock. <sup>27</sup>My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me. <sup>28</sup>I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand. <sup>29</sup>My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father’s hand. <sup>30</sup>I and the Father are one.”

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



**C** Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

**\*Apostles’ Creed**

**C** I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

**And in Jesus Christ, His 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 into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Children’s Message (8:00 & 10:30)

Christina Stackle, Director of Christian Education

## Hymn of the Day

## LSB 705 The Man Is Ever Blessed



1 The man is ev - er blessed Who shuns the sin - ners' ways, A -  
2 But makes the Law of God His stud - y and de - light A -  
3 He like a tree shall thrive, With wa - ters near the root; Fresh  
4 Not so the wick - ed race, They no such bless - ings find; Their



mong their coun - sels nev - er stands, Nor takes the scorn - ers' place,  
mid the la - bors of the day And watch - es of the night.  
as the leaf his name shall live, His works are heav'n - ly fruit.  
hopes shall flee like emp - ty chaff Be - fore the driv - ing wind.

- 5 How will they bear to stand before the judgment seat  
Where all the saints at Christ's right hand In full assembly meet?
- 6 He knows and He approves the way the righteous go;  
But sinners and their works shall meet a dreadful overthrow.

**Sermon** "It is More Blessed to Give Than to Receive" (Acts 20:17–21, 28-35)

### Sermon Notes:

### Gathering of the Offering

*Please fill out an attendance card and pass to the end of the aisle.  
The ushers will collect them immediately after the offering.*

### Anthem (8:00 & 10:30)

*And Christ Shall Be Our Peace*

K. Lee Scott

*"And Christ shall be our peace," the prophet said of old,  
"His coming is from ancient days, the Shepherd to His fold.  
From Judah's tribe in Bethlehem shall come this King so long foretold."*

*And Christ shall be our strength; His own shall dwell secure;  
His kingdom spread through all the earth forever to endure.  
For His dear flock He conquered death, o'er sin and grave to be the cure.*



*And Christ shall be our hope through all our weary days.  
 His rod and staff our feet direct to guide us in His ways.  
 Though slow our steps and dark our paths, He shall our troubled hearts upraise.  
 And Christ shall be our joy; help us this joy to share with this, our lost and dying world.  
 Help us Your grace declare, that all may know  
 Your mighty pow'r and tender love beyond compare, Your love beyond compare.*

**\*Offertory**

**C** Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -  
 new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -  
 way from Thy pres-ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it  
 from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -  
 tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir-it. A - men.

**\*Prayer of the Church**

**\*Lord's Prayer**

**C** 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.

**\*Benediction**

**P** The Lord bless you and keep you.  
 The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.  
 The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

**C** A-men, a-men, a - men.

## \*Hymn to Depart

## LSB 740 I Am Jesus' Little Lamb



1 I am Je - sus' lit - tle lamb, Ev - er glad at  
2 Day by day, at home, a - way, Je - sus is my  
3 Who so hap - py as I am, E - ven now the



heart I am; For my Shep - herd gent - ly guides me,  
staff and stay. When I hun - ger, Je - sus feeds me,  
Shep - herd's lamb? And when my short life is end - ed,



Knows my need and well pro - vides me, Loves me ev - 'ry  
In - to pleas - ant pas - tures leads me; When I thirst, He  
By His an - gel host at - tend - ed, He shall fold me



day the same, E - ven calls me by my name.  
bids me go Where the qui - et wa - ters flow.  
to His breast, There with - in His arms to rest.

## \*Silent Prayer

## Closing Voluntary

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## SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY:

Preacher: Pastor Robert M. Brown

Liturgist: 5:00, 8:00, & 10:30: Pastor Quintin Cundiff; 9:20: Sem. Jonathan Zoch

Organist: 8:00 & 10:30: Kendra Ruesler; 5:00 & 9:20: Burnell Hackman

Choirs: 8:00: Chancel Voices; 10:30: Chancel Singers

Director: Burnell L. Hackman, DMM

KFUO AM 850 Announcer/Audio Engineer/Video Engineer: W. Schuessler/J. Mattingly/M. Flosi

Elders: 5:00: Jeff Akers, Greg Wirtel; 8:00: Ken Werkmeister, Ralph Wolters;

9:20: John Hooss, John Roesch; 10:30: Dave Carlson, Bob Wolff

Ushers: 5:00: Steve Kienstra, Art Conrad, Charles Reifschneider, Charles Rolf, Roger Uhlig;

8:00: Dan Prange, Dan Dukesherer, Doug Engle, Kyle Hopfer, Dan Hummert, Mike Wilke,

Earl Yaeger; 9:20: Jim Maschhoff, Glenn Brinkmann, Greg Hard, Bryan Richter; 10:30:

Bryan Dressel, Bill Bryan, Lorin Dressel, Paul Huddleston, John Rastorfer, Jeff Teague

Acolytes: 8:00: Wyatt Langford; 10:30: Ava Reim, Matt Reim

Greeters: 8:00: Joe & Diana Dosal; 9:20 & 10:30: Greg & Lois Ebmeyer

## ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR SUNDAY, MAY 8, 2022

VOTERS' ASSEMBLY is tomorrow, Monday, May 9, at 7:00 p.m. in Sanctuary Hall.

PASTOR QUINTIN CUNDIFF IS LEADING BIBLE STUDY this morning, at 9:15 a.m. Pastor Cundiff has accepted a call to LCMS International Missions as Theological Educator, helping teach pastoral formation and English at the Luther Academy of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Latvia, which is in confessional partnership with our Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod.

GREEN PARK LUTHERAN SCHOOL is seeking candidates for Interim Principal for the 2022-2023 school year. Individuals possessing a love for children and Lutheran Education, strong decision-making and leadership skills, and team building experience will be considered. Administration and/or educator experience is preferred, but not required. Those with experience in professional leadership roles will be considered. Please submit any names to Jon Caron, GPLS Board Chairman.

PEACE MARRIED COUPLES CLUB will be going to LaChance Winery in Desoto, MO on Saturday, May 14, from 11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Cost is \$4.00. Paid reservations are due to Heather Carlson no later than Friday, May 13.

LADIES CLUB join us Tuesday, May 17, 7:00 p.m. in Sanctuary Hall for “Let’s Get Organized!” We have a professional organizer lined up to share tips for decluttering and organizing areas in our homes, including the kitchen. Do you have a favorite organizational tip? We may have time to share a few! We hope to see you there! The Ladies Club is a social organization open to female members of Peace 18 and older. Dues are \$12 per year.

YOUNG ADULT GROUP BIBLE STUDY continues Thursday, May 19, from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Pastor Brown will be leading the study which will cover a book called “Faith that Engages the Culture”. Be sure to join us Friday, May 20, 6:00 p.m. at Nine Mile Garden for Food Truck Friday. If you have any questions, ask Sarah Baese.

YOUNG ADULT GROUP FACEBOOK GROUP has been created! It is called “Peace Lutheran Church Young Adult Group”. Please consider joining the Facebook group and keep up with all of the fun activities they have planned. Young Adult Group is open to those 18-30 years old. If you have any questions, ask Pastor Brown or Sarah Baese.

MOTHER’S DAY FOOD DRIVE BAGS can be returned today or this week. All food collected will be donated to Feed My People. Thank you for your generosity.

JOB OPPORTUNITY AT ST. TRINITY CEMETERY Duties include maintaining cemetery grounds using commercial power mowers and trimmers, digging and closing grave sites, preparing areas for setting of monuments, assisting in the maintenance of equipment and other general duties. A detailed job description and application process is posted on the bulletin board in the Commons and can also be found on the “Job Opportunities” page at [sttrinitycemetery.com](http://sttrinitycemetery.com).

ASCENSION DAY SERVICE will be Thursday, May 26, at 7:00 p.m. Holy Communion will be observed.

## CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 8, 2022

<u>Sunday, May 8:</u>	MOTHER'S DAY
<u>Monday, May 9:</u>	6:00 – Church Council 7:00 – Voters' Assembly
<u>Tuesday, May 10:</u>	9:00 – Quilters 9:00 – Refit Exercise Class 6:00 – Co-Ed Volleyball 7:00 – Orchestra of Peace Rehearsal 7:00 – Boy Scout Eagle Board of Review
<u>Wednesday, May 11:</u>	7:00 – Wednesday Evening Bible Study
<u>Thursday, May 12:</u>	9:00 – Mary/Martha Bible Class 6:00 – St. Trinity Cemetery Board 7:00 – Boy Scout Troop 584 Meeting 7:00 – Chancel Choir Rehearsal
<u>Saturday, May 14:</u>	9:00 – Married Couples Club Winery Trip
<u>Sunday, May 15:</u>	11:30 – Sunday School Teacher Meeting

### DON'T FORGET TO REGISTER FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!

**June 27 – July 1, 2022 – 9:00 a.m. to Noon**

Track 1 is for children age 3 to children going into 3rd grade. \$10 per student.

Track 2 is for children going into 4th and 5th grade. \$10 per student.

Lutheran Adventure Week is for children going into 6th grade. Cost is \$25 per student and includes field trips to Lutheran Hour Ministry, CPH, International Center, and Perryville.

To register for this fun week of activities, go to the Peace website, [peacelutheranstl.org](http://peacelutheranstl.org), and click on the Zoomerang logo on the home page. For more information, please contact Christina Stackle.

**Sign up by May 30 to ensure a spot and a t-shirt.**

ADULT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR VBS to help with welcoming and registering children, leading the games station, and the singing station. Please talk to Christina if you can help.