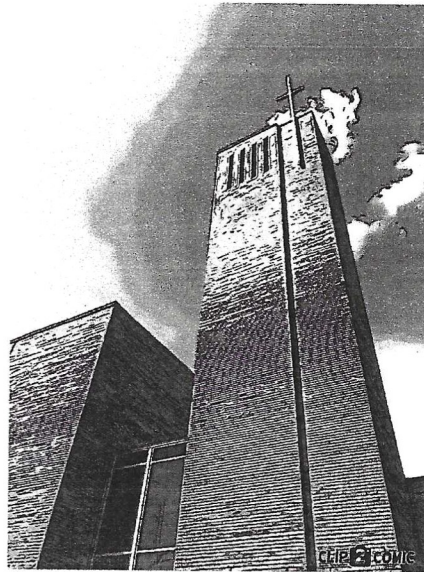


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**+Order of Service+**  
May 15, 2022  
**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**  
Setting 4  
LSB 203

Opening Hymn: **Love Divine, All Loves Excelling** LSB 700

Sacrament of Holy Baptism LSB 268

Reception of New Members

Confession and Absolution LSB 204

Kyrie and Gloria in Excelsis LSB 204

**First Reading:** Acts 11:1-18

**Epistle:** Revelation 21:1-7

**Holy Gospel:** John 16:12-22

Creed

Hymn of the Day: **At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing** LSB 633

Sermon

Offering

Prayers of the Church

Communion Liturgy LSB 208

Distribution Hymns:

**I Know that My Redeemer Lives** LSB 461

**Here, O My Lord, I See Thee Face to Face** LSB 631

**O Living Bread from Heaven** LSB 642

Nunc Dimittis LSB 211

Concluding Liturgy LSB 212

Closing Hymn: **He Is Arisen! Glorious Word** LSB 488

**May 8, 2022 Of Our Time: 117 Communion: 100**

**Giving: \$ 3,645.10**

**First Reading****Acts 11:1-18**

Now the apostles and the brothers who were throughout Judea heard that the Gentiles also had received the word of God. (2) So when Peter went up to Jerusalem, the circumcision party criticized him, saying, (3) "You went to uncircumcised men and ate with them." (4) But Peter began and explained it to them in order: (5) "I was in the city of Joppa praying, and in a trance I saw a vision, something like a great sheet descending, being let down from heaven by its four corners, and it came down to me. (6) Looking at it closely, I observed animals and beasts of prey and reptiles and birds of the air. (7) And I heard a voice saying to me, 'Rise, Peter; kill and eat.' (8) But I said, 'By no means, Lord; for nothing common or unclean has ever entered my mouth.' (9) But the voice answered a second time from heaven, 'What God has made clean, do not call common.' (10) This happened three times, and all was drawn up again into heaven. (11) And behold, at that very moment three men arrived at the house in which we were, sent to me from Caesarea. (12) And the Spirit told me to go with them, making no distinction. These six brothers also accompanied me, and we entered the man's house. (13) And he told us how he had seen the angel stand in his house and say, 'Send to Joppa and bring Simon who is called Peter; (14) he will declare to you a message by which you will be saved, you and all your household.' (15) As I began to speak, the Holy Spirit fell on them just as on us at the beginning. (16) And I remembered the word of the Lord, how he said, 'John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.' (17) If then God gave the same gift to them as he gave to us when we believed in the Lord Jesus Christ, who was I that I could stand in God's way?" (18) When they heard these things they fell silent. And they glorified God, saying, "Then to the Gentiles also God has granted repentance that leads to life."

**Epistle****Revelation 21:1-7**

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. (2) And I saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. (3) And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man. He will dwell with them, and they will be his people, and God himself will be with them as their God. (4) He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away." (5) And he who was seated on the throne said, "Behold, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true." (6) And he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give from the spring of the water of life without payment. (7) The one who conquers will have this heritage, and I will be his God and he will be my son."

**Gospel****John 16:12-22**

"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. (13) When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. (14) He will glorify me, for he will take what is mine and declare it to you. (15) All that the Father has is mine; therefore I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you. (16) "A little while, and you will see me no longer; and again a little while, and you will see me." (17) So some of his disciples said to one

**Introit** Ps. 98:2-6; antiphon: Ps. 98:1

Oh sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done | marvelous things!

His right hand and his holy arm have worked salva- | tion for him.

The LORD has made known his sal- | vation;

he has revealed his righteousness in the sight of the | nations.

He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of | Israel.

All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation | of our God.

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, | all the earth;

break forth into joyous song and sing | praises!

Sing praises to the LORD | with the lyre,

with the lyre and the sound of | melody!

With trumpets and the sound | of the horn

make a joyful noise before the | King, the LORD!

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\*

and to the Holy | Spirit;

as it was in the be- | ginning,\*

is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

Oh sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done | marvelous things!

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**YOUR DAILY PRAYERS REMEMBER.:**

+ The family of **Darlene Brummond** who fell asleep in Jesus' arms last Tuesday evening.

May the living Lord Jesus comfort all who mourn.

+ **Emery Armbrust** who has finished her chemo treatments and is in remission. Thank you, God, for her healing.

+ **Alania Jans**, great-niece of Cindi Riewe, who was diagnosed with Leukemia last Tuesday. May the Lord care for her through her medical team in Sioux Falls.

+ **Norman Wiederhoeft, Pastor Fretham, Mel Breitbarth, Terry Bentele, Arlys Halverson, Brandi Stohs, Cliff Dobie, Marlen Halverson, Gloria Drevlow, Marsha Miller, Carol Ritz, Bea Schultz, Richard Gottschalk, Larye Anderson, Engel Dougherty, Shari Voit**, who face prolonged illnesses. May the Lord's grace be their strength in their weakness.

+ **Our Shut-Ins: RoseMary Kasten, Janis Olson, June Mausling, Dallas & Wendy Becker, Mary Breitbarth.** May the Lord comfort them in their old age.

+ **Our Servicemen: Mike Hintz, Lance Halverson, Josh Rusert, Duane Cox, Andrew Reed, Cade Hotzler.** May the Lord protect them as they serve us.

another, "What is this that he says to us, 'A little while, and you will not see me, and again a little while, and you will see me'; and, 'because I am going to the Father'?" (18) So they were saying, "What does he mean by 'a little while'? We do not know what he is talking about." (19) Jesus knew that they wanted to ask him, so he said to them, "Is this what you are asking yourselves, what I meant by saying, 'A little while and you will not see me, and again a little while and you will see me'?" (20) Truly, truly, I say to you, you will weep and lament, but the world will rejoice. You will be sorrowful, but your sorrow will turn into joy. (21) When a woman is giving birth, she has sorrow because her hour has come, but when she has delivered the baby, she no longer remembers the anguish, for joy that a human being has been born into the world. (22) So also you have sorrow now, but I will see you again, and your hearts will rejoice, and no one will take your joy from you.

**Baptized Into Christ: Everett Allen Schwichtenberg.** Everett is the son of Jared and Shannon Schwichtenberg. Everett was born April 25, 2022, he is reborn this morning by God's grace in Christ Jesus in Holy Baptism. His baptismal sponsor is Ashlyn Gose.. May we rejoice to see God's kingdom come through Holy Baptism welcoming Everett as a member of our congregation and Christ's body.

**DR, MICHEAL ZEIGLER** outlines five principles to help us better hear what Scripture is saying. Next week listen to Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler message: "What the Bible Is For" (1 Timothy 4:13) on WCCO (830): 6.05 AM, KSUM (1370): 11:00 AM. Today's message: "What the Bible Is About" (1 Corinthians 15:3-5).

**NO WOMEN'S BIBLE** Study on Tuesday, May 17<sup>th</sup>.

**THANK YOU TO** all the members who came out on Friday night for the musical. Your support is greatly appreciated!

**IT'S LUTHERAN WITNESS** sign up time again. The cost for the year is \$ 19.68. Please let the office know if you would like to order a subscription by Sunday, May 29<sup>th</sup>. Payment is due when you order.

**THE SALAD LUNCHEON** is back! Mark your calendars for Wednesday, July 13<sup>th</sup>. Many people have been asking when it will return. Look through your recipes and pick out a favorite. Those wishing to help or donate can call Elaine Armstrong 507-848-5001

**MOMENTS HOSPICE PRESENTATION** on Thursday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at the Truman Library at 2:00 PM.. This presentation is free and will give information on Hospice.

## THIS WEEK'S EVENTS AT ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL

Sun.,	May	15	9:00	Divine Service & Holy Communion
			10:15	Sunday School & Adult Bible Study
Mon.,	May	16	7:00	PTL
Tues.,	May	17	10:00	Chapel
				Women's Bible Study
Wed.,	May	18	4:45-5:45	after school Confirmation
Thurs.,	May	19	9:30	Ladies Quilting
Sun.,	May	22	9:00	Divine Service & Holy Communion
				His Kids sing
				Graduation Recognition
			10:30-12:30	Silent Auction Bidding
			11:00-1:00	Lunch - Free will offering
			10:30 - 1:00	Games
			12:00	Raffle Drawings
			1:00	Check out

**Organists:** 05/15 Chris 05/22 Sylvia 05/27 Sylvia

05/15 Lonnie Smith, Elliot Belgard, Randy Miller, Glenn Kubly


05/22 Larry Hintz, Jeff Hoppe, Lowell Boesch, Ken Urban

05/27 Scott Halverson, Randy Miller, John Matasovsky, Skip Henton, Wade Krenz, Gerald Urban, Ken Urban

### Our Visitors

We welcome you to the Divine Service. May the Lord Jesus bless you through His Word preached, spoken, sung and given in the Sacraments. We believe that the Bible is the Word of God and therefore it is without error. We believe that Jesus Christ is true God, together with the Father and the Holy Spirit. Further, we believe that Jesus Christ atoned for all the world's sins and that we are saved alone by God's undeserved love. Scripture teaches that God declared the whole world to be righteous in Christ's crucifixion and resurrection. For Christ's sake He justifies those who believe in Jesus and trust in God's forgiveness in the blood of The Crucified One.

### Holy Communion

 Scripture declares that in the Sacrament of the Altar each communicant receives the body and blood of Christ to eat and to drink with the mouth of their bodies. Communicants who believe this receive forgiveness of sins, those who don't eat and drink judgement unto themselves. Communion also is a confession of oneness of the Faith we are baptized into, is preached in our pulpit, and summarized in the Small Catechism. Sadly, since these clear doctrines of The Holy Bible are not accepted by all Christian denominations, we continue the historic Christian practice of Closed Communion. **We request that anyone who is not a communicant member of the LC-MS please speak with our Pastor or an elder before the service and join our congregation in singing hymns during the distribution. Membership classes are offered.**