

<sup>14</sup>This was now the third time Jesus appeared to his disciples after he was raised from the dead. <sup>15</sup>When they had finished eating, Jesus said to Simon Peter, “Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?” “Yes, Lord,” he said, “you know that I love you.” Jesus said, “Feed my lambs.” <sup>16</sup>Again Jesus said, “Simon son of John, do you love me?” He answered, “Yes, Lord, you know that I love you.” Jesus said, “Take care of my sheep.” <sup>17</sup>The third time he said to him, “Simon son of John, do you love me?” Peter was hurt because Jesus asked him the third time, “Do you love me?” He said, “Lord, you know all things; you know that I love you.” Jesus said, “Feed my sheep. <sup>18</sup>Very truly I tell you, when you were younger you dressed yourself and went where you wanted; but when you are old you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will dress you and lead you where you do not want to go.” <sup>19</sup>Jesus said this to indicate the kind of death by which Peter would glorify God. Then he said to him, “Follow me!”

P: This is the Word of our Lord,   **C: Thanks be to God.**   *(you may be seated)*

**Children’s Message:**   *Pastor Eric Hanson*

**Sermon:**   *“Sacraments are made for the crooked path”   Pastor Eric Hanson*

**Hymn of the Day:**   *“Borning Cry” #732*

*Offerings will be collected during the hymn of the day. Thank you also to those who give online. If you’d like to sign up for online giving please visit <http://www.stlukegoodhue.org/online-giving.html>. Children’s coin offering will go toward ELCA Good Gifts serving communities in need around the world.*

**Vs 1: I was there to hear your borning cry, I’ll be there when you are old.  
I rejoiced the day you were baptized, to see your life unfold.  
I was there when you were but a child, with a faith to suit you well;  
In a blaze of light you wandered off to find where demons dwell.**

**Vs 2: When you heard the wonder of the Word I was there to cheer you on;  
You were raised to praise the living Lord, to whom you now belong.  
If you find someone to share your time and you join your hearts as one,  
I’ll be there to make your verses rhyme from dusk ‘till rising sun.”**

**Vs 3: In the middle ages of your life, not too old, no longer young,  
I’ll be there to guide you through the night, complete what I’ve begun.  
When the evening gently closes in, and you shut your weary eyes,  
I’ll be there as I have always been with just one more surprise.”**

**Vs 4: I was there to hear your borning cry, I’ll be there when you are old.  
I rejoiced the day you were baptized, to see your life unfold.”**

**Offertory Prayer:**   P: Let us pray together,

**C: Living God, you gather the wolf and the lamb to feed together in your peaceable reign, and you welcome us all at your table. Reach out to us through this meal, & show us your wounded and risen body, that we may be nourished and believe in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

**Apostles’ Creed:**   I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified died, & was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, & he will come to judge the living & the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, & the life everlasting. Amen.

**The Prayers:** *(call and response)*

Set free from captivity to sin and death, we pray to the God of resurrection for the church, people in need, and all of creation.   *A brief silence.*   Holy One of new beginnings, fill us with new life. Send us into the world as you sent your apostles Philip and James, to invite people to come and see your wondrous acts in Christ. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Revive ecosystems along coastlands that have been devastated by natural forces and human negligence. Reestablish plant and animal life that purifies air and water and that feeds humans and other living creatures. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Accompany laborers who get little rest from their work. Give them hope when they struggle to produce what they need. Give all who labor fair treatment and just wages. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Restore all people who cry to you for help, especially: Jessica Huemann, Keith Brown, Dolly Mensink, Finley Budensiek, Sara Nolte, Roger Kurtti, Judy Carpenter, Lorraine Hinsch, Donald & Nancy Nord, Connie Hess, Larry Reese, Dan Hedeem, Matt Ludwig, Sue Majerus, Jan Benidt and Dave (Pud) Gnotke. Turn their mourning into dancing, clothe them with joy, and put a testimony of healing and praise on their lips. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Be present to faithful ones who are persecuted for following you. Sustain them by your faithfulness, and give them strength in the name of Jesus. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Join our voices with angels, creatures, and all the saints in praising Christ and bestowing upon him all blessing and honor and glory. Reveal Christ’s glory to us and through us in our worship. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

In your mercy, O God, respond to these prayers, and renew us by your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ, our Savior. **Amen.**

**Sharing the Peace:**   P: The peace of Christ be with you always.   **C: And also with you.**

**Celebration of First Communion**

*Kate Wieme, Hannah Jenson, Abby Tipton, Macey Poston, Lyla Bonner, Lillian Volkmann, Benjamin Thomforde, Garrett Rehder, Levi Matthees, Issie Mitchell, Mallory Lindholm, Aayden Lodermeier, Shelby Dankers, & Aleaha Hanson*

**Prayer over our 5th Graders:**   P: Let us pray together,

**C: Loving God, we pray today that in this sacrament you would give to these, your own, the reminder of your grace given to all. Wash away the sins that hurt their lives and the lives of others and replace their worries with confidence and hope in you. In Jesus’ Name we pray together, Amen.**

**The Words of Institution**

**Lord’s Prayer:**   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.

**Meal and Hymns:**   *“Come To The Table” #481*

Come to the table of mercy, prepared with the wine and the bread. All who are hungry and thirsty, come, and your souls will be fed. Come at the Lord’s invitation; receive from his nail scarred hand. Eat of the bread of salvation; drink of the blood of the Lamb.

*“Here Is Bread” #483*

**Verse 1: Here is bread, here is wine, Christ is with us, He is with us.  
Break the bread, taste the wine, Christ is with us here.**

**Refrain: In this bread there is healing, in this cup is life forever.  
In this moment, by the Spirit, Christ is with us here.**

**Verse 2: Here is grace, here is peace, Christ is with us, he is with us.  
Know his grace, find his peace, feast on Jesus here. [Refrain]**

**Verse 3: Here we are, joined in one, Christ is with us, he is with us.  
We’ll proclaim till he comes Jesus crucified. [Refrain]**

*“Taste And See” #493*

**Refrain: Taste and see, taste and see the goodness of the Lord.  
Oh, taste and see, taste and see the goodness of the Lord, of the Lord.**

**Vs 1: I will bless the Lord at all times. Praise shall always be on my lips;  
my soul shall glory in the Lord; for God has been so good to me. (Refrain)**

**Vs 2: Glorify the Lord with me. Together let us all praise God’s name.  
I called the Lord, who answered me; from all my troubles I was set free. (Refrain)**

**Vs 3: Worship the Lord, all you people. You’ll want for nothing if you ask.  
Taste and see that the Lord is good; in God we need put all our trust. (Refrain)**

*“What Feast Of Love” #487*

**Verse 1: What feast of love is offered here, what banquet come from heaven? What food of everlasting life,  
what gracious gift is given? This, this is Christ the king, the bread come down from heaven.  
Oh, taste and see and sing! How sweet the manna given!**

**Verse 2: What light of truth is offered here, what covenant from heaven? What hope of everlasting life,  
what wondrous word is given? This, this is Christ the king, the sun come down from heaven.  
Oh, see and hear and sing! The word of God is given!**

**Verse 3: What wine of love is offered here, what crimson drink from heaven? What stream of everlasting life,  
what precious blood is given? This, this is Christ the king, the sweetest wine of heaven.  
Oh, taste and see and sing! The Son of God is given!**

*"One Bread, One Body"* #496

Refrain: One bread, one body, one Lord of all; one cup of blessing which we bless,  
and we, though many throughout the earth, we are one body in this one Lord.

Vs 1: Gentile or Jew, servant or free, woman or man, no more. [Refrain]

Vs 2: Many the gifts, many the works, one in the Lord of all. [Refrain]

Vs 3: Grain for the fields, scattered and grown, gathered to one for all. [Refrain]

*"Come, Let Us Eat"* #491

Vs. 1: Come, let us eat, for now the feast is spread, come, let us eat, for now the feast is spread.  
Our Lord's body let us take together, our Lord's body let us take together.

Vs. 2: Come, let us drink, for now the wine is poured come, let us drink, for now the wine is poured.  
Jesus' blood poured let us drink together, Jesus' blood poured let us drink together.

Vs 3: In Jesus' presence now we meet and rest. in Jesus' presence now we meet and rest.  
In the presence of our Lord we gather, in the presence of our Lord we gather.

Vs 4: Rise, then, to spread abroad God's mighty word, rise, then, to spread abroad God's mighty word.  
Jesus risen will bring in the kingdom, Jesus risen will bring in the kingdom.

**Communion Prayer:** P: Let us pray together,

C: We give you thanks, generous God, for in this bread and cup we have tasted the new heaven and earth where  
hunger and thirst are no more. Send us from this table as witnesses to the resurrection, that through our lives,  
all may know life in Jesus' name. Amen.

**Blessing:** *(stand as you are able)*

P: May the Lord bless you and keep you. May the Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.  
May the Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace. Amen.

**Sending Hymn:** *"I Received The Living God"* #477

Refrain: I received the living God, and my heart is full of joy.  
I received the living God, and my heart is full of joy.

Vs 1: Jesus said: I am the bread kneaded long to give you life;  
you who will partake of me need not ever fear to die. [Refrain]

Vs 2: Jesus said: I am the way, and my Father longs for you;  
so I come to bring you home to be one with us anew. [Refrain]

Vs 3: Jesus said: I am the truth; come and follow close to me.  
You will know me in your heart, and my word shall make you free. [Refrain]

Vs. 4: Jesus said: I am the life, far from whom no thing can grow,  
but receive this living bread, and my Spirit you shall know. [Refrain]

**Dismissal:** P: Go in peace to love the Lord & serve your neighbor, C: Thanks be to God!

Postlude



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**St. Luke Lutheran Church • Pastor Eric Hanson**  
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**Prelude:** *Debbi St. John, Pianist/Organist*

**Welcome and Announcements**

**The Easter Litany:** *(please stand as you are able)*

P: Christ is Risen! C: **Christ is Risen Indeed! Alleluia!**

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, the fountain of living water, the rock who gave us birth, our light  
and our salvation. C: **Amen.**

**Confession and Forgiveness:** P: Faithful and Just God,

C: **We confess that we are captive to doubt and fear, bound by the ways that lead to death. We have not  
loved our sisters and brothers as you have first loved us. Forgive us, God of mercy. Let your Holy Spirit  
work in us to change our lives and make us new, that we may know the abundant life given in Christ  
Jesus, our risen Lord. Amen.**

**Gathering Hymn:** *"Let Us Break Bread Together"* #471

Vs 1: Let us break bread together on our knees; Let us break bread together on our knees.

Refrain: When I fall on my knees, with my face to the rising sun, O Lord, have mercy on me.

Vs 2: Let us drink wine together on our knees; Let us drink wine together on our knees. (Refrain)

Vs 3: Let us praise God together on our knees; Let us praise God together on our knees. (Refrain)

**Prayer of the Day:** P: Let us pray.

C: **Eternal and all-merciful God, with all the angels and all the saints we laud your majesty and might. By the  
resurrection of your Son, show yourself to us and inspire us to follow Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who  
lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

**Gospel Acclamation:** *"Hallelujah"*

Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah

**Gospel Reading - John 21:1-19**

<sup>1</sup>Afterward Jesus appeared again to his disciples, by the Sea of Galilee. It happened this way: <sup>2</sup>Simon Peter, Thomas (also known as Didymus), Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, & two other disciples were together. <sup>3</sup>"I'm going out to fish," Simon Peter told them, & they said, "We'll go with you." So they went out & got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. <sup>4</sup>Early in the morning, Jesus stood on the shore, but the disciples did not realize that it was Jesus. <sup>5</sup>He called out to them, "Friends, haven't you any fish?" "No," they answered. <sup>6</sup>He said, "Throw your net on the right side of the boat & you will find some." When they did, they were unable to haul the net in because of the large number of fish. <sup>7</sup>Then the disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!" As soon as Simon Peter heard him say, "It is the Lord," he wrapped his outer garment around him (for he had taken it off) & jumped into the water. <sup>8</sup>The other disciples followed in the boat, towing the net full of fish, for they were not far from shore, about a hundred yards. <sup>9</sup>When they landed, they saw a fire of burning coals there with fish on it, & some bread. <sup>10</sup>Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish you have just caught." <sup>11</sup>So Simon Peter climbed back into the boat & dragged the net ashore. It was full of large fish, 153, but even with so many the net was not torn. <sup>12</sup>Jesus said to them, "Come & have breakfast." None of the disciples dared ask him, "Who are you?" They knew it was the Lord. <sup>13</sup>Jesus came, took the bread & gave it to them, & did the same with the fish.

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