# Today's Message

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# **Apostles' Creed Prayer of the Church**

(Please be seated)

## Offertory

(Please stand)

Lord's Prayer **Benediction** 

**Sharing of the Peace** 

(Please be seated)

Closing Hymn "I Will Follow"

Postlude "I Could Sing Of Your Love Forever"

To God Be The Glory!

## **Calendar of Events**

#### Monday, May 16th

Pastor out of the office

7:00pm.......Women's Bible Study

## Tuesday, May 17th

6:30pm..... Board Of Elders 7:00pm......Church Council

Wednesday, May 18th

Thursday, May 19th

Friday, May 20th

Saturday, May 21st

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

# Sunday, May 22nd

8:00am.....Communion Worship 9:15am.....Confirmation reception 10:30am ...... Communion Worship

# Attendance Record 5/8-5/14

Sunday Early Service50
Bible Study24
Sunday Late Service90
Preschool Graduation208

# Serving in God's House

#### May 15th

Elder on duty Harold Carlson Organist K. C. Eckhardt Audio Paul Sellers Greeter Elaine Polly Greeter Jeff Polly Eugene Custer Usher Lay Reader Randon Peters Acolyte Aaron Nielsen

Acolyte

Powerpoint Tina Cummins

Late Service

Greeter Donna Hall Greeter Jim Hall Usher Ben Schow Lay Reader Sarah Risenhoover

Brooklynn Tidyman

Acolyte Acolyte

Powerpoint

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#### May 22nd

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Elder on duty Fritz Hubert K.C. Eckhardt Organist Audio Harold Carlson Greeter Nancy Rippen Greeter Usher Eugene Custer Jerry Calvin Lay Reader Acolyte Cale DeWester Acolyte Harold Carlson Powerpoint Late Service Greeter Pat Penner Greeter Usher Curt Swanhorst Russ Ankersen Lay Reader Acolyte Juliett Critfield Acolyte Powerpoint Gary Hunkins

**Ryland Peters** 



May 15, 2022 The Fifth Sunday of Easter

elcome! 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.



### **Blended Worship**

**Prelude** "Come Let Us Worship And Bow Down"

**Opening Hymn** "Blessed Be your Name"

(Please stand)

Invocation

**Confession And Absolution** 

Introit

Psalm 98:2-6; antiphon: v. 1

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

His right hand and his holy arm have worked salvation for him.

The LORD has made known his salvation;

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 beginning,

is now, and will be forever. Amen.

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

Acts 11:1-18

His right hand and his holy arm have worked salvation for him.

Gloria In Excelsis

Collect Of The Day

(Please be seated)

First Reading

<sup>1</sup>Now the apostles and the brothers who were throughout Judea heard that the Gentiles also had received the word of God. <sup>2</sup>So when Peter went up to Jerusalem, the circumcision party criticized him, saying, 3"You went to uncircumcised men and ate with them." 4But 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. <sup>6</sup>Looking at it closely, I observed animals and beasts of prey and reptiles and birds of the air. <sup>7</sup>And I heard a voice saying to me, 'Rise, Peter; kill and eat.' <sup>8</sup>But I said, 'By no means, Lord; for nothing common or unclean has ever entered my mouth.' <sup>9</sup>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. <sup>13</sup>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; 14he 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. <sup>16</sup>And I remembered the word of the Lord, how he said, 'John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.' <sup>17</sup>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?" <sup>18</sup>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

<sup>1</sup>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. <sup>2</sup>And I saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. <sup>3</sup>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. <sup>4</sup>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."

<sup>5</sup>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." <sup>6</sup>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. <sup>7</sup>The one who conquers will have this heritage, and I will be his God and he will be my son."

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Alleluia Verse "Seek Ye First"

Holy Gospel John 16:12-22

<sup>12</sup>[Jesus said:] "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. <sup>13</sup>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. <sup>14</sup>He will glorify me, for he will take what is mine and declare it to you. <sup>15</sup>All that the Father has is mine; therefore I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

18" A little while, and you will see me no longer; and again a little while, and you will see me." 17So some of his disciples said to one 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'?" 18So they were saying, "What does he mean by 'a little while'? We do not know what he is talking about." 19Jesus 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'? 20Truly, 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. 21When 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. 22So 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."

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Children's Message

**Hymn of the Day** "Lord, Take My Hand And Lead Me"