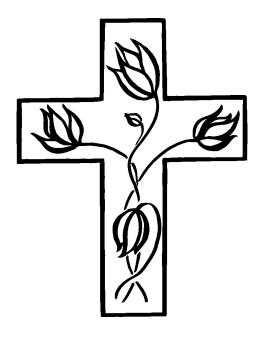
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We welcome all children to our worship. Children need to remain with their families during worship. There is no Sunday Church School at this time. Please ask the ushers for a children's bulletin!

Communion: All are welcome. Please note that only wafers will be used during the pandemic.

Please let an usher know if you need to take Communion in your seat.

#### No Scents Makes Good Sense.

Members have indicated that they suffer discomfort from perfumes, hair spray, colognes and after-shave lotion. Please help us provide a scent-free environment.

#### **EASTER SUNDAY**

## Sunday, April 17, 2022.

#### **GATHERING**

## The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

Prelude - Christ Jesus Lay in Death's Strong Bands, arr. Aaron David Miller Christ Has Rise, Alleluia, arr. John Helgen

#### Welcome

## **Acknowledgment of Territory**

We are on the traditional territory of the Attawandaron / Neutral People. We honour the original ancestors of this land and also offer respect to our Haudenosaunee, Anishinaabe, Mississauga and Métis neighbours. We give thanks for the First Peoples and all who have cared for the land and made it possible for us to be here today.

### **Easter Proclamation**



Rejoice, O Heavenly Powers! Sing, | choirs of angels!
Exult, all creation a | -round God's throne!
Jesus | Christ is risen!
Sound the trumpet | of salvation!

With high delight, let us unite, in songs of great jubilation!

Rejoice, O Earth, in | shining splendour, radiant in the brightness | of your God! Christ has conquered! | Glory fills you! Darkness vani | -shes forever!

## With high delight, let us unite, in songs of great jubilation!

Rejoice, O Mother Church! Ex | -ult in glory!

The risen Saviour | shines upon you!

Let this place re | -sound with joy,

echoing the mighty song of | all God's people!

## With high delight, let us unite, in songs of great jubilation!

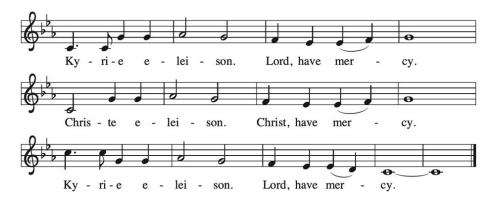
Christ is risen! Alleluia!
Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Gathering Song - Jesus Christ Is Risen Today # 365 (ELW)

## Greeting

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.** 

## Kyrie



## Hymn of Praise



## Prayer of the Day

Let us pray.

God of mercy, we no longer look for Jesus among the dead, for he is alive and has become the Lord of life. Increase in our minds and hearts the risen life we share with Christ, and help us to grow as your people toward the fullness of eternal life with you, through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen** 

## WORD God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

First Reading – Isaiah 65:17-25

<sup>17</sup> I am about to create new heavens and a new earth;

the former things shall not be remembered or come to mind.

<sup>18</sup> But be glad and rejoice forever in what I am creating;

for I am about to create Jerusalem as a joy, and its people as a delight.

<sup>19</sup> I will rejoice in Jerusalem, and delight in my people;

no more shall the sound of weeping be heard in it, or the cry of distress.

<sup>20</sup> No more shall there be in it an infant that lives but a few days,

or an old person who does not live out a lifetime;

for one who dies at a hundred years will be considered a youth,

and one who falls short of a hundred will be considered accursed.

<sup>21</sup>They shall build houses and inhabit them; they shall plant vineyards and eat their fruit.

<sup>22</sup> They shall not build and another inhabit; they shall not plant and another eat;

for like the days of a tree shall the days of my people be, and my chosen shall long enjoy the work of their hands.

<sup>23</sup> They shall not labor in vain, or bear children for calamity;

for they shall be offspring blessed by the LORD—and their descendants as well.

<sup>24</sup> Before they call I will answer, while they are yet speaking I will hear.

<sup>25</sup> The wolf and the lamb shall feed together, the lion shall eat straw like the ox; but the serpent—its food shall be dust! They shall not hurt or destroy on all my holy mountain, says the LORD.

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm: Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24



This is the day that the LORD has made; let us re-joice and be glad in it.

- <sup>1</sup> Give thanks to the LORD, for the | LORD is good; God's mercy en- | dures forever.
- <sup>2</sup>Let Israel | now declare, "God's mercy en- | dures forever."
- <sup>14</sup>The LORD is my strength | and my song, and has become | my salvation.
- <sup>15</sup> Shouts of rejoicing and salvation echo in the tents | of the righteous:

"The right hand of the | LORD acts valiantly!

- The right hand of the LORD is exalted!

  The right hand of the | LORD acts valiantly!"
- <sup>17</sup> I shall not | die, but live, and declare the works | of the LORD. R



This is the day that the LORD has made; let us re-joice and be glad in it.

- <sup>18</sup> The LORD indeed pun- | ished me sorely, but did not hand me o- | ver to death.
- <sup>19</sup> Open for me the | gates of righteousness; I will enter them and give thanks | to the LORD.
- <sup>20</sup> "This is the gate | of the LORD; here the righ- | teous may enter."
- <sup>21</sup> I give thanks to you, for you have | answered me and you have become | my salvation. R
- <sup>22</sup> The stone that the build- | ers rejected has become the chief | cornerstone.
- <sup>23</sup> By the LORD has | this been done; it is marvelous | in our eyes.
- <sup>24</sup> This is the day that the | LORD has made; let us rejoice and be | glad in it. **R**

### Second Reading – Acts 10:34-43

34 Peter began to speak to [the people]: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, 35 but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. <sup>36</sup> You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. 37 That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: 38 how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. <sup>39</sup> We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; 40 but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, 41 not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. 42 He commanded us to

preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. <sup>43</sup> All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

Word of God, word of life.

#### Thanks be to God.

## **Gospel Acclamation**



Gospel Reading – *Luke 24:1-12* 

The holy gospel according to Luke.

#### Glory to you, O Lord.

¹On the first day of the week, at early dawn, [the women] came to the tomb, taking the spices that they had prepared. ²They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, ³but when they went in, they did not find the body. ⁴While they were perplexed about this, suddenly two men in dazzling clothes stood beside them. ⁵The women were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, "Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen. ⁶Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, ¬that the Son of Man must be handed over to sinners, and be crucified, and on the third day rise again." §Then they remembered his words, 9 and returning from the tomb, they told all this to the eleven and to all the

rest. <sup>10</sup> Now it was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the other women with them who told this to the apostles. <sup>11</sup> But these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. <sup>12</sup> But Peter got up and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; then he went home, amazed at what had happened.

The gospel of Christ. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.** 

Homily

Hymn of the Day – **Thine Is the Glory** #376 (ELW)

Apostles' Creed

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 to the dead. 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.

## **Prayers of Intercession**

On this day of resurrection joy, let us offer our prayers for ourselves, our neighbours, and our world.

A brief silence.

Renewing God, the good news of your resurrection changed the world. Give church leaders and all the baptized the same excitement as the women at the tomb and inspire us to share your abundant life. Merciful God,

## receive our prayer.

Sustaining God, your creation abounds with signs of new life in budding trees and newborn creatures. Provide fertile soil, ample sunlight, and nourishing rain for the growth of plants, and provide farmers and gardeners with a plentiful harvest. Merciful God,

## receive our prayer.

Sheltering God, strengthen and sustain all who support vulnerable people. Empower government agencies and international organizations that provide for refugees and migrants forced to leave their homelands. We pray especially for the work of the Primates World Relief and Development Fund, for Canadian Lutheran World Relief, and for their partners throughout the world. Merciful God, **receive our prayer.** 

Encouraging God, you do a new thing among us. We pray for those gripped by fear and anxiety or who suffer in any way. Send us as your healing presence to places of hunger, pain, illness, or overwhelming sorrow. We pray especially for those who desire our prayers: Chris, Irene, and Jacquie; Dale, Benito, Isa, Elisabeth, and Bill; and those we remember before you in our hearts... Merciful God, **receive our prayer.** 

Surprising God, you offer endless ways for us to delight in your grace. Give us, the people of All Saints, a sense of joy and wonder in exploring new avenues of faith formation, worship, and discipleship. We pray especially for our sisters in faith, Matzi King and Erica Artuso, as they mark their baptismal anniversaries this week, giving thanks for their witness of faith among us. Merciful God,

receive our prayer.

Resurrecting God, you make us alive in Christ. Thank you for blessing us with faithful witnesses who now rest in you. Merciful God,

receive our prayer.

We offer to you these petitions and those we carry in our hearts, trusting in your abundant and ever-present mercy. **Amen.** 

Peace

The peace of Christ be with you always **And also with you.** 

# MEAL God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

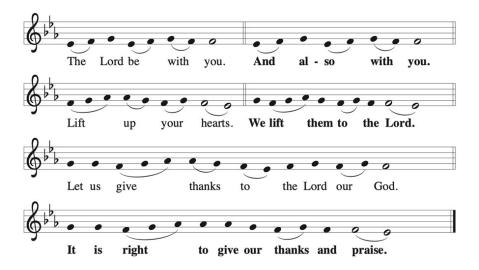
Offertory: As We Gather at Your Table # 61 (CP) verse 1 only

Offering Prayer

Let us pray:

Living God, you gather the wolf and the lamb to feed together in your peaceable reign, and you welcome us all to your table. Reach out to us through this meal, and show us your wounded and risen body, that we may be nourished and believe in Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord. **Amen** 

## **Great Thanksgiving**



#### **Preface**

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Saviour Jesus Christ; who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.

And so, with all the choirs of angels.

And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

#### Sanctus



## **Eucharistic Prayer**

O God most high, O God most merciful, O God our rock and our salvation:

Hear us as we pray, call us to your table, grant us your life.

When the world was a formless void, you formed order and beauty.

When Abraham and Sarah were barren,

you sent them a child giving them hope for eternal life.

When the Israelites were enslaved, you led them to freedom.

Ruth faced starvation, **David fought with Goliath,**the psalmists cried out for healing, **and full of compassion, you granted your people your life.** 

You entered our sorrows in Jesus our brother. He was born among the poor, lived under oppression, wept over the city,

and with infinite love,

granted the people your life.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, gave thanks, broke it and gave it to his disciples saying: Take and eat. This is my body given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks and gave it for all to drink saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Remembering his death, we cry: Amen. **Amen.** Celebrating his resurrection, we shout: Amen! **Amen!** Trusting in his presence in every time and every place, we plead: Amen. **Amen.** 

O God, you are Breath: Send your Spirit on this meal.

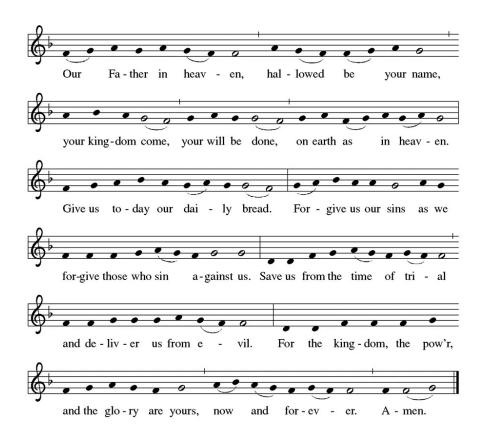
O God, you are Bread: Feed us.

O God, you are Wine: **Warm our hearts and make us one.** 

O God, you are Fire: **Transform us with hope.** 

O God most majestic, O God most motherly, O God our strength and our song, you show us a vision of a tree of life with fruits for all and leaves that heal the nations. Grant us such life, the life of the Father to the Son, the life of the Spirit of our risen Saviour, life in you, now and forever. **Amen** 

## Lord's Prayer

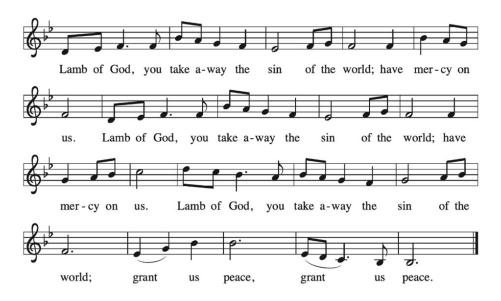


#### **Invitation to Communion**

The risen Christ dwells with us here. Come, all who hunger.

Thanks be to God!

## **Communion Hymns**



**Choir Anthem** 

In Remembrance, Eleanor Daley

Who Is There on This Easter Morning # 229 (CP)
Now the Green Blade Rises" # 237 (CP)

## **Table Blessing**

May the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen, keep, and unite us now and forever.

#### Amen

The blessing of the God of life be ours. The blessing of the loving Christ be ours. The blessing of the Holy Spirit be ours, to cherish us, to help us, to make us holy.

Post-Communion Canticle - As We Gather at Your Table # 61 (CP) verse 2 only

### **Post-Communion Prayer**

Life-giving God, in the mystery of Christ's resurrection you send light to conquer darkness, water to give new life, and the bread of life to nourish your people. Send us forth as witnesses to the resurrection, that we may show your glory to all the world, through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord. **Amen.** 

#### Announcements

#### **SENDING**

## God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

#### Benediction

Because the tomb is empty your life can be full, so go into every place and every day as people brimming with the love of God.

Be graceful in spirit, hopeful in word, faithful in deed.

Live for the risen Christ as Christ lives in you.

Alleluia and Amen!

Amen!

## Sending Song – Christ Is Risen! Alleluia! # 382 (CP)

## Dismissal

Christ is risen. Alleluia!

Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Go in peace. Tell what God has done.

Thanks be to God.

Postlude - Alleluyas, Simon Preston

Please take this bulletin home with you for recycling. Thank you

#### **Announcements and Information**

### We pray for:

**ACC:** The Most Rev. Anne Germond, Archbishop, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of Algoma

**ELCIC:** The congregations of the Southern Manitoba area

of the Manitoba-Northwestern Ontario Synod

ACC/ELCIC: Climate justice and healthy relationships

with the earth

Altar Guild for April: Thank you to Laura B Mann and Sheila Chappel

*Easter Lilies and other flowers:* Thank you to everyone who made a donation in memory of loved ones and friends to help decorate the church today.

**Connections:** The deadline for submissions for the May issue is **today.** Please email items to Christine Morrison at <a href="mailto:cjmorrison263@gmail.com">cjmorrison263@gmail.com</a>

**Women of Faith:** Next meeting is Wednesday April 20, 2022 at noon in Rose Head Hall. Please bring your own bag lunch. Everyone is welcome to attend.

*Silvercreek Community Market:* Thank you for supporting the food drive this week. We are still in need of peanut butter and breakfast cereal.

**Support for Ukraine:** Thank you for your support of CLWR's emergency appeal for Ukraine. Your gifts have helped CLWR partners provide direct support to over 578,000 people since the crisis began. Find out more about how your gifts are helping at <a href="https://www.clwr.org/product/E-104/ukraine-crisis">https://www.clwr.org/product/E-104/ukraine-crisis</a>. and please continue to join us in praying for peace.

PWRDF: <a href="https://pwrdf.org/give-today/">https://pwrdf.org/give-today/</a>; you will see the link to the **Response in Ukraine** 

Please remember to check your mailboxes for offering envelopes. Offerings can be left in the trays at the back of the pews, we are not yet able to pass offering plates. Thank you for your support.

## LOOKING AHEAD: April 18 – April 24

Tuesday 19	10:00 am	Council Executive Meeting
	6:30 p.m.	Confirmation Class Parlour
Wednesday 20	9:00 a.m.	Announcements due to Office
	12:00 p.m.	Women of Faith Rose Head Hall
Thursday 21	9:30 am - 3:30 pm	Silvercreek Community Market Rose Head Hall
	7:00 p.m.	Choir Practice Nave
Sunday 24	8:30 a.m.	Easter 2 Holy Communion - Nave
	10:00 a.m.	Easter 2 Holy Communion - Nave

## **Organist**

Peter West

#### **Staff**

Michele Altermann, Administrative Assistant

#### **Church Office Hours**

Tuesday – Friday from 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

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