

Do not be alarmed; you are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has been raised; he is not here. Look, there is the place they laid him. Mark 16:6

# **Resurrection of Our Lord**

April 1, 2018 8:30 A.M. and 11:00 A.M.

This year may be the one in which John's resurrection account is likely to be chosen over Mark's, perhaps because Mark's gospel ends so abruptly, with astonishment and fear rather than joyful proclamation. Yet Mark may speak to our experience more directly than the other gospels. Corinthians and Acts fill out the story by telling of appearances of the risen Christ. Peter says we "ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead." And so do we, in a foretaste of the mountaintop feast where death will be no more. The mission of Augsburg Evangelical Lutheran Church is to glorify God by proclaiming the gospel of Jesus Christ through worship, witness, education, service and fellowship.

We welcome you to the Easter Day services at Augsburg Lutheran Church. After our weeks of reflection and preparation during Lent, on this morning we celebrate the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Our services this day have no confessional rite since they are a continuation of the liturgy of the Triduum–the services of Maundy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday–which has no concluding benediction.

#### HOLY COMMUNION

Evangelical Lutheran Worship (ELW) Setting Four

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ACCLAMATION Christ Jesus Lay in Death's Strong Bands

Martin Luther/Johann Sebastian Bach arr. William Stevens

Christ Jesus lay in death's strong bands, For our offenses given;

But now at God's right hand He stands, And brings us life from heaven.

Therefore let us joyful be, And sing to God right thankfully Loud songs of Alleluia!

**OPENING VOLUNTARY** Prelude in D Major, BWV 532

Johann Sebastian Bach

We stand.

### **RINGING OF THE BELL**

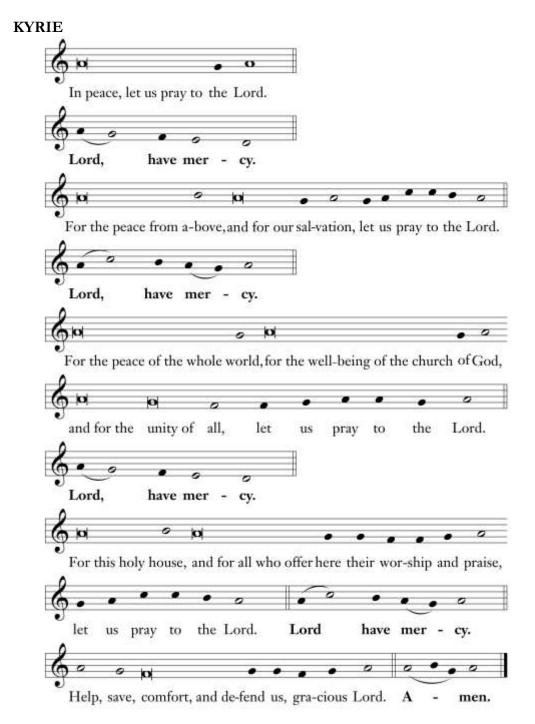
### EASTER PROCLAMATION

Why do you seek the living among the dead? He is not here. He is risen. Alleluia! Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

The assembly turns to face the cross as it enters the sanctuary, following the cross as we have followed Jesus into this holy place and time of corporate worship.

GATHERING HYMN 365 Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

EASTER HYMN



#### **HYMN OF PRAISE**



#### PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray. A brief silence is kept before the prayer. After the prayer the assembly responds: Amen. We sit.

### WELCOME

# + WORD +

#### FIRST READING Acts 10:34-43

Peter began to speak to [the people]: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: 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. 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; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, 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. 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. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

The word of the Lord. *The assembly responds:* Thanks be to God.

#### **PSALM** 118:1-2, 14-24

Refrain (Sung once by the choir, repeated by the choir and assembly)



#### SECOND READING 1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Now I would remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you—unless you have come to believe in vain. For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them—though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

The word of the Lord. The assembly responds: Thanks be to God.

We stand.

GOSPEL HYMN 366 The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done Stanzas 1-3 VICTORY

#### GOSPEL Mark 16:1-8

The holy gospel according to Saint Mark. Glory to you, O Lord.

When the sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint [Jesus' body]. And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. They had been saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?" When they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had already been rolled back. As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man, dressed in a white robe, sitting on the right side; and they were alarmed. But he said to them, "Do not be alarmed; you are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has been raised; he is not here. Look, there is the place they laid him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him, just as he told you." So they went out and fled from the tomb, for terror and amazement had seized them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, O Christ.

GOSPEL HYMN 366 The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done

VICTORY

We sit.

#### **CHILDREN'S SERMON**

#### SERMON

We stand.

HYMN OF THE DAY 377 Alleluia! Jesus is Risen!

#### 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, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human. 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, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who 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.

Vicar Norris

Pastor Wollner

EARTH AND ALL STARS

## PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

On this day of rejoicing, we pray for the life of the church, the world, and all people in any need.

Each portion of the prayers conclude:

Lord, in your mercy,

#### hear our prayer.

Into your hands, O God, we commend ourselves and all for whom we pray, trusting in Jesus Christ, the spring of new and everlasting life.

#### Amen.

# PEACE

The presiding minister and the assembly greet each other in the peace of the risen Christ.

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

The people may greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace, and may say Peace be with you or similar words. We sit.

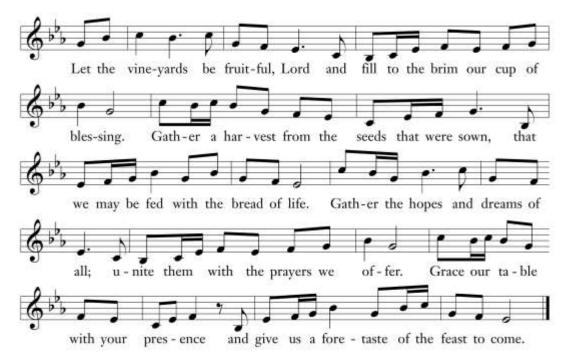
# + MEAL +

## OFFERING

**OFFERTORY ANTHEM** (8:30) With a Voice of Singing Martin Shaw With a voice of singing declare ye this, and let it be heard, Alleluia. Utter it even unto the ends of the earth. The Lord hath delivered his people, Alleluia. O be joyful in God, all ye lands, O sing praises to the honor of his name, Make his praise to be glorious. **OFFERTORY ANTHEM** (11:00) Ye Choirs of New Jerusalem C.V. Stanford Ye choirs of new Jerusalem, Your sweetest notes employ, The Paschal victory to hymn In strains of holy joy. For Judah's Lion bursts His chains, Crushing the serpent's head; And cries aloud through death's domains To wake th'imprison'd dead. Devouring depths of hell Their prey at His command restore; His ransom'd hosts pursue their way Where Jesus goes before. Triumphant in His glory now To Him all power is given; To Him in one communion bow All saints in earth and heaven. While we, His soldiers, praise our King, His mercy we implore, Within His palace bright to bring And keep us evermore. All glory to the Father be, All glory to the Son, All glory, Holy Ghost, to Thee, While endless ages run. Alleluia! Amen.

We stand.

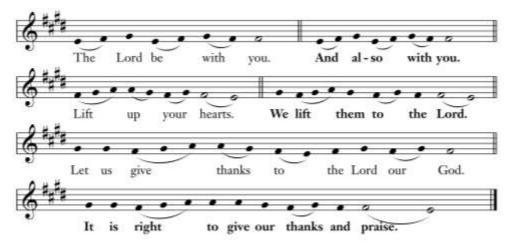
#### **OFFERTORY HYMN**



Let us pray.

God of all creation, all you have made is good, and your love endures forever. You bring forth bread from the earth and fruit from the vine. Nourish us with these gifts, that we might be for the world signs of your gracious presence in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

#### **GREAT THANKSGIVING**



It is indeed right, our duty and our joy . . . we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



### SANCTUS

### EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Blessed are you, O God of the universe. Your mercy is everlasting and your faithfulness endures from age to age.

Praise to you for creating the heavens and the earth. Praise to you for saving the earth from the waters of the flood. Praise to you for bringing the Israelites safely through the sea. Praise to you for leading your people through the wilderness to the land of milk and honey. Praise to you for the words and deeds of Jesus, your anointed one. Praise to you for the death and resurrection of Christ. Praise to you for your Spirit poured out on all nations.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and 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.

With this bread and cup we remember our Lord's passover from death to life as we proclaim the mystery of faith: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again. O God of resurrection and new life: Pour out your Holy Spirit on us and on these gifts of bread and wine. Bless this feast. Grace our table with your presence. **Come, Holy Spirit**.

Reveal yourself to us in the breaking of the bread. Raise us up as the body of Christ for the world. Breathe new life into us. Send us forth, burning with justice, peace, and love. **Come, Holy Spirit.** 

With <u>name/s and</u> your holy ones of all times and places, with the earth and all its creatures, with sun and moon and stars, we praise you, O God, blessed and holy Trinity, now and forever. **Amen.** 

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to 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, forever and ever. Amen.

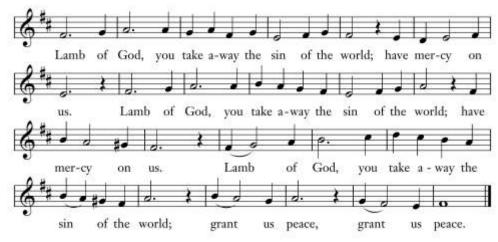
The presiding minister lifts the bread and cup and says

When we eat this bread, we share the body of Christ. When we drink this cup, we share the blood of Christ.

#### The assembly responds

Reveal yourself to us, O Lord, in the breaking of bread, as once you revealed yourself to your disciples.

#### **AGNUS DEI**



We sit.

### COMMUNION

Today we will be communing by intinction. Receive the bread and dip it in the wine. Gluten-free wafers are available on the organ side of the church. Visitors and children are welcome to receive communion. All who do not receive communion are welcomed forward to receive a blessing.

When giving the bread and cup, the communion ministers say

The body of Christ, given for you. The blood of Christ, shed for you.

and each person may respond Amen.

#### MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

Hymn 361 The Day of Resurrection!Hymn 362 At the Lamb's High Feast We SingHymn 368 With High Delight Let Us Unite

ELLACOMBE SONNE DER GERECHTIGKEIT MIT FREUDEN ZART

We stand.

#### TABLE BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace. Amen.

#### POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE Thine Is the Glory

JUDAS MACCABAEUS



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Let us pray.

O God, we give you thanks that you have set before us this feast, the body and blood of your Son. By your Spirit strengthen us to serve all in need and to give ourselves away as bread for the hungry, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

# + Sending +

#### BLESSING

The Lord bless you...and + give you peace.



SENDING HYMN 367 Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds LASST UNS ERFREUEN

The assembly faces the cross as it leaves the sanctuary, following the cross as we follow Jesus into the world. All remain facing the cross for the dismissal.

### DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Christ is risen! He is risen indeed. Alleluia! CLOSING VOLUNTARY Toccata *from* Symphony V

Charles-Marie Widor

# Soli Deo Gloria Christus Resurrexit

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#### **Providing Service Today**

Bulletin Cover Artist Lauren Key Acolytes 8:30 Meghan Ballard and Caroline Bevis 11:00 Ethan Olsen and TBD Crucifers 8:30 Alex Ballard 11:00 Ethan Horn Torch Bearers 8:30 Mary Claire Bevis and David Johnson 11:00 Zeke Bradley and Zachary Olsen **Banner Bearers** 8:30 Zane Johnson 11:00 Cassidy Cashion Offering Bearer Faith Cashion Liturgists 8:30 Nanette Shutt 11:00 Rob Ulery Lay Readers 8:30 Robin Welch 11:00 Martha Foreman Communion Assistants 8:30 Dick DiBlasio and Effie Sue Utt 11:00 Lara Carter and Kathie Eppert Nursery 8:30 Elizabeth Tippette 11:00 Kyle and Leigh Anna Voigt Ushers 8:30 John Bandle, Mat Brown, David Kinley and Paul Meyer 11:00 Debbie Byorick, Bruce Griffin, Frank Martin and Dave Planitzer Visitors Welcoming Table & Greeters 8:30 Mary Lou Leonard 11:00 Vicki Strandhoy Sunday Morning Fellowship TBD **Oblation Bearers** 8:30 Claire Wynnemer 11:00 Maria Fortin and Joel Myers Assisting Ministers 8:30 and 11:00 Emily Norris Preaching and Presiding Pastor Wollner

#### Providing Service Next Sunday

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**WELCOME** all who enter the Lord's house this day! We invite you to fill out the Friendship Register found on each pew. If you are visiting Augsburg, please stop by the Visitor Welcoming Table after today's service to pick up a welcome package. The visitor's table is located at the bottom of the ramp leading to the lobby.

**Pastor Wollner will be on vacation the week of April 2 through April 8.** If you have a pastoral concern or emergency, please contact the church or Pastor Carter at 336-722-2726.

The altar flowers today are given to the glory of God by Tim and Daniele Olsen and family in memory of our grandparents.

**On the center aisle of each pew is a folder** known as the "Friendship Register." Please sign the register and check if you are communing today. Be sure to review the sheet to identify visitors. Please hand the completed pages from the register to an usher during the singing of the Hymn of the Day.

We offer a toddler nursery during the service. If you would like to use the nursery, please ask an usher for directions. The nursery is for children ages newborn to 4.

**Our Homebound Member** is Mrs. Ruth Helton, 3314 Bermuda Village, Advance, NC 27006. Please send Ruth a note.

The Church Office will be closed tomorrow, Monday, April 2, 2017, in observance of Easter.

**Contributions:** There are two envelopes in your packet for April 1; one stamped **"Easter"** and the other for the regular offering. Unless otherwise designated, contributions received in the Easter envelope will be credited to the **Charity Reserve Fund** and sent to Crisis Control to assist those in need. Loose offerings received on Easter Sunday will be credited to **The Pastors' Discretionary Fund.** Gifts for **Refugee Ministry** can be made by writing "Love Offering" in the memo line.

#### AUGSBURG BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

**"O. M. Genesis" Study:** Pastor Paul's Bible Study meets Mondays at 10:45 A.M. in the Sid Sowers Classroom.

**Continue in My Word** is an Adult Weekly Bible Study held Monday evenings at 6:00 P.M. in the Youth Area. We are studying Hebrews. Bring your Bible.

7:18 Youth Bible Study meets Wednesday evenings at various locations.

**The Efird L. and Maria F. Hine Fund** committee will meet for its Spring Quarter meeting on Monday, April 23, 2018 at 7:00 P.M. All requests for financial grants should be directed to The Hine Fund and should be in the church office no later than 12 noon on Friday, April 13. Agendas will be ready for members to pick up in the Work Room on Sunday, April 15. Please call or email the Hine Fund secretary if you are unable to attend the meeting. The general purpose and intent of the Hine Fund is to "put into effect a ministry of Christian mercy and concern in meeting human needs as the Church thinks Jesus Christ Himself would have them met."

We welcome the following graduate students from UNCSA as our brass quintet this morning: Julio Jeri, Christian Orr, trumpet; Brittany Thomas, horn; Daniel Kane, trombone; Nich Psihountas, tuba. Please take a moment to thank them for enriching our worship this morning.

Lutheridge/Lutherock Summer Camp: If you're sending your child to Lutheridge or Lutherock this summer, please remember that there is financial assistance from the Hine Fund (up to half of the tuition) available to those that request it. All requests for this summer camp assistance should be submitted to the Hine Fund committee no later than May 1. Please specify the program and week your child will be attending camp, which location, the amount of the tuition, and how much you have already paid to Lutheridge or Lutherock.

**Our congregation's Stephen Ministry** equips disciples to provide confidential, one-to-one emotional and spiritual care to individuals in our congregation and community who are experiencing difficulties in their lives. If you–or someone you know–could benefit from the care of a Stephen Minister, please talk with one of our Pastors or Stephen Leaders.

Readings for next week: Acts 4:32-35; Psalm 133; 1 John 1:1—2:2; John 20:19-31

Worship attendance for services last week: 157 at 8:30; 210 at 11:00; 15 visitors.

# EASTER DEDICATIONS – 2018 The Easter Lilies in the Chancel are dedicated to the Glory of God and the Risen Jesus Christ

### Easter Lilies in honor of

Annette Koenigswerther	Don and Kathie Eppert
Lara Carter	Don and Kathie Eppert
My children and grandchildren	Carol Thornton
Joyce and Ron Dellinger; Scott Horn; Leigh and David Davis	Lucille Horn
Ken and Mary Zeller	The Zeller Family
Ron and Barbara Thomas	The Zeller Family
Children, Kenneth, Alan and Karen; grandchildren and greatgrandchildren	Eleanor Regenthal

#### Easter Lilies in loving memory of

J.D. Sr. and Ella Mae Kinley (David's Parents) Louis and Anna Louise Witker (Ruth's Parents)	
Coty Nelson (our beloved son)	
Pastor William Duty (friend, H.S. and college classmate of Ru	
John Sander Wicklund (Kathy's father)	
Virginia Garvey Nelson (Doug's mother)	
Ken Thornton	
Joseph and Virginia Dennis (my parents)	
Clarence and Loretta Karlen	
Sanford and Dolores Beard	
Clara Allen (faithful choir member and soloist)	Phillip Saylor
Jack Horn	Lucille Horn and Family
Byron "Buck" Horn	
George and Lucy Barkley	
Sue Peatross	Craig, Susan, Sarah and Will Peatross
H. Brown Kim ball	Craig, Susan, Sarah and Will Peatross
DW and Frances Stewart	Dennis and Sandy Stewart
Bob and Bernice Fisher	Dennis and Sandy Stewart
Steve Yandell	Anne Yandell Bishop
My father, Frank Lewis	Anne Yandell Bishop
Alicegene and Floyd M. Carver (Jean's parents)	Jean and Clarence Dixon
Ruby and Clarence Dixon, Sr	
Victims of firearms and their families	
Our mothers, Geraldine Brickhouse and Moira Myers	Blaine and Jeanne Brickhouse
Mary Hatch	Mary Lou Leonard
Vernon C. Carlton, Jr.	His son, V. Courtney Carlton, III

Parents; husbands, Bill Regenthal and Pastor Troutman; granddaughter, Kenna Regenthal

	Eleanor Regenthal
Helen Saunders Myers	Joel Myers
Rick Myers	
Sarah C. Clayton	
Patricia L. Clayton	Frank and David Clayton, Cathy Revis
Luke Garrison	The McKee Family
Nancy Shuford Dowdy	The McKee Family

### Monetary Donation in memory of

Our parents Lillian & Raymond	Lenger; Mary & Everet	t Armitage; and br	other, Richard
Armitage; and friend, Clara Allen			.Don & Mary Armitage

# Calendar for April 1–April 8

#### 1 Easter Day

8:30a Festival Service of Holy Communion (Sanctuary)
9:30a Sunday Morning Fellowship (Family Life Center)

10:00a Easter Celebration

11:00a Festival Service of Holy Communion (Sanctuary)

2 Monday

Church Office Closed 6:00p Continue in My Word (Youth Room) 6:00p Social Ministry (Covenant Classroom) 6:30p Evangelism Team Meeting (Covenant Classroom) No Handbell Choir rehearsal

3 Tuesday

7:00p S.I.S. (Leah Dell Chandler Residence)

4 Wednesday 7:00p Social Ministry (Covenant Classroom) 5 Thursday
7:30a Men's Fellowship Breakfast (Youth Area)
10:00a Quilt Ministry (Youth Area)

#### 8 Second Sunday of Easter

8:30a Service of Holy Communion (Sanctuary)

9:30a Sunday Morning Fellowship (Family Life Center)

10:00a Sunday School

11:00a Service of Holy Communion (Sanctuary)



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