



The Third Sunday of Easter

April 19, 2026

8:00am & 10:00am

Holy Eucharist

St. Luke's Episcopal Church

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Our Vision Statement

We are an open, Christ-centered community, caring for each other, and doing God's work in the world.

The office is open Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 9AM-1PM and on Thursday 3-5PM



GATHERING RITE

Processional Hymn

Sing, ye faithful, sing

Hymn 492

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Jesus Christ our Lord



1 Sing, ye faith - ful, sing with glad - ness, wake your no - blest,
2 Sing how he came forth from hea - ven, bowed him-self to
3 So, he tast - ed death for mor - tals, he, of hu - man -
4 Now on high, yet ev - er with us, from his Fa - ther's



sweet - est strain, with the prais - es of your Sa - vior
Beth - lehem's cave, stooped to wear the ser - vant's ves - ture,
kind the head, sin - less one, a - mong the sin - ful,
throne the Son rules and guides the world he ran - somed,



let his house re - sound a - gain; him let all your
bore the pain, the cross, the grave, passed with - in the
Prince of life, a - mong the dead; thus he wrought the
till the ap - point - ed work be done, till he see, re -



mu - sic hon - or, and your songs ex - alt his reign.
gates of dark - ness, thence his ban - ished ones to save.
full re - demp - tion, and the cap - tor cap - tive led.
newed and per - fect, all things gath - ered in - to one.

Words: John Ellerton (1826-1893), alt.

Music: *Finnian*, Christopher Dearnley (b. 1930)

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Presider: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

People: **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

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

People: **Amen**

Gloria in Excelsis

Hymn S278



Glo - ry to God in the high-est, and peace to his peo - ple on earth. Lord God,
 heaven - ly King, al - migh - ty God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we give you thanks, we
 praise you for your glo - ry. Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther,
 Lord God, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy on us;
 you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer.
 For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord, you a - lone are the
 Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of
 God the Fa - ther. A - men.

Presider: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you**

Presider: Let us pray.

The Collect of the Day

O God, whose blessed Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread: Open the eyes of our faith, that we may behold him in all his redeeming work; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

LITURGY OF THE WORD

The First Lesson

A Reading from the Book of Acts

Acts 2:14a,36-41

Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd, “Let the entire house of Israel know with certainty that God has made him both Lord and Messiah, this Jesus whom you crucified.”

Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and to the other apostles, “Brothers, what should we do?” Peter said to them, “Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ so that

your sins may be forgiven; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is for you, for your children, and for all who are far away, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to him.” And he testified with many other arguments and exhorted them, saying, “Save yourselves from this corrupt generation.” So those who welcomed his message were baptized, and that day about three thousand persons were added.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE PSALM

Psalm 116:1-3, 10-17

Dilexi, quoniam

- 1 I love the Lord, because he has heard the voice of my supplication, *
because he has inclined his ear to me whenever I called upon him.
- 2 The cords of death entangled me; the grip of the grave took hold of me; *
I came to grief and sorrow.
- 3 Then I called upon the Name of the Lord: *
"O Lord, I pray you, save my life."
- 10 How shall I repay the Lord *
for all the good things he has done for me?
- 11 I will lift up the cup of salvation *
and call upon the Name of the Lord.
- 12 I will fulfill my vows to the Lord *
in the presence of all his people.
- 13 Precious in the sight of the Lord *
is the death of his servants.
- 14 O Lord, I am your servant; *
I am your servant and the child of your handmaid; you have freed me from my bonds.
- 15 I will offer you the sacrifice of thanksgiving *
and call upon the Name of the Lord.
- 16 I will fulfill my vows to the Lord *
in the presence of all his people,
- 17 In the courts of the Lord's house, *
in the midst of you, O Jerusalem.
Hallelujah!

THE SECOND LESSON

A Reading from St Peter's first letter

1 Peter 1:17-23

If you invoke as Father the one who judges all people impartially according to their deeds, live in reverent fear during the time of your exile. You know that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your ancestors, not with perishable things like silver or gold, but with the precious blood of Christ, like that

of a lamb without defect or blemish. He was destined before the foundation of the world, but was revealed at the end of the ages for your sake. Through him you have come to trust in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are set on God.

Now that you have purified your souls by your obedience to the truth so that you have genuine mutual love, love one another deeply from the heart. You have been born anew, not of perishable but of imperishable seed, through the living and enduring word of God.

Lector: The Word of the Lord

People: **Thanks be to God**

Sequence Hymn

Earth and all stars

Hymn 412

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Praise to God



1	Earth and all	stars,	loud rush - ing	plan - ets,	sing to the
2	Hail, wind, and	rain,	loud blow - ing	snow - storms,	sing to the
3	Trum - pet and	pipes,	loud clash - ing	cym - bals,	sing to the
4	En - gines and	steel,	loud pound - ing	ham - mers,	sing to the
5	Class - rooms and	labs,	loud boil - ing	test - tubes,	sing to the
6	Know - ledge and	truth,	loud sound - ing	wis - dom,	sing to the



1	Lord _____	a new	song!	O vic - to - ry,
2	Lord _____	a new	song!	Flow - ers and trees,
3	Lord _____	a new	song!	Harp, lute, and lyre,
4	Lord _____	a new	song!	Lime - stone and beams,
5	Lord _____	a new	song!	Ath - lete and band,
6	Lord _____	a new	song!	Daugh - ter and son,



1	loud shout - ing	ar - my,	sing to the	Lord _____	a new	song!
2	loud rus - tling	dry leaves,	sing to the	Lord _____	a new	song!
3	loud hum - ming	cel - los,	sing to the	Lord _____	a new	song!
4	loud build - ing	work - ers,	sing to the	Lord _____	a new	song!
5	loud cheer - ing	peo - ple,	sing to the	Lord _____	a new	song!
6	loud pray - ing	mem - bers,	sing to the	Lord _____	a new	song!



He has done mar - vel - ous things.



I, too, will praise him with a new song!

THE HOLY GOSPEL

The Holy Gospel according to Luke

Luke 24:13-35

Presider: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Now on that same day two of Jesus' disciples were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem, and talking with each other about all these things that had happened. While they were talking and discussing, Jesus himself came near and went with them, but their eyes were kept from recognizing him. And he said to them, "What are you discussing with each other while you walk along?" They stood still, looking sad. Then one of them, whose name was Cleopas, answered him, "Are you the only stranger in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have taken place there in these days?" He asked them, "What things?" They replied, "The things about Jesus of Nazareth, who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, and how our chief priests and leaders handed him over to be condemned to death and crucified him. 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 took place. Moreover, some women of our group astounded us. They were at the tomb early this morning, and when they did not find his body there, they came back and told us that they had indeed seen a vision of angels who said that he was alive. Some of those who were with us went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said; but they did not see him." Then he said to them, "Oh, how foolish you are, and how slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have declared! Was it not necessary that the Messiah should suffer these things and then enter into his glory?" Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets, he interpreted to them the things about himself in all the scriptures.

As they came near the village to which they were going, he walked ahead as if he were going on. But they urged him strongly, saying, "Stay with us, because it is almost evening and the day is now nearly over." So he went in to stay with them. When he was at the table with them, he took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. Then their eyes were opened, and they recognized him; and he vanished from their sight. They said to each other, "Were not our hearts burning within us while he was talking to us on the road, while he was opening the scriptures to us?" That same hour they got up and returned to Jerusalem; and they found the eleven and their companions gathered together. They were saying, "The Lord has risen indeed, and he has appeared to Simon!" Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he had been made known to them in the breaking of the bread.

Presider: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

The Rev. Kenneth R. Pepin

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God,

**the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,

**the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.**

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation

he came down from heaven:

By the power of the Holy Spirit

**he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.**

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;

he suffered death and was buried.

**On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;**

he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,

and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son.

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.

He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People

Intercessor /Deacon: Alleluia! What was dead has come to life; what was dark now shines, what was forgotten now is remembered, for the Lord is risen and walks among us. Let us confidently bring before God the needs of our world seeking renewal as we respond:

People: **Christ is risen; Christ is risen indeed!**

Intercessor /Deacon: God of life, in gratitude and great joy we thank you for the gift of the Resurrection. In this season give us hope.

People: **Christ is risen; Christ is risen indeed!**

Intercessor /Deacon: In this season of joy may we find unity with all of God's creation. We pray for all those who lead us in faith, for St. Michael's Church, Geneseo; The Rev. Melanie Duguid-May, The Rev. William English, F. Paul Greene, Our Chancellor; The Episcopal Church, and The Church of the Province of Myanmar (Burma).

People: Christ is risen; Christ is risen indeed!

Intercessor /Deacon: Honoring this hope of the Resurrection may we reach out to those who, because of need or injustice, have been pushed aside and are not able to share in the fullness of the light of Christ.

People: Christ is risen; Christ is risen indeed!

Intercessor /Deacon: For all who have need for the gift of Easter, for those who are on the journey from illness to health, despair to hope, grief to consolation, loneliness to love.

People: Christ is risen; Christ is risen indeed!

Intercessor /Deacon: That all who suffer and mourn will come to realize the hope of the Resurrection and that the Lord will wipe away all tears.

People: Christ is risen; Christ is risen indeed!

Presider: God of life, we thank you for the mystery planted in us, the paradox of life from death and community from scattered disciples. We thank you for the gift of your Son, for his death and resurrection that bring to us new life. Grace us with perseverance as we live, move, and have our being. We pray this to you, O Father, through Jesus the Christ and the power of the Holy Spirit now and forever more.

People: **Amen**

The Peace

Presider: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

LITURGY OF THE TABLE

Presider: Let us with gladness present the offerings and gifts of our lives and labors to the Lord.

1 We sing the glo - rious con - quest be - fore Da - mas - cus' gate,
 2 O Voice that spoke with - in him; O strong, re - prov - ing Word;
 3 Your grace, by ways mys - te - rious, our sin - ful wrath can bind,

when Saul, the church - 's spoil - er came spread - ing fear and hate.
 O Love that sought and held him a pris - oner of his Lord;
 and in those least ex - pect - ed true ser - vants you can find.

God's light shone down from hea - ven and broke a - cross the path.
 help us to know your king - ship that we, in ev - ery hour,
 In us you seek dis - ci - ples to share your cross and crown

His pres - ence pierced and blind - ed the zeal - ot in his wrath.
 in all that may con - front us, will trust your hid - den power.
 and give you fi - nal ser - vice in glo - ry at your throne.

Conversion of Saint Paul (January 25).

Words: John Ellerton (1826-1893), alt.

Music: Munich, melody from *Neu-vermehrtes und zu Übung Christl. Gottseligkeit eingerichtetes Meiningsches Gesangbuch*, 1693; adapt. and harm. Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer C

Presider: The Lord be with you

***People:* And also with you**

Presider: Lift up your hearts

***People:* We lift them up to the Lord**

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

***People:* It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Presider: God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

***People:* Glory to you for ever and ever.**

Presider: At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

***People:* By your will they were created and have their being.**

Presider: From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

***People:* Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.**

Presider: Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

***People:* By his blood, he reconciled us. By his wounds, we are healed.**

Presider: And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

Sanctus

Hymn S128

holy, holy, holy Lord Sanctus

Ho - ly, ho - ly,
ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho-san-na in the
high - est. Bless - ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high-est.

Please stand or kneel as able.

Presider: And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

***People:* We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.**

Presider: Lord God of our Ancestors; God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God of Sarah, Rebekah, and Ruth; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

***People:* Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.**

Presider: Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation. **Amen.**

Presider: And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
For ever and ever. Amen.**

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.**

Breaking of the Bread

At 8:00

Fraction Anthem

Presider: Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

***People:* Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!**

Presider: The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

At 10:00

Fraction Anthem

Hymn S164

S 164 **The Holy Eucharist**
Fraction Anthem: Jesus, Lamb of God *Agnus Dei*



Je - sus, Lamb of God: have mer - cy on us.
Je - sus, bear - er of our sins: have mer - cy on us.
Je - sus, re - deem - er, re - deem - er of the world:
give us your peace, give us your peace.

Setting: From *Deutsche Messe*; Franz Peter Schubert (1797-1828); arr. Richard Proulx (b. 1957)

Presider: The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

The Communion of the People

This is God's table and All are welcome.

Holy Eucharist

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1 Come, ris - en Lord, and deign to be our guest;
 2 We meet, as in that up - per room they met;
 3 One bo - dy we, one Bo - dy who par - take,
 4 One with each o - ther, Lord, for one in thee,

nay, let us be thy guests; the feast is thine;
 thou at the ta - ble, bless - ing, yet dost stand:
 one Church u - nit - ed in com - mun - ion blest;
 who art one Sa - vior and one liv - ing Head;

thy - self at thine own board make man - i - fest
 "This is my Bo - dy"; so thou giv - est yet:
 one Name we bear, one Bread of life we break,
 then o - pen thou our eyes, that we may see;

in thine own Sac - ra - ment of Bread and Wine.
 faith still re - ceives the cup as from thy hand.
 with all thy saints on earth and saints at rest.
 be known to us in break - ing of the Bread.

Words: George Wallace Briggs (1875-1959), alt.
 Music: *Suzanna Corda*, Alfred Morton Smith (1879-1971)

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SENDING RITE

Presider: Let us pray:

People: Eternal God, heavenly Father,
 you have graciously accepted us as living members
 of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,
 and you have fed us with spiritual food
 in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.
 Send us now into the world in peace,
 and grant us strength and courage
 to love and serve you
 with gladness and singleness of heart;
 through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Anthem

Birthdays

O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants. as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Lynn Steenburgh	4/3/1959
Wyatt Loblaw	4/6/2019
Susan Miller	4/10/
Reyna St. George	4/12/2021
Andy Rodman	4/21/1955
Carole Gorski	4/24/1936
Gerri Van Elzakker	4/24/1942
Ronald Allen	4/25/1967
Andrea Barbato	4/27/
Kathy Dorr	4/29/1955

The Blessing

Presider: May the blessing of this Easter season warm your hearts with the knowledge and love of God. May you continue to be a new creation in the world and continue to share the peace of Jesus with all you meet. May the blessing of God, Creator, Redeemer, and Sanctifier be with us now and always. *Amen.*

Announcements

Sending Hymn

Ye servants of God

Hymn 535

1 Ye ser - vants of God, your Mas - ter pro - claim,
 2 God rul - eth on high, al - might - y to save;
 3 Sal - va - tion to God who sits on the throne!
 4 Then let us a - dore, and give him his right:

and pub - lish a - broad his won - der - ful Name;
 and still he is nigh: his pres - ence we have.
 Let all cry a - loud, and hon - or the Son.
 All glo - ry and power, all wis - dom and might,

the Name all - vic - to - rious of Je - sus ex - tol:
 The great con - gre - ga - tion his tri - umph shall sing,
 The prais - es of Je - sus the an - gels pro - claim,
 and hon - or and bless - ing, with an - gels a - bove,

his king - dom is glo - rious; he rules o - ver all.
 as - crib - ing sal - va - tion to Je - sus our King.
 fall down on their fa - ces, and wor - ship the Lamb.
 and thanks nev - er - ceas - ing and in - fi - nite love.

Words: Charles Wesley (1707-1788), alt.
 Music: Paderborn, melody from *Catolisch-Paderbornisches Gesang-buch*, 1765;
 harm. Sydney Hugo Nicholson (1875-1947)

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Dismissal

Presider: Let us bless the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia!

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!

Postlude

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Blessing Box Season is upon us. Please sign up:

Calendar for Blessing Boxes on the bulletin board. On April 26 there will be a Eucharistic Visitor Training Session after coffee hour. See Deacon Rich.

JULIET Our next lunch is scheduled for Thursday, May 21st at 1:00. We have no set membership, and attendance is "fluid." All ladies welcome! We need a coordinator for our May lunch - simple instructions are available. Please contact Ann Rugelis at anrug9@gmail.com or (585)-586-5040. Thank you.

PRAYERS

We pray for peace. For all the victims of the war in Iran and the surrounding countries. We pray for and hold close to our hearts all people who are victims of violence, torture and inhumane actions. We commit ourselves to support actions to curb or stop the senseless violent acts that plague our nation and our freedoms.

We pray for all who struggle with mental illness and addictions.

We pray that the dignity of every human being would be safeguarded as a **treasure**.

We pray for our nation's leaders that common minds would find truth, that our divisive rhetoric would be tempered and goodwill would be our goal for all nations of our world.

We pray for Patty Winn, Mary Jo Hazelden, Alex Patterson (grandson to Jeanne Patterson,)
 Alice Hardin, Chad Olson, Sue Veronda, Ellen Wheeler, Don Roemermann, Winnie Allen, (mother to Susan Palomaki) Linda, and Michael Dertzo (parents to Melissa Panara),
 LouAnn Washing (friend of Susan Miller), Bruce Cady, (husband of Mary Ann),
 Dr. Bruce Baker (Dad to Patty Winn)

<i>The participants in the service this week and next are:</i>			
8:00 AM	Easter 3 4-19-26	8:00 AM	Easter4 4-26-26
<i>Acolyte</i>	Cathi Franchino	<i>Acolyte</i>	Cathy Thayer
<i>Lector/Intercessor</i>	Rocco Ceravolo	<i>Lector/Intercessor</i>	Meredith Fraser
10:00 AM		10:00 AM	
<i>Acolyte</i>	Vic Bridges	<i>Acolyte</i>	Karen Keegan
<i>Lector/Intercessor</i>	Peggy Verna	<i>Lector/Intercessor</i>	Susan Palomaki
<i>Greeters/Ushers</i>	Gary Gocek	<i>Greeters/Ushers</i>	Marlene Shaddock
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