



First Lutheran Church

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Emmaus Road

Saturday, April 10, 2021

5:30pm

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements

Opening Song *Lord of Glory, You Have Brought Us* ELW 707

Prayer of the Day The Lord be with you **Response: *And also with you***

Gracious God, As the risen Lord walked with his disciples and turned their grief into joy, we pray that you would also walk with us and cheer us with your presence. Amen.

Readings Psalm 30
"The Word of the Lord" Response: ***Thanks be to God!***

Gospel Acclamation ***Alleluia! Sing to Jesus*** (v. 1) ELW 392

Gospel Reading Luke 24:13-35
Response after the announcement: ***Glory to you, O Lord.***
Response after the reading: ***Praise to you, O Christ.***

Hymn ***Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love*** ELW 708

Sermon

Hymn ***Thy Holy Wings*** ELW 613

Apostles' Creed

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Closing Hymn ***Take My Life, That I May Be*** ELW 583

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Call to Worship

All Are Welcome

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Chorus: **All are welcome friend and stranger at the banquet of the Savior**
All are welcome all are welcome here.

From the woman who comes crying leaving tears at Jesus' feet
To the man who knows the right way but cannot see (Chorus)

From the ones who feel forgotten those who sense their place is gone
To the ones who live in hunger here you belong (Chorus)

Go into the streets and cities, to the farms and families
Tell about the splendid table God's mercy (Chorus)

Welcome/Announcements

Milestone Presentation

Prayer of the Day

The Lord be with you

Response: And also with you

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Reading

Psalm 30

"The Word of the Lord" Response: **Thanks be to God!**

Gospel Acclamation

Lord Listen to Your Children Praying (used by permission © 1973 Hope Publishing

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Lord listen to your children praying; Lord send your Spirit in this place;
Lord listen to your children praying; Send us love send us pow'r send us grace.

Gospel Reading

Luke 24:13-35

Response after the announcement: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Response after the reading: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Hymn

I Will Rise (CCLI Song # 5183450 Chris Tomlin | Jesse Reeves | Louie Giglio | Matt Maher © 2008

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There's a peace I've come to know, Though my heart and flesh may fail
There's an anchor for my soul, I can say it is well
Jesus has overcome, And the grave is overwhelmed
The victory is won, He is risen from the dead

Chorus: **And I will rise when He calls my name, No more sorrow no more pain**
I will rise on eagle's wings, Before my God fall on my knees And rise I will rise, I will rise

There's a day that's drawing near, When this darkness breaks to light
And the shadows disappear, And my faith shall be my eyes
Jesus has overcome, And the grave is overwhelmed
The victory is won, He is risen from the dead (Chorus)

*And I hear the voice of many angels sing, Worthy is the Lamb
And I hear the cry of ev'ry longing heart, Worthy is the Lamb (Repeat)
Worthy is the Lamb (Chorus)*

Sermon

Hymn **Good Good Father** (CCLI Song # 7036612 Anthony Brown | Pat Barrett © 2014 Capitol CMG Paragon (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) CCLI License # 473052)

*I've heard a thousand stories, Of what they think You're like
But I've heard the tender whisper, Of love in the dead of night
You tell me that You're pleased, And that I'm never alone*

*Chorus: You're a Good Good Father, It's who You are
It's who You are, It's who You are, And I'm loved by You
It's who I am, It's who I am, It's who I am*

*I've seen many searching for answers, Far and wide
But I know we're all searching for answers, Only You provide
Because You know just what we need, Before we say a word (Chorus)*

*You are perfect in all of Your ways, You are perfect in all of Your ways
You are perfect in all of Your ways to us*

*Love so undeniable I can hardly speak, Peace so unexplainable I can hardly think
As You call me deeper still, As You call me deeper still
As You call me deeper still, Into love love love (Chorus)*

Apostles' Creed
Prayers of the People
The Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Closing Hymn **Isn't He** (CCLI song 1541, 1980 Mercy/Vineyard Publishing CCLI 473052)

*Isn't He, beautiful? Beautiful, isn't He? Prince of Peace, Son of God. Isn't He?
Isn't He, wonderful? Wonderful, isn't He?
Counselor, Almighty God. Isn't He? Isn't He? Isn't He?*

*Yes, You are, beautiful. Beautiful, yes, You are.
Prince of Peace, Son of God. Yes, You are.
Yes, You are, wonderful. Wonderful, yes, You are.
Counselor, Almighty God. Yes, You are. Yes, You are. Yes, You are.*

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Announcements

April 10 & 11, 2021

Today's radio broadcast is sponsored by Doug Heise in loving memory of wife Rosemary.

Prayer List: John Doyle, Curt Sorum, Sierra Waege (granddaughter of Dorothy and Harlen Barck), Vi Thomasson, Val Krogstad, Darlene Newman (sister of Janet Landby), Oliver Navarrete (great grandson of Harlen & Dorothy Barck), Jeanette Meyer (mother of Steve Meyer), Brian Brandt, Dorwin Swenson (father of Jason Swenson), Jerry Vogel, Bob Reimler, Eberhard Koch (father-in-law of Erin (Wright) Koch), Noah Koch (grandson of Lon & Diane Wright), Kathy Zens (sister of Lori Lerohl), Evelyn Zupfer, Lisa Myhrberg, David Gonzales (brother of Caroline Munson), Sean David Doyle, Keith Johnson (father of Stella Miller), Chad Drake, Kim Christianson, Jane Linder (mother of Penny Sommervold), John Anderson (brother of Jeff Anderson), Charity Bolden (daughter of Steve & Barb Glaeser), David Erickson (nephew of Marlene Erickson), Jan Eick Cecil (mother of Gary Eick), Paige Christianson, Sara Whitesitt, Libby Isenberg (daughter of Helen Pedersen).

Thank you for serving!	5:30pm	8:30am	10:45am
Greeters & Ushers	Gary Koosmann	Lee & Norma Raske	Dan Marks
Lectors	Gary Koosmann	Pam Russell	Dan Marks
Music	Susan Jones, Connie Knott, Kristin Neet-Holien	Praise Team	
Video & Audio		Steve Hamner, Ed Henning	
Projection		Janet Landby	
Altar Guild	Eileen Fuhrman, Sharon Miller, Rolly Muller		

Sunday April 11

8:30am & 10:45am Worship - 6th Grade
Milestone Celebration
9:30am TLC (A)
6:30pm Sr High Getting Ready Meeting

Monday April 12

7:00pm Esther Circle

Tuesday April 13

10:00am Staff Meeting

Wednesday April 14

6:30am Women's Bible Study
7:00am Men's Bible Study
10:00am Deborah Circle
6:00pm Confirmation
7:00pm HS Bible Studies
8:00pm Senior High Alive

Saturday April 17

9:00am Confirmation Retreat

5:30pm Worship

Sunday April 18

8:30am & 10:45am Worship

Hy-Vee gift cards are available throughout the year in the office. Proceeds will go toward the 2021 summer trip.

Experience a *Drawn to the Word* worship and artistic hour where Artist and Pastor Paul Oman will paint a larger-than-life sized mural for First Lutheran Church before your eyes on Sunday, April 18 at the 8:30am and 10:45am worship services. The story and theme will unfold artistically, musically, narratively and Scripturally during the event. All are welcome. Come and see! www.paulomanfineart.com

Benefit for Sean-David Doyle, April 18, 2021 at Wabasso Community Center.

Sean-David was diagnosed with stage 4 Colon Cancer that has metastasized to his liver and lungs. Free will donation, meal and silent auction from 11am - 1:30pm.

Today's Readings

Psalm 30

¹I will extol you, O Lord, for you have drawn me up, and did not let my foes rejoice over me.

²O Lord my God, I cried to you for help, and you have healed me.

³O Lord, you brought up my soul from Sheol, restored me to life from among those gone down to the Pit.

⁴Sing praises to the Lord, O you his faithful ones, and give thanks to his holy name.

⁵For his anger is but for a moment; his favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

⁶As for me, I said in my prosperity, "I shall never be moved."

⁷By your favor, O Lord, you had established me as a strong mountain; you hid your face; I was dismayed.

⁸To you, O Lord, I cried, and to the Lord I made supplication:

⁹"What profit is there in my death, if I go down to the Pit? Will the dust praise you? Will it tell of your faithfulness?"

¹⁰Hear, O Lord, and be gracious to me! O Lord, be my helper!"

¹¹You have turned my mourning into dancing; you have taken off my sackcloth and clothed me with joy,

¹²so that my soul may praise you and not be silent. O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you forever.

"The Word of the Lord"

Response: ***Thanks be to God!***

Luke 24:13-35

¹³Now on that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem, ¹⁴and talking with each other about all these things that had happened. ¹⁵While they were talking and

discussing, Jesus himself came near and went with them, ¹⁶but their eyes were kept from recognizing him. ¹⁷And he said to them, "What are you discussing with each other while you walk along?" They stood still, looking sad. ¹⁸Then one of them, whose name was Cleopas, answered him, "Are you the only stranger in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have taken place there in these days?" ¹⁹He asked them, "What things?" They replied, "The things about Jesus of Nazareth, who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, ²⁰and how our chief priests and leaders handed him over to be condemned to death and crucified him. ²¹But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel. Yes, and besides all this, it is now the third day since these things took place.

²²Moreover, some women of our group astounded us. They were at the tomb early this morning, ²³and when they did not find his body there, they came back and told us that they had indeed seen a vision of angels who said that he was alive. ²⁴Some of those who were with us went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said; but they did not see him." ²⁵Then he said to them, "Oh, how foolish you are, and how slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have declared! ²⁶Was it not necessary that the Messiah should suffer these things and then enter into his glory?" ²⁷Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets, he interpreted to them the things about himself in all the scriptures. ²⁸As they came near the village to which they were going, he walked ahead as if he were going on. ²⁹But they urged him strongly, saying, "Stay with us, because it is almost evening and the day is now nearly over." So he went in to stay with them.

³⁰When he was at the table with them, he

Today's Readings

took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. ³¹Then their eyes were opened, and they recognized him; and he vanished from their sight. ³²They said to each other, "Were not our hearts burning within us while he was talking to us on the road, while he was opening the scriptures to us?" ³³That same hour they got up and returned to Jerusalem; and they found the eleven and their companions gathered together. ³⁴They were saying, "The Lord has risen indeed, and he has appeared to Simon!" ³⁵Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he had been made known to them in the breaking of the bread.

Response after the announcement:

Glory to you, O Lord.

Response after the reading:

Praise to you, O Christ.