



# Lord of Glory Lutheran Church Elk River, MN

Fourth Sunday of Easter  
10:30am—May 3, 2020

## + Confession and Absolution +

### Welcome

*Stand*

### Opening Song      "Come People of the Risen King"

#### Verse 1

Come people of the Risen King  
Who delight to bring Him praise  
Come all and tune your hearts to sing  
To the Morning Star of grace.  
From the shifting shadows of the earth  
We will lift our eyes to Him  
Where steady arms of mercy reach  
To gather children in.

#### Chorus

Rejoice, rejoice let ev'ry tongue rejoice  
One heart one voice  
O church of Christ rejoice.

#### Verse 2

Come those whose joy is morning sun  
And those weeping through the night  
Come those who tell of battles won  
And those struggling in the fight  
For his perfect love will never change  
And His mercies never cease  
But follow us through all our days  
With the certain hope of peace [Repeat Chorus]

#### Verse 3

Come young and old from ev'ry land  
Men and women of the faith  
Come those with full or empty hands  
Find the riches of His grace  
Over all the world His people sing  
Shore to shore we hear them call  
The truth that cries through ev'ry age  
Our God is all in all [Repeat Chorus]

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### Invocation

- P** In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
**C** Amen.

**Song**      **"Give Us Clean Hands"**

**Verse**

We bow our hearts we bend our knees  
Oh Spirit come make us humble  
We turn our eyes from evil things  
Oh Lord we cast down our idols

**Chorus**

Give us clean hands give us pure hearts  
Let us not lift our souls to another  
Give us clean hands give us pure hearts  
Let us not lift our souls to another  
And oh God let us be a generation that seeks  
That seeks Your face oh God of Jacob  
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**Repeat Verse & Chorus**

**Confession**

**C** I, a poor sinner, plead guilty before God of all my sins. I have lived as if God did not matter and as if I mattered most. My Lord's name I have not honored as I should; my worship and prayers have faltered. I have not let His love have its way with me, and so my love for others has failed. There are those whom I have hurt, and those whom I have failed to help. My thoughts and desires have been soiled with sin. I am sorry for all of this. I want to do better and ask for grace because of Jesus Christ and His death. Amen.

**Absolution**

*Sit*

**+ Service of the Word +**

**First Reading**

*Acts 2:42-47*

<sup>42</sup>They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. <sup>43</sup>And awe came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were being done through the apostles. <sup>44</sup>And all who believed were together and had all things in common. <sup>45</sup>And they were selling their possessions and belongings and distributing the proceeds to all, as any had need. <sup>46</sup>And day by day, attending the temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they received their food with glad and generous hearts, <sup>47</sup>praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to their number day by day those who were being saved.

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

**C** Thanks be to God.

**Psalm**      *Psalm 23*

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

**C** He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters.

**P** He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

**C** Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

**P** You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

**C** Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

**All** Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

**Epistle***I Peter 2:19-25*

<sup>19</sup>This is a gracious thing, when, mindful of God, one endures sorrows while suffering unjustly. <sup>20</sup>For what credit is it if, when you sin and are beaten for it, you endure? But if when you do good and suffer for it you endure, this is a gracious thing in the sight of God. <sup>21</sup>For to this you have been called, because Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example, so that you might follow in his steps. <sup>22</sup>He committed no sin, neither was deceit found in his mouth. <sup>23</sup>When he was reviled, he did not revile in return; when he suffered, he did not threaten, but continued entrusting himself to him who judges justly. <sup>24</sup>He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed. <sup>25</sup>For you were straying like sheep, but have now returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of your souls.

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

**C** Thanks be to God.

*Stand*

**Holy Gospel***John 10:1-10*

<sup>1</sup>[Jesus said:] “Truly, truly, I say to you, he who does not enter the sheepfold by the door but climbs in by another way, that man is a thief and a robber. <sup>2</sup>But he who enters by the door is the shepherd of the sheep. <sup>3</sup>To him the gatekeeper opens. The sheep hear his voice, and he calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. <sup>4</sup>When he has brought out all his own, he goes before them, and the sheep follow him, for they know his voice. <sup>5</sup>A stranger they will not follow, but they will flee from him, for they do not know the voice of strangers.” <sup>6</sup>This figure of speech Jesus used with them, but they did not understand what he was saying to them.

<sup>7</sup>So Jesus again said to them, “Truly, truly, I say to you, I am the door of the sheep. <sup>8</sup>All who came before me are thieves and robbers, but the sheep did not listen to them. <sup>9</sup>I am the door. If anyone enters by me, he will be saved and will go in and out and find pasture. <sup>10</sup>The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly.”

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

**C** Praise to You, 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.

*Sit*

**Children's Message**

## **Song of the Day     "Majesty"**

### **Verse 1**

Here I am  
Humbled by Your majesty  
Covered by Your grace so free  
Here I am  
Knowing I'm a sinful man  
Covered by the blood of the Lamb

### **Pre-Chorus**

Now I've found the greatest love of all is mine  
Since You laid down Your life  
The greatest sacrifice

### **Chorus 1**

Majesty majesty  
Your grace has found me just as I am  
Empty handed but alive in Your hands

### **Verse 2**

Here I am  
Humbled by the love that You give  
Forgiven so that I can forgive  
Here I stand  
Knowing that I'm Your desire  
Sanctified by glory and fire

### **Repeat Pre-Chorus**

### **Repeat Chorus 1**

### **Chorus 2**

Majesty majesty  
Forever I am changed by Your love  
In the presence of Your majesty

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## **Sermon**

## **Offering**

**1 Peter 2:21 – “For to this you have been called, because Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example, so that you might follow in his steps.”** Our heavenly Father wants us to grow into the image of His Son, to follow in His steps. Jesus suffered for us not only to redeem us, but also to show us what love looks like – to leave us an example of self-giving, sacrificial generosity. “Let us ever walk with Jesus, follow His example pure.”

## **Prayers (each petition concludes with):**

**P** Lord, in Your mercy,  
**C** hear our prayer.

## **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.

## **Blessing**

## **Announcements**

## **Closing Song     "This is Amazing Grace"**

### **Verse 1**

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness  
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger  
The King of Glory the King above all kings

### **Chorus**

This is amazing grace  
This is unfailing love  
That You would take my place  
That You would bear my cross  
You laid down Your life  
That I would be set free  
Jesus I sing for all that You've done for me

### **Verse 3**

Who brings our chaos back into order  
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter  
The King of Glory the King of Glory

### **Repeat Chorus**

### **Bridge**

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain  
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave  
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain  
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave  
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain  
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave  
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain  
Worthy worthy worthy

### **Repeat Chorus**

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### **Verse 2**

Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder  
And leaves us breathless in awe and wonder  
The King of Glory the King above all kings

### **Verse 4**

Who rules the nations with truth and justice  
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance  
The King of Glory the King above all kings