



OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Sunday, April 14, 2013

Third Sunday of Easter

(8:30am Setting Four)

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen

P Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C Amen

P Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

P Most merciful God,

C **we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen**

P God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

C Amen

GATHERING HYMN

Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing!

ELW 385

GREETING

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C **And also with you.**

KYRIE *ELW p. 147*

A In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

C **Amen**

CANTICLE OF PRAISE *ELW p. 149*

A This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia.

C **Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God. Power and riches and wisdom and strength, and honor and blessing and glory are his. This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia. Sing with all the people of God, and join in the hymn of all creation: Blessing and honor and glory and might be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen. This is the feast of victory for our God, for the Lamb who was slain has begun his reign. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P Let us pray...

C **Loving God, in this Easter season, we sing in praise that Jesus is alive. But around us we still see suffering and we wonder where you are in the midst of tragedy. Open our ears to the reading of your Story that we may feel your presence as we wrestle with our questions. In Jesus name, Amen.**

FIRST READING: Lamentations 3:22-33

L The word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

SECOND READING: Revelation 21:1-5a

L The word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S SERMON

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *ELW p. 151*

C Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life.
Alleluia.

GOSPEL: John 21:1–19

After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. ²Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples.

³Simon 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.

⁴Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. ⁵Jesus said to them, "Children, you have no fish, have you?" They answered him, "No." ⁶He 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. ⁷That 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. ⁸But 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.

⁹When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. ¹⁰Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish that you have just caught." ¹¹So 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. ¹²Jesus 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. ¹³Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. ¹⁴This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

¹⁵When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs." ¹⁶A second time he said to him, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Tend my sheep." ¹⁷He said to him the third time, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, "Do you love me?" And he said to him, "Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my sheep." ¹⁸Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go." ¹⁹(He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, "Follow me."

P The gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON *"Why is there Suffering?"*

HYMN OF THE DAY *Canticle of the Turning*

ELW 723
(V. 1 Cantor, V. 2-4 All Sing)

APOSTLES' CREED *ELW p. 105*

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

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

PRAYER SONG *Be Not Afraid*

ELW 388

Be not afraid, sing out for joy! Christ is risen, alleluia!
Be not afraid, sing out for joy! Christ is risen, alleluia!

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

P Hear us, O God.
C Your mercy is great.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

OFFERING/OFFERTORY

ELW 186

C Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from your presence, and take not your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and uphold me with your free Spirit.

GREAT THANKSGIVING *ELW p. 152*

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your hearts.

C **We lift them to the Lord.**

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

P It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,.....and join their unending hymn:

C **Holy, holy, holy Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might, heav'n and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER *ELW p. 154*

HOLY COMMUNION

COMMUNION SONG *ELW p. 154*

C **Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.**

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service

ELW 712

This Joyful Eastertide

ELW 391

BLESSING

THREE BELLS

SENDING HYMN

The Lord Now Sends Us Forth

ELW 538

(First time: Cantor, Second time: All Sing)

DISMISSAL

P Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

WELCOME TO WORSHIP! We extend a special welcome to our visitors and ask that they fill out a Welcome card located in each pew and place it in the offering plate. We pray that you will be blessed and renewed by our worship experience today.

HOLY COMMUNION is celebrated today. All are welcome at the Lord's Table. For those who prefer to receive grape juice or gluten free wafers, simply indicate that to the server. We would like everyone to register their communion participation on the Welcome cards in the pew. May God Bless your communion.

O Lord, Hear Our Prayers

Praise & Thanksgiving to God for...

The people of Our Savior's.

Those celebrating birthdays today: Bonnie Anderson, Connie Anderson,
Whitney Anderson, Jason Bolstad, Ruth Siegert

God's Healing Presence for...

Tim Miller Art Morlock Carroll Borke Gerald Olson Arnie Gilbertson
Dorothy Mattson Marsall Weibye Ben Brown Stacy Engel Ole Olson
Harlan Woken (Terry Lee's father)

(If you would like your name put on or taken off this list please contact Pastor Joe or Pastor Siri.)

Safety for those serving in the Military... especially those serving in combat areas:
Danny Reed

Our Sympathy to... Those in our church family who have experienced the death of a family member or friend: *The family of Jean Van Zee*

ORGANIST: Karen Alfson **LECTORS:** (8:30) Sylvia Hansen (10:30) Anna Lemm

GREETERS: (8:30) Ed and Elaine Laxdal (10:30) Bob and Jill Hebl Family

ACOLYTES: (8:30) Cade Baesler, Jaden Kent (10:30) Tayah Beck, Halli Hebl

USHERS: (8:30) Larry and Jackie Lovas, Sandra Bertsch, Chris McInnes
(10:30) Dave Nelson, Betty Meyer, Gary Leraas, Doug Melby

ATTENDANCE: April 7, 2013: 8:30am – 90; 10:30am - 170

STEWARDSHIP REPORT: April 7, 2013: \$6,840.85; April to date: \$6,840.85;
2013 Income through March 31: \$74,709.08 and 2013 Expenses through March 31:
\$72,863.41

SANCTUARY COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Ruth Siegert, Vicki Madsen, Bob Tweten, Rich Diehl, Beth Christianson-Melby, Carissa Olsen, Peter Lovas

A STRAW POLL will be taken on Sunday, April 28 at both the 8:30am and 10:30am worship services to survey the congregation concerning hospitality and inclusion in pew configuration and projection.

THE RADIO BROADCAST today is in memory of Olga Henka, given by family and friends.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: (Due in the church office by 9am Thursdays)

MILESTONE EVENT for 4th graders, their parents and teachers today at 11:45am!

5TH GRADE FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES: April 14th and 28th at 9:30am (during Sunday school time) and Saturday, May 4th at 10:30am (Bake Bread). First Communion is on Sunday, May 5 at the 10:30am worship service.

MONDAY, APRIL 15TH is the last W.O.W. Bible Study session for the spring. We will resume with a new study in the fall. Thank you, Senora Almquist

FREE HEARTSAVER CPR CLASS is scheduled for Tuesday, April 16 from 6:30pm-10:00pm at Our Savior's Church. Free class—all are welcome! If anyone would like a CPR card, a \$35 fee is applied. If you can't make that date or that class fills up, another class has been scheduled for April 23. Please call the church office at 636-5701 to Register. Wendy Oanes, Instructor

HILLSBORO MEDICAL CENTER AUXILIARY SPRING LUNCHEON, Wednesday, April 17 at Hillsboro Sanford Medical Center sun room, 11:00am to 1:00pm. Bake Sale, raffle and lunch. New Cookbooks will be on sale! Menu: BBQ or Egg Salad Sandwiches, beans, potato salad, homemade pies. Cost is \$7.

LAST CHOIR REHEARSAL is this Wednesday, April 17 at 7:00pm. There will be food!

PASTOR SIRI'S GIFT BOOK CLUB will have its final meeting for the spring on April 21 at 6:30pm and discuss the book "Quarks, Chaos and Christianity."

VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION OPEN HOUSE, Wednesday, April 24 from 2-4pm at Sanford HMC sun room. ALL who have volunteered at our facility in some way are welcome and invited to attend!

GRADUATING SENIORS! Senior Recognition Sunday is May 19th. There will be a reception in your honor at 9:30am in the Fellowship Hall followed by recognition at the 10:30am worship service. PLEASE provide us with a **wallet sized senior photo** by May 12th. Bring it to the church office or Kadie Doeden. Thank you!

SIGN UP FOR PASTOR SIRI'S WEEKLY DEVOTIONS: This past January, Pastor Siri started to send weekly devotions to the Sunday school teachers based off the upcoming scripture verses. Slowly, this has built to a larger email audience. If you want to be included in this short weekly email, please sign up by the courtyard.

EVERYONE IS WELCOME to sign-up and join OSLC's Relay for Life Team. The sign-up sheet is available and luminaries are available for purchase on Sundays in the courtyard. This year the Relay is on May 31st (from 2pm-2am) at the Hillsboro Event Center.

If you are unable to participate on the team, but would like to contribute, we are looking for SPONSORS to help us purchase prizes for our Plinko game and cover the cost of food we will have for sale at the Relay. Please call our team captains Stacy Dickhoff @ 430-1874 OR Shandy Hatlestad @ (701)799-1546 to sign-up, donate, or with any questions. Thank you for the support!!

CELL PHONE NUMBERS: Pastor Joe - 701-430-3787; Pastor Siri - 701-430-3879

WEEKLY CALENDAR:

Sunday, April 14

Communion Sunday
8:30am **Worship Service**
9:30am Coffee/Fellowship
9:30am Fair Trade Shop
9:30am Sunday school
9:30am 5th gr First Communion Class
10:30am **Worship Service**
11:45am Milestone Event-4th gr
5:45pm Yoga class

5:30pm Meal
6:15pm Confirmation
7:00pm OSLC Choir
7:30pm Youth Group

Monday, April 15

9:00am Quilting
9:00am W.O.W. Bible Study

Tuesday, April 16

7:00am Breakfast Bible Study
-at Country Hearth
6:30pm CPR/AED Class

Wednesday, April 17

7:00am Men's Fellowship
-at Country Hearth

Thursday, April 18

7:00am Adult Confirmation class (Bakery)
8:00am Youth Bible Study (Bakery)
12:00pm Adult Confirmation class (Bakery)
2:00pm Worship Service- Nursing Home
5:45pm Yoga class

Saturday, April 20--Sunday, April 21

-Synod Assembly @ Jamestown

Sunday, April 21

8:30am **Worship Service**
9:30am Coffee/Fellowship
9:30am Sunday school
10:30am **Worship Service**
5:45pm Yoga class
6:30pm Pastor Siri's Book Club