

HE IS
RISEN

Alleluia

Praise Yahweh

On Easter morning in the celebration of great joy of all the work and deeds of Jesus Christ on our behalf, the “alleluia” will once again be brought back into the church – brought back not only with the banner, but with our voices, in the liturgy, and in the hymns.

This praise of the Lord is not just a simple prancing about that there is a resurrection, but that we are joined in our Baptism (Romans 6) with Christ’s resurrection. With Christ taking away the wage of death, sin (Romans 6:23), we now have life eternal with Him. The sting of death has been removed (I Corinthians 15) and life eternal is now ours. Christ Jesus lay in death’s strong bands

**For our offenses given;
But now at God’s right hand he stands
And brings us life from heaven.
Therefore let us joyful let us joyful be
And sing to God right thankfully
Loud songs of alleluia! Alleluia!**
(LSB - Hymn #458, st.1)

Welcome!

We bid you welcome, dear worshiper, in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ! The blessings of His presence and His peace be with you.

If you are a guest worshiping with us today, we are honored to have you join us in gathering together around the gift of God’s holy Word. We invite you to return and worship with us again.

If you are joining us for our drive-in service at 7:00 a.m., please read the information on the following page.

Welcome to a joyous, and undoubtably unique, celebration of Easter 2020 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Columbia, Missouri. This 7:00 a.m. Sunrise Service will be broadcast across our church property via a limited-power FM transmitter that will allow worshipers to tune in via one's car radio.

To orderly handle traffic when arriving at Trinity, we will "usher" vehicles using the "circle-drive" entrance, which is the eastern-most entrance off of Rollins Road. The other two Rollins Road drives will be blocked off prior to the service, though these will be used to exit at the conclusion of the service.

There will be a limited number of ushers to direct cars to the parking spaces, starting closest to the church and moving to the back of the lot. If the lot fills, worshipers may park themselves in the back lot east of the church.

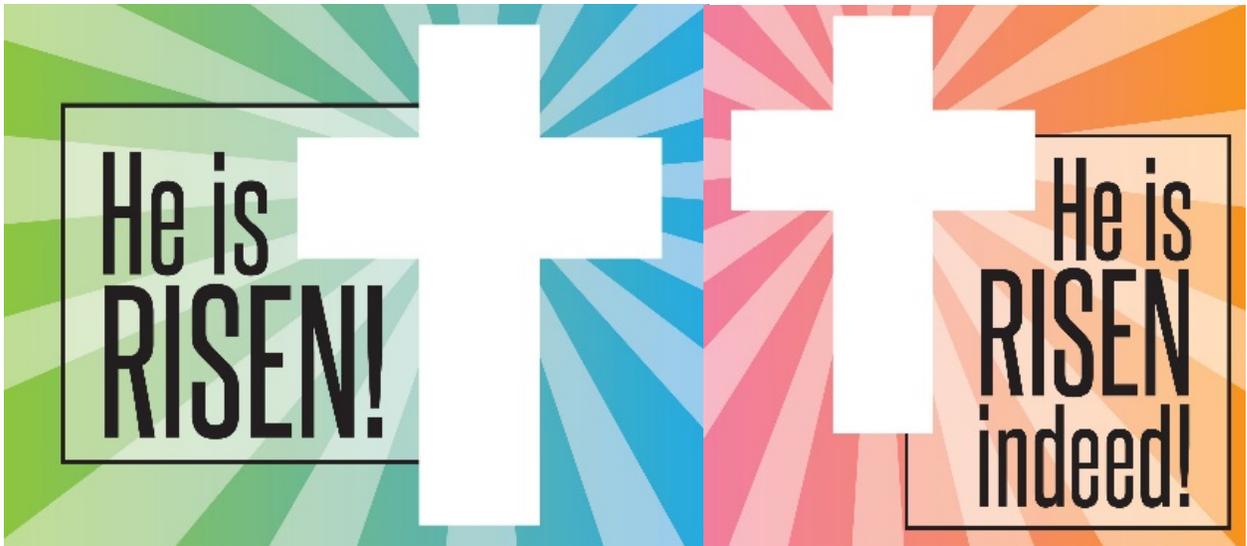
Once parked, please turn off your headlights and tune your car radio to 104.1 FM. You will know you are on the right station when you hear Lutheran hymnody!

To practice appropriate social distancing guidance from our state and local governments, and specifically in consultation with the City/County Public Health & Human Services Department, we ask that you strictly follow these instructions for the time you are in the parking lot:

- 1) Stay in your vehicle.
- 2) Keep car windows rolled up.
- 3) If there is a reason that you need to enter the church (child sick, extreme bathroom need, etc.), please get the attention of an usher by flashing your headlights and, if you are not getting attention, give a short horn honk. An usher will come to your vehicle to discuss where to bring your vehicle and will escort you inside. Please keep in mind, we are required to limit the number of people gathered in the building, so if necessary be patient.

When the service is complete, cars will be ushered out, starting at the back of the parking lot. We will use the two western-most driveways, one left-turn only and the other right-turn only. If you are ushered out of the drive in the opposite direction than you need, please don't immediately attempt to turn around. Go around the block...drive through a neighborhood you haven't seen for a few years...try out the mini-roundabout at Fairview Road. This will allow us the best opportunity to keep traffic flowing. **Have a Blessed Easter!**

But for us also, to whom it shall be imputed, if we believe on him that raised up Jesus our Lord from the dead; Who was delivered for our offences, and was raised again for our justification. – Romans 4:25 (KJV)



The Resurrection of Our Lord

April 12, 2020

7:00 a.m. & 9:00 a.m.

The Order of Service

(†-congregation stands)

Bells' Call to Worship

Words of Welcome

Organ Prelude

The Preparation

Opening Versicles

P Christ is risen!

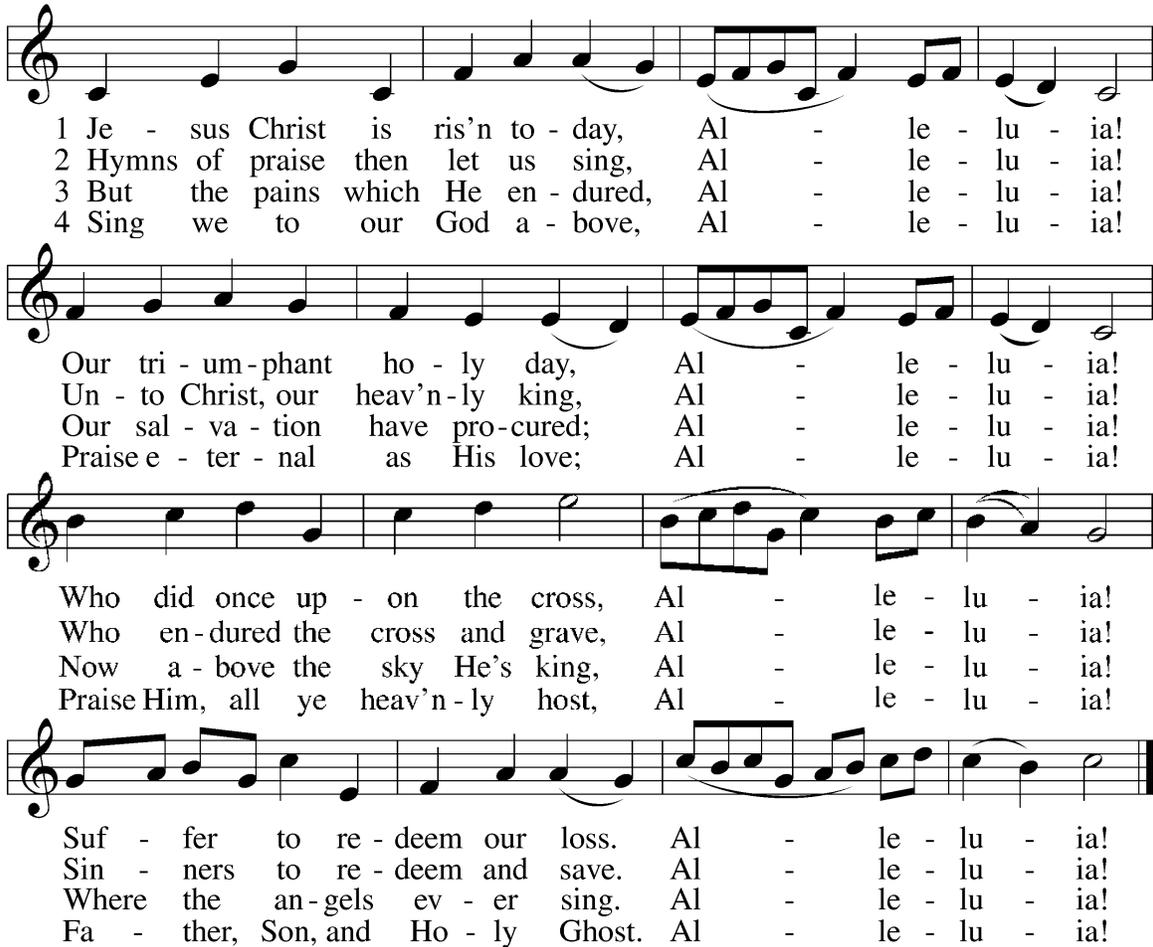
C He is risen indeed!

P The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!

C Oh, come, let us receive His gifts and worship Him! Alleluia!

† Opening Hymn “Jesus Christ is Risen Today”

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1 Je - sus Christ is ris'n to - day, Al - le - lu - ia!
 2 Hymns of praise then let us sing, Al - le - lu - ia!
 3 But the pains which He en - dured, Al - le - lu - ia!
 4 Sing we to our God a - bove, Al - le - lu - ia!

Our tri - um - phant ho - ly day, Al - le - lu - ia!
 Un - to Christ, our heav'n - ly king, Al - le - lu - ia!
 Our sal - va - tion have pro - cured; Al - le - lu - ia!
 Praise e - ter - nal as His love; Al - le - lu - ia!

Who did once up - on the cross, Al - le - lu - ia!
 Who en - dured the cross and grave, Al - le - lu - ia!
 Now a - bove the sky He's king, Al - le - lu - ia!
 Praise Him, all ye heav'n - ly host, Al - le - lu - ia!

Suf - fer to re - deem our loss. Al - le - lu - ia!
 Sin - ners to re - deem and save. Al - le - lu - ia!
 Where the an - gels ev - er sing. Al - le - lu - ia!
 Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. Al - le - lu - ia!

† Invocation

P In the name of the Father and of the Son † and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

† Confession of Sins and Absolution

P Beloved in the Lord. Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins to God our Father, imploring him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord.

C Who made heaven and earth.

P I said, I will confess my transgressions to the Lord.

C And you forgave the iniquity of my sin.

C O almighty God, merciful father, I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess to you all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended you and justly deserved your punishment now and forever. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray you of your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of your beloved son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor sinful being.

P Upon this your confession, I, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God to all of you, and in the stead and by command of my Lord Jesus Christ, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son † and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

The Service of the Word

† Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

C And with your spirit.

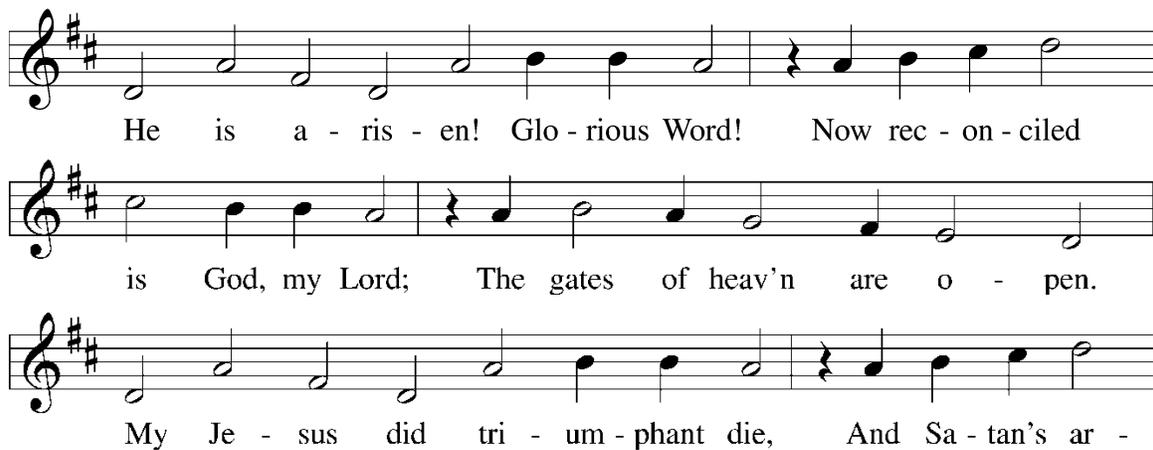
P Let us pray to the Lord.

P Almighty God the Father, through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ, You have overcome death and opened the gate of everlasting life to us. Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of our Lord's resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin by your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Hymn "He Is Arisen! Glorious Word"

LSB 488



He is a - ris - en! Glo - rious Word! Now rec - on - ciled
is God, my Lord; The gates of heav'n are o - pen.
My Je - sus did tri - um - phant die, And Sa - tan's ar -

rows bro - ken lie, De - stroyed hell's fierc - est weap - on.
 O hear what cheer! Christ vic - to - rious, Ris - ing glo - rious,
 Life is giv - ing. He was dead but now is liv - ing!

Old Testament Reading

Acts 10:34-43

P ³⁴So Peter opened his mouth and said: “Truly I understand that God shows no partiality, ³⁵but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. ³⁶As for the word that he sent to Israel, preaching good news of peace through Jesus Christ (he is Lord of all), ³⁷you yourselves know what happened throughout all Judea, beginning from Galilee after the baptism that John proclaimed: ³⁸how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power. He went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. ³⁹And we are witnesses of all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree, ⁴⁰but God raised him on the third day and made him to appear, ⁴¹not to all the people but to us who had been chosen by God as witnesses, who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. ⁴²And he commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one appointed by God to be judge of the living and the dead. ⁴³To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.”

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Gradual

C Christ has risen from the dead. God the Father has crowned him with glory and honor. He has made him ruler over the works of this hands; he has put everything under his feet.





1 Christ the Lord is ris'n to - day; Al - le - lu - ia!
 2 For the sheep the Lamb has bled, Al - le - lu - ia!
 3 Hail, the vic - tim un - de - filed, Al - le - lu - ia!
 4 Chris - tians, on this ho - ly day, Al - le - lu - ia!



Chris-tians, has - ten on your way; Al - le - lu - ia!
 Sin - less in the sin - ner's stead. Al - le - lu - ia!
 God and sin - ners rec - on - ciled, Al - le - lu - ia!
 All your grate - ful hom - age pay; Al - le - lu - ia!



Of - fer praise with love re - plete, Al - le - lu - ia!
 Christ the Lord is ris'n on high; Al - le - lu - ia!
 When con - tend - ing death and life, Al - le - lu - ia!
 Christ the Lord is ris'n on high; Al - le - lu - ia!



At the pas - chal vic - tim's feet. Al - le - lu - ia!
 Now He lives, no more to die. Al - le - lu - ia!
 Met in strange and awe - some strife. Al - le - lu - ia!
 Now He lives, no more to die. Al - le - lu - ia!

Epistle Reading

Colossians 3:1-4

P ¹If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. ²Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. ³For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. ⁴When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Verse

C Alleluia. Alleluia. Christ has destroyed death. Alleluia.
 And has brought life and immortality
 to light through the Gospel. Alleluia.

† Hymn “Alleluia, Alleluia! Hearts to Heaven”

LSB 477



1 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Hearts to heav'n and voic - es raise:
 2 Al - le - lu - ia, Christ is ris - en! Death at last has met de - feat:
 3 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Glo - ry be to God on high:



Sing to God a hymn of glad-ness, Sing to God a hymn of praise;
 See the an-cient pow'rs of e - vil In con - fu - sion and re - treat;
 Al - le - lu - ia to the Sav - ior Who has gained the vic - to - ry;



He who on the cross a vic-tim For the world's sal - va - tion bled—
 Once He died, and once was bur-ied: Now He lives for - ev - er - more,
 Al - le - lu - ia to the Spir-it, Fount of love and sanc-ti - ty!



Je - sus Christ, the King of Glo - ry, Now is ris - en from the dead.
 Je - sus Christ, the world's Re - deem - er, Whom we wor-ship and a - dore.
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia To the tri - une Maj - es - ty!

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† The Holy Gospel Reading

Matthew 28:1-10

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-eighth chapter.

C Glory to You, O Lord.

P ¹Now after the Sabbath, toward the dawn of the first day of the week, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. ²And behold, there was a great earthquake, for an angel of the Lord descended from heaven and came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. ³His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. ⁴And for fear of him the guards trembled and became like dead men. ⁵But the angel said to the women, “Do not be afraid, for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified. ⁶He is not here, for he has risen, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. ⁷Then go quickly and tell his disciples that he has risen from the dead, and behold, he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him. See, I have told you.” ⁸So they departed quickly from the tomb with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. ⁹And behold, Jesus met them and said, “Greetings!” And they came up and took hold of

his feet and worshiped him. ¹⁰Then Jesus said to them, “Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee, and there they will see me.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

† Confession of Faith

(Meaning to the Second article of the Apostles Creed)

C I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from eternity, and also true Man, born of the virgin Mary is my Lord,

Who has redeemed me, a lost and condemned creature, purchased and won me from all sins, from death, and from the power of the devil; not with gold or silver, but with His holy, precious blood and with His innocent suffering and death,

That I may be His own, and live under Him in His kingdom, and serve Him in everlasting righteousness, innocence, and blessedness,

Even as He is risen from the dead, lives, and reigns to all eternity.

This is most certainly true.

† Sermon Hymn “I Know that My Redeemer Lives”

LSB 461



1 I know that my Re - deem - er lives; What com-
2 He lives tri - um - phant from the grave; He lives e -
3 He lives to bless me with His love; He lives to
4 He lives to grant me rich sup - ply; He lives to



this sweet sen - tence gives! He lives, He lives, who
ter - nal - ly to save; He lives all - glo - rious
plead for me a - bove; He lives my hun - gry
guide me with His eye; He lives to com - fort



once was dead; He lives, my ev - er - liv - ing head.
in the sky; He lives ex - alt - ed there on high.
soul to feed; He lives to help in time of need.
me when faint; He lives to hear my soul's com - plaint.

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| <p>5 He lives to silence all my fears;
He lives to wipe away my tears;
He lives to calm my troubled heart;
He lives all blessings to impart.</p> <p>6 He lives, my kind, wise, heav'nly friend;
He lives and loves me to the end;
He lives, and while He lives, I'll sing;
He lives, my Prophet, Priest, and King.</p> | <p>7 He lives and grants me daily breath;
He lives, and I shall conquer death;
He lives my mansion to prepare;
He lives to bring me safely there.</p> <p>8 He lives, all glory to His name!
He lives, my Jesus, still the same;
Oh, the sweet joy this sentence gives:
I know that my Redeemer lives!</p> |
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Sermon "Living Between Good Friday and Easter Sunday"

Matthew 28:1-10

† **Responsive Prayer**

- P** O God of life and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Your abundant grace, You have begotten us again unto a new and living hope by the resurrection of Jesus from the dead.
- C** You have transformed the night of doubt and sorrow into the new and eternal day of joy and gladness.
- P** You have brought life and immortality to light by the glad tidings that Christ is risen.
- C** For this, O Lord, we give You thanks.
- P** You have delivered Your Son, who died for our sins, from the grip of death and raised Him by Your power.
- C** That which You sowed in dishonor and weakness, You raised in Power and glory.
- P** O God, we praise You that through Him You removed death's sting for us.
- C** Your have brought us victory over the grave.
- P** Fill our hearts with the joy of the resurrection.
- C** Help us to show forth Your praises. Bless our homes with comfort and hope of Easter.
- P** Send the conquering banner of Christ's victory into all the world.
- C** Grant that many more nations may join the hosts of heaven in songs of triumph.
- P** In the Promise of Easter take away from us all fear of death.
- C** Let the radiant beams of Easter's light shine into the depths of our souls.
- P** Renew us in the Spirit of Him who is the way, the truth, and the life.
- C** Speak peace to our souls, and sustain our faith in Him who promises resurrection and life.

P Visit with Your presence those who are sick, lonely, and discouraged. We pray especially for _____.

C In Your grace and mercy, deliver them from their trials.

P Guide us, Your children, as we seek to call another minister of Your Word to our congregation.

C Inspire us and help us to find the proper servant for Your ministry at Trinity.

P All this we pray in the name of our risen Lord.

C Amen.

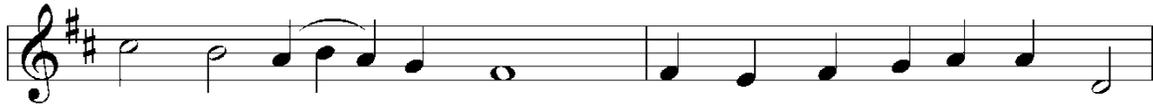
Offering Announcement

Communion Hymn "At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing"

LSB 633



1 At the Lamb's high feast we sing Praise to
2 Praise we Him, 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 pierc - 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!

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!

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!

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!

† 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.



† Collect of the Word

P Oh, give thanks to the Lord, for he is good.

C And his mercy endures forever.

P Let us pray to the Lord.

P Almighty God, grant that we who have celebrated the Lord's resurrection may by Your grace confess in our life and conversation that Jesus is Lord and God; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

† Benediction

P The God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good, working in you that which is pleasing in His sight to the glory of God the Father through Jesus Christ our Lord. And the blessing of God almighty - the Father, the Son, † and the Holy Spirit - be among you and remain with you always.

C Amen.

† Closing Hymn “The Day of Resurrection”
(stanza 4 sung only at 9:00 a.m.)

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1 The day of res - ur - rec - tion! Earth, tell it out a - broad,
2 Let hearts be purged of e - vil That we may see a - right
3 Now let the heav'ns be joy - ful, Let earth its song be - gin,
4 All praise to God the Fa - ther, All praise to God the Son,



The pass - o - ver of glad - ness, The pass - o - ver of God.
The Lord in rays e - ter - nal Of res - ur - rec - tion light
Let all the world keep tri - umph And all that is there - in.
All praise to God the Spir - it, E - ter - nal Three in One!



From death to life e - ter - nal, From sin's do - min - ion free,
And, lis - t'ning to His ac - cents, May hear, so calm and plain,
Let all things, seen and un - seen, Their notes of glad - ness blend;
Let all the ran - somed num - ber Fall down be - fore the throne



Our Christ has brought us o - ver With hymns of vic - to - ry.
His own “All hail!” and, hear - ing, May raise the vic - tor strain.
For Christ the Lord has ris - en, Our joy that has no end!
And hon - or, pow'r, and glo - ry As - cribe to God a - lone!

† Organ Postlude

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