

(Please Be Seated)  
**Distribution Hymns** [LSB 644, 680, 919, 605, and 610]  
 (Please stand)  
**Thank The Lord** [LSB 164]  
**Post Communion Collect** [LSB 166]  
**Benediction** [LSB 166]  
**Sharing of the Peace**  
 (Please Be Seated)  
**Closing Hymn** "Christ The Lord Is Risen Today; Alleluia" [LSB 463]

### To God Be The Glory!

#### Calendar of Events

##### **Monday, April 24th**

Pastor out of the office

##### **Tuesday, April 25th**

Pastor vacation

2:00pm.....LWML

##### **Wednesday, April 26th**

Pastor vacation

2:30pm.....School of Religion skating party

##### **Thursday, April 27th**

Pastor vacation

##### **Friday, April 28th**

Pastor vacation

##### **Saturday, April 29th**

Pastor vacation

7:00am.....Men's Bible Breakfast

##### **Sunday, April 30th**

Pastor vacation

8:00am..... Non Communion Worship

9:15am...Adult bible study & Sunday School

10:30am .....Non Communion Worship

#### Attendance Records 4/16-4/22

Sunday Early Service.....50

Adult Bible Study.....17

Sunday Late Service.....87

School of Religion.....19

Confirmation.....4

#### Serving in God's House

##### **April 23rd**

Elder on duty	Fritz Hubert
Organist	Charlene Pfanstiel
Audio	Harold Carlson
Greeter	Nancy Rippen
Greeter	
Usher	Eugene Custer
Lay Reader	Jerry Calvin
Acolyte	Layton Hinz
Acolyte	
Powerpoint	Harold Carlson
<b>Late Service</b>	
Greeter	Pat Penner
Greeter	
Usher	Curt Swanhorst
Lay Reader	Curt Swanhorst
Acolyte	Hunter Kunkee
Acolyte	
Powerpoint	Gary Hunkins
Live Stream	Blayzon Mooney

##### **April 30th**

Elder on duty	Curt/Phil
Organist	
Audio	NEED VOLUNTEER
Greeter	Sue Carlson
Greeter	Harold Carlson
Usher	Gene Meints
Lay Reader	Blayzon Mooney
Acolyte	Ryker Mooney
Acolyte	
Powerpoint	
<b>Late Service</b>	
Greeter	Karen Berry
Greeter	
Usher	Steve Post
Lay Reader	Harold Carlson
Acolyte	Brooklyn Tidyman
Acolyte	Lexi Koetter
Powerpoint	NEED VOLUNTEER
Live Stream	Ryland Peters

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## Worship Service Bulletin

Pastor Lonnie Felcher

April 23, 2023

The Third Sunday of Easter

*Welcome!* Here at Peace Lutheran Church, our mission is to share with loving concern, the true Word and gracious love of God with one another, our community, and our world.

*May God bless you this morning as you worship with us.*



#### Communion Sunday

##### **The Service of Holy Communion**

We practice the custom of the church since the time of the apostles that those who are instructed and have confirmed their faith in the common faith with us and are able to examine themselves about their relationship with God and with fellow believers, may commune with us. For others, we gladly welcome them to a period of instruction so that they may openly profess their unity of faith in their participation of the Lord's Supper with us. If you are unable to go to the altar, please let an usher know and the Pastor will bring the Lord's Supper to your pew. Please sit close to any one of the three aisles in the church. Our Savior's wish is that all Christians receive His Body and Blood often. Peace offers gluten-free communion wafers for those who are protein/gluten intolerant or who may have a wheat allergy. Simply notify Pastor during communion if you desire the gluten-free wafer.

## Divine Worship Service Setting 1

**Opening Hymn** “*Christ The Lord Is Risen Today*” [LSB 469]

**Confession and Absolution** [LSB 151]

**Introit** *Psalm 133; antiphon: v. 1*

Behold, how good and pleasant it is

**when brothers dwell in unity!**

It is like the precious oil on the head, running down on the beard, on the beard of Aaron,

**running down on the collar of his robes!**

It is like the dew of Hermon, which falls on the mountains of Zion!

**For there the LORD has commanded the blessing, life forevermore.**

**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.**

Behold, how good and pleasant it is

**when brothers dwell in unity!**

**Kyrie** [LSB 152]

**This Is The Feast** [LSB 155]

**Salutation and Collect of the Day** [LSB 156]

*(Please be seated)*

**First Reading**

*Acts 2:14a, 36–41*

<sup>14</sup>Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them, . . . <sup>36</sup>Let all the house of Israel therefore know for certain that God has made him both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified.”

<sup>37</sup>Now when they heard this they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, “Brothers, what shall we do?” <sup>38</sup>And Peter said to them, “Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. <sup>39</sup>For the promise is for you and for your children and for all who are far off, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to himself.” <sup>40</sup>And with many other words he bore witness and continued to exhort them, saying, “Save yourselves from this crooked generation.” <sup>41</sup>So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls.

**Second Reading**

*1 Peter 1:17–25*

<sup>17</sup>If you call on him as Father who judges impartially according to each one’s deeds, conduct yourselves with fear throughout the time of your exile, <sup>18</sup>knowing that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your forefathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold, <sup>19</sup>but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot. <sup>20</sup>He was foreknown before the foundation of the world but was made manifest in the last times for your sake, <sup>21</sup>who through him are believers in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are in God.

<sup>22</sup>Having purified your souls by your obedience to the truth for a sincere brotherly love, love one another earnestly from a pure heart, <sup>23</sup>since you have been born again, not of perishable seed but of imperishable, through the living and abiding word of God; <sup>24</sup>for

“All flesh is like grass

and all its glory like the flower of grass.

The grass withers,

and the flower falls,

<sup>25</sup>but the word of the Lord remains forever.”

And this word is the good news that was preached to you.

*(Please stand)*

**Alleluia and Verse** [LSB 156]

**Holy Gospel**

*Luke 24:13-35*

<sup>13</sup>That very day two of them were going to a village named Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem, <sup>14</sup>and they were talking with each other about all these things that had happened. <sup>15</sup>While they were talking and discussing together, Jesus himself drew near and went with them. <sup>16</sup>But their eyes were kept from recognizing him. <sup>17</sup>And he said to them, “What is this conversation that you are holding with each other as you walk?” And they stood still, looking sad. <sup>18</sup>Then one of them, named Cleopas, answered him, “Are you the only visitor to Jerusalem who does not know the things that have happened there in these days?” <sup>19</sup>And he said to them, “What things?” And they said to him, “Concerning Jesus of Nazareth, a man who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, <sup>20</sup>and how our chief priests and rulers delivered him up to be condemned to death, and crucified him. <sup>21</sup>But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel. Yes, and besides all this, it is now the third day since these things happened. <sup>22</sup>Moreover, some women of our company amazed us. They were at the tomb early in the morning, <sup>23</sup>and when they did not find his body, they came back saying that they had even seen a vision of angels, who said that he was alive. <sup>24</sup>Some of those who were with us went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said, but him they did not see.” <sup>25</sup>And he said to them, “O foolish ones, and slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have spoken! <sup>26</sup>Was it not necessary that the Christ should suffer these things and enter into his glory?” <sup>27</sup>And beginning with Moses and all the Prophets, he interpreted to them in all the Scriptures the things concerning himself.

<sup>28</sup>So they drew near to the village to which they were going. He acted as if he were going farther, <sup>29</sup>but they urged him strongly, saying, “Stay with us, for it is toward evening and the day is now far spent.” So he went in to stay with them. <sup>30</sup>When he was at table with them, he took the bread and blessed and broke it and gave it to them. <sup>31</sup>And their eyes were opened, and they recognized him. And he vanished from their sight. <sup>32</sup>They said to each other, “Did not our hearts burn within us while he talked to us on the road, while he opened to us the Scriptures?” <sup>33</sup>And they rose that same hour and returned to Jerusalem. And they found the eleven and those who were with them gathered together, <sup>34</sup>saying, “The Lord has risen indeed, and has appeared to Simon!” <sup>35</sup>Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he was known to them in the breaking of the bread.

*(Please be seated)*

**Children’s Message**

**Hymn of the Day** “*Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen*” [LSB 474]

**Meditation**

*(Please stand)*

**Nicene Creed** [LSB 158]

**Prayer of the Church**

**Offertory** [LSB 159]

**Service of the Sacrament** [LSB 160]