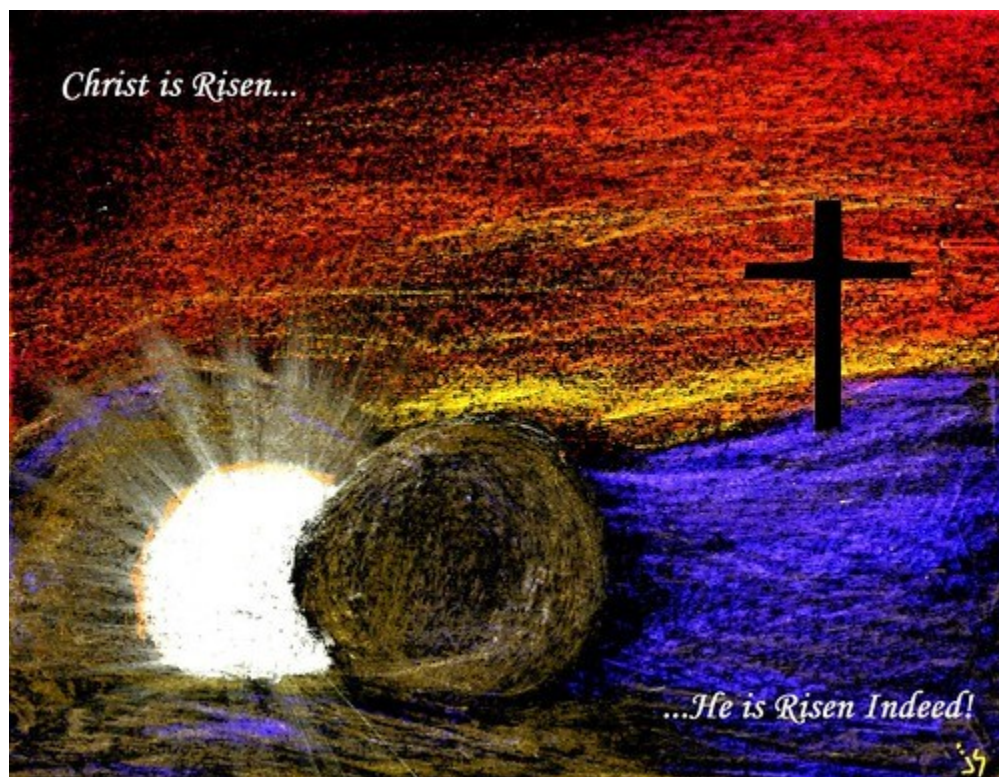


THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD

MARCH 31, 2024



SAINT MARTIN'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH  
1120 Spa Road, Annapolis, Maryland 21403  
Reverend Dr. David G. Oravec, Pastor

*\*Please stand if able.*

Rejoice, now, all heavenly powers! Sing, choirs of angels!

Exult, all creation around God's throne!

Jesus Christ is risen!

Celebrate the divine mysteries with exultation;

and for so great a victory, sound the trumpet of salvation.

Rejoice, O earth, in shining splendor, radiant in the brightness of your king!

Christ has conquered! Glory fills you! Darkness vanishes forever.

Rejoice, O holy church! Exult in glory!

The risen Savior shines upon you!

Let this place resound with joy, echoing the mighty song of all God's people.

## PRELUDE

*At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing*

*Variations on 'Jesus, meine Zuversicht' (Jesus, My Redeemer, Lives) (Arr. Michel Rondeau)*

*Variations on 'Auf meinen lieben Gott' (In God, My Faithful God) (Arr. Michel Rondeau)*

*Glazunov: In Modo Religioso*

*Sinfonia from Bach's Easter Oratorio*

## EASTER ACCLAMATION

Christ is risen! He is risen indeed.

Christ is risen! He is risen indeed.

Christ is risen! He is risen indeed. Alleluia! Alleluia!

## CHORAL INTROIT (10 AM) *Up from the Grave He Arose (Brass, Organ, Choir)*

## PROCESSIONAL HYMN

## Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

ELW 365



1 Je - sus Christ is ris'n to - day, Al - le - lu - ia!  
2 Hymns of praise then let us sing, Al - le - lu - ia!  
3 But the pains which he en - dured, Al - le - lu - ia!  
4 Sing we to our God a - bove, Al - le - lu - ia!



our tri - um - phant ho - ly day, Al - le - lu - ia!  
un - to Christ, our heav'n - ly king, Al - le - lu - ia!  
our sal - va - tion have pro - cured; Al - le - lu - ia!  
praise e - ter - nal as his love; Al - le - lu - ia!



who did once up - on the cross, Al - le - lu - ia!  
who en - dured the cross and grave, Al - le - lu - ia!  
now a - bove the sky he's king, Al - le - lu - ia!  
praise him, all you heav'n - ly host, Al - le - lu - ia!



suf - fer to re - deem our loss. Al - le - lu - ia!  
sin - ners to re - deem and save. Al - le - lu - ia!  
where the an - gels ev - er sing. Al - le - lu - ia!  
Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. Al - le - lu - ia!

## GREETING

Alleluia! Christ is risen! **Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**And also with you.**

## \*HYMN OF PRAISE

### *Crown Him with Many Crowns*

## DIADEMATA



1 Crown him with man - y crowns, the Lamb up - on his throne;

4 Crown him the Lord of life, who tri - umphed o'er the grave



hark, how the heav'n-ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own.

and rose vic - to - rious in the strife for those he came to save.



A - wake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,

His glo - ries now we sing, who died and rose on high,



and hail him as thy match-less king through all e - ter - ni - ty.

who died, e - ter - nal life to bring, and lives that death may die.

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray together. O God, you gave your only Son to suffer death on the cross for our redemption, and by his glorious resurrection you delivered us from the power of death. Make us die every day to sin, that we may live with him forever in the joy of the resurrection, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

## THE FIRST LESSON

### **Acts 10:34-43**

<sup>34</sup>Peter began to speak to [the people]: “I truly understand that God shows no partiality, <sup>35</sup>but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. <sup>36</sup>You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. <sup>37</sup>That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: <sup>38</sup>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. <sup>39</sup>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; <sup>40</sup>but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, <sup>41</sup>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. <sup>42</sup>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. <sup>43</sup>All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.”

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

## THE SECOND LESSON

## 1 Corinthians 15:1-11

<sup>1</sup>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, <sup>2</sup>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. <sup>3</sup>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, <sup>4</sup>and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, <sup>5</sup>and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. <sup>6</sup>Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. <sup>7</sup>Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. <sup>8</sup>Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. <sup>9</sup>For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. <sup>10</sup>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. <sup>11</sup>Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

The Word of The Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

**\*GOSPEL PROCESSION**      *Come, You Faithful Raise the Strain*      GAUDEAMUS PARITER  
(Repeat as needed before and after the Gospel reading.)



2 'Tis the spring of souls to-day: Christ has burst his pris-on,  
5 Al-le-lu-ia! now we cry to our Lord im-mor-tal,  
and from three days' sleep in death as a sun has ris-en.  
who tri-um-phant burst the bars of the tomb's dark por-tal;  
All the win-ter of our sins, long and dark, is fly-ing  
Al-le-lu-ia! with the Son God the Fa-ther prais-ing;  
from the Light to whom we give laud and praise un-dy-ing.  
Al-le-lu-ia! yet a-gain to the Spir-it rais-ing.

## THE GOSPEL LESSON

## John 20:1-18

The Gospel of our Lord, Jesus Christ according to St. John, the twentieth chapter. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

<sup>1</sup>Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. <sup>2</sup>So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him." <sup>3</sup>Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went toward the tomb. <sup>4</sup>The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. <sup>5</sup>He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. <sup>6</sup>Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, <sup>7</sup>and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. <sup>8</sup>Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; <sup>9</sup>for as yet they did not

understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. <sup>10</sup>Then the disciples returned to their homes. <sup>11</sup>But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; <sup>12</sup>and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. <sup>13</sup>They said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping?" She said to them, "They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him." <sup>14</sup>When she had said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. <sup>15</sup>Jesus said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you looking for?" Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, "Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away." <sup>16</sup>Jesus said to her, "Mary!" She turned and said to him in Hebrew, "Rabbouni!" (which means Teacher). <sup>17</sup>Jesus said to her, "Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, 'I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.'" <sup>18</sup>Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, "I have seen the Lord"; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

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

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

## HOMILY

## HYMN OF THE DAY

## Thine Is the Glory

ELW 376



1 Thine is the glo - ry, ris - en, con-qu'ring Son; end - less is the  
 2 Lo, Je - sus meets thee, ris - en from the tomb! Lov - ing - ly he  
 3 No more we doubt thee, glo - rious Prince of life; life is naught with-



vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won! An - gels in bright rai - ment  
 greets thee, scat - ters fear and gloom; let his church with glad - ness  
 out thee; aid us in our strife; make us more than con - qu'rors,



rolled the stone a - way, kept the fold - ed grave - clothes  
 hymns of tri - umph sing, for the Lord now liv - eth;  
 through thy death - less love; bring us safe through Jor - dan



where thy bod - y lay.  
 death hath lost its sting! Thine is the glo - ry, ris - en, con-qu'ring  
 to thy home a - bove.



Son; end - less is the vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won!

## PROFESSION OF FAITH

## 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, 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.

## THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

To the words "Lord, in your mercy," the congregation responds "**Hear our prayer.**"

## SHARING OF THE PEACE

## THE OFFERING

## OFFERTORY ANTHEM

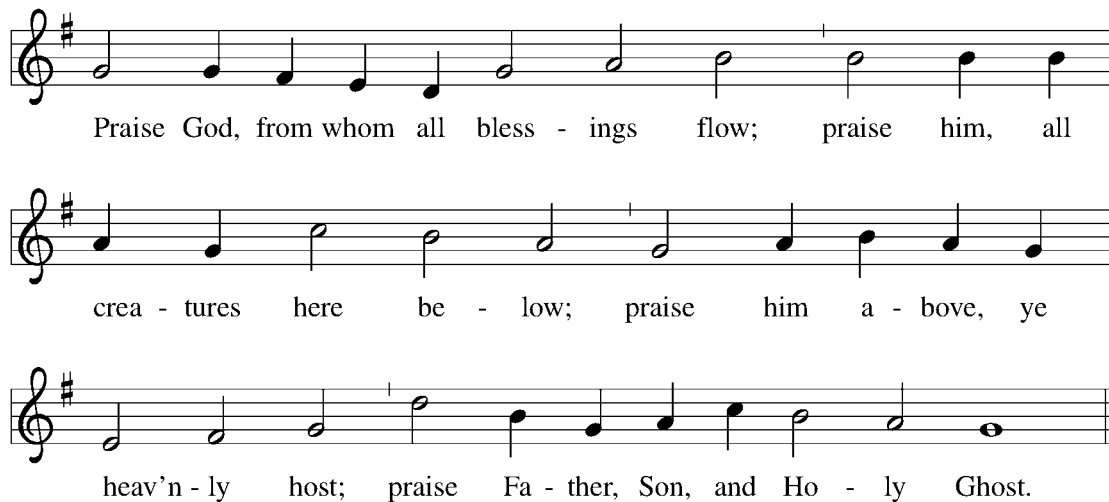
8AM: *Rachmaninoff: Piano Concerto No. 1 -- II. Andante (arranged for brass quartet)*

10AM: *Alleluia! Let the holy anthem rise (Jeffrey Quick) (two trumpets, trombones, organ, & choir)*

## \*OFFERTORY RESPONSE

## *The Doxology*

## OLD HUNDREDTH



Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; praise him, all  
crea - tures here be - low; praise him a - bove, ye  
heav'n - ly host; praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

Text: Thomas Ken, 1637–1711

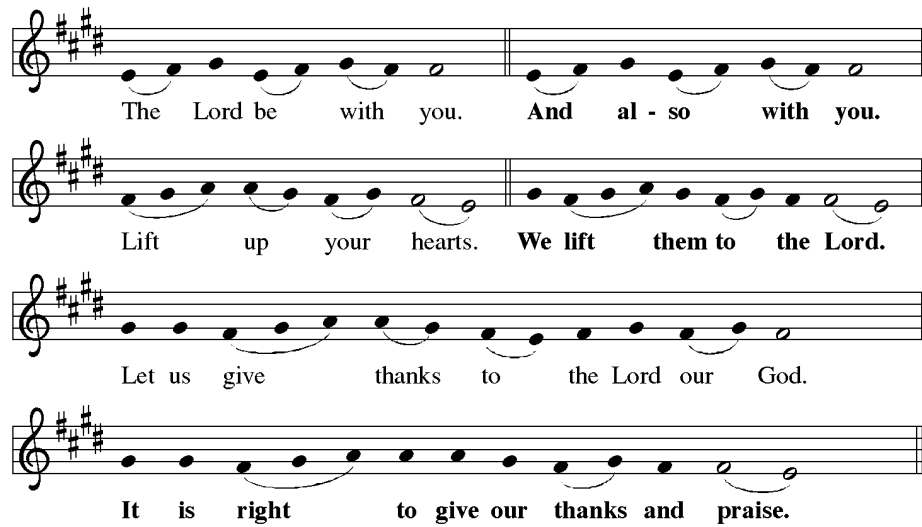
Music: OLD HUNDREDTH, Louis Bourgeois, 1510–1561

## OFFERTORY PRAYER

Let us pray. Blessed are you, O God, ruler of heaven and earth. Day by day you shower us with blessings. As you have raised us to new life in Christ, give us glad and generous hearts, ready to praise you and to respond to those in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

## \*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, for the glorious resurrection of our Savior Jesus Christ, the true Paschal Lamb who gave himself to take away our sin; who in dying has destroyed death, and in rising has brought us to eternal life. And so, with Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, Salome, and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with earth and sea and all their creatures, and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

## \*THE SANCTUS



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,

ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,

heav-en and earth are full, full of your glo - ry.

Ho - san - na in the high - est, 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, ho - san - na in the high - est.

## WORDS OF INSTITUTION

### \*THE 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.

The disciples knew the Lord Jesus in the breaking of the bread. Come to this table where you are known and loved.

### \*THE AGNUS DEI



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world;



grant us peace, grant us peace.

**DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION** - At the Lord's Table we share in the gift of Jesus' body and blood. Please bring an empty glass from the head of the aisle to receive wine from a pouring cup. Grape juice is available in the pre-filled glasses near the empty ones. If you need a gluten-free option for bread, please indicate that to the person with bread. Peel away communion kits are also available for any who so desire. Blessings will be given to those not yet communing.

## COMMUNION HYMNS

### We Know That Christ is Raised

ELW 449



1 We know that Christ is raised and dies no more.  
2 We share by wa - ter in his sav - ing death.  
3 The Fa - ther's splen - dor clothes the Son with life.  
4 A new cre - a - tion comes to life and grows



Em-braced by death, he broke its fear - ful hold,  
Re - born, we share with him an Eas - ter life,  
The Spir - it's fis - sion shakes the church of God.  
as Christ's new bod - y takes on flesh and blood.



and our de - spair he turned to blaz - ing joy.  
as liv - ing mem - bers of our Sav - ior Christ.  
Bap - tized, we live with God the Three in One.  
The u - ni - verse re - stored and whole will sing:



Hal - le - lu - jah!

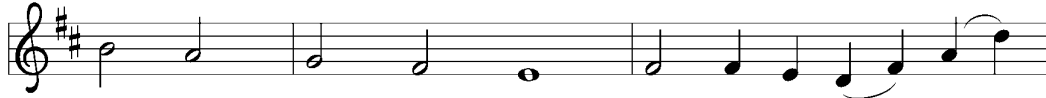


# I Know that My Redeemer Lives

ELW 619



1 I know that my Re - deem - er lives! What com - fort  
2 He lives tri - um - phant from the grave; he lives e -  
3 He lives to grant me rich sup - ply; he lives to  
4 He lives to si - lence all my fears; he lives to



this sweet sen - tence gives! He lives, he lives, who  
ter - nal - ly to save; he lives ex - alt - ed,  
guide me with his eye; he lives to com - fort  
wipe a - way my tears; he lives to calm my



once was dead; he lives, my ev - er - liv - ing head!  
throned a - bove; he lives to rule his church in love.  
me when faint; he lives to hear my soul's com - plaint.  
trou - bled heart; he lives all bless - ings to im - part.

5 He lives to bless me with his love;  
he lives to plead for me above;  
he lives my hungry soul to feed;  
he lives to help in time of need.

7 He lives and grants me daily breath;  
he lives, and I shall conquer death;  
he lives my mansion to prepare;  
he lives to bring me safely there.

6 He lives, my kind, wise, heav'nly friend;  
he lives and loves me to the end;  
he lives, and while he lives, I'll sing;  
he lives, my prophet, priest, and king!

8 He lives, all glory to his name!  
He lives, my Savior, still the same;  
what joy this blest assurance gives:  
I know that my Redeemer lives!

Text: Samuel Medley, 1738–1799, alt.  
Music: DUKE STREET, attr. John Hatton, d. 1793

## POST-COMMUNION BLESSINGS

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

## CHORAL BENEDICTION

### THE BLESSING

The God of all grace, who has called you to eternal glory in Christ, restore, support, strengthen, and + bless you by the power of the Holy Spirit, now and forever. **Amen.**



1 Now all the vault of heav'n re - sounds  
 2 E - ter - nal is the gift he brings,  
 3 Oh, fill us, Lord, with daunt - less love;  
 4 A - dor - ing prais - es now we bring



in praise of love that still a - bounds: "Christ has  
 there - fore our heart with rap - ture sings: "Christ has  
 set heart and will on things a - bove that we  
 and with the heav'n - ly bless - ed sing: "Christ has



tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!" Sing, choirs of  
 tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!" Now still he  
 con - quer through your tri - umph; grant grace suf -  
 tri - umphed! Al - le - lu - ia!" Be to the



an - gels, loud and clear! Re - peat their song of glo - ry  
 comes to give us life and by his pres - ence stills all  
 fi - cient for life's day that by our lives we tru - ly  
 Fa - ther, and our Lord, to Spir - it blest, most ho - ly



here: "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"  
 strife. "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"  
 say: "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"  
 God, all the glo - ry, nev - er end - ing!



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Text: Paul Z. Strodach, 1876-1947, alt.  
 Music: LASST UNS ERFREUEN, *Geistliche Kirchengesänge*, Köln, 1623  
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## DISMISSAL

Alleluia! Go in peace. Rejoice and be glad.

Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

**POSTLUDE** *Widor - Toccata for the brass quartet and the organ (two trumpets, horn, trombone)*

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St. Martin's Evangelical Lutheran Church

**EASTER DEDICATIONS**

**MARCH 31, 2024**

To the glory of God and in memory of our parents:  
Howard & Joyce French and Ted & Marie Freeman  
*by Tom and Barbara Freeman*

Harold Cloeter  
Connie Burghardt  
John Burghardt  
*by Cameron and Nancy Cloeter*

To: Jackie  
Love, Bob  
*by Robert Janovsky*

In loving memory of Betty Blanset  
*by Ray Blanset*

In loving memory of my daughter, Deborah Blanset  
Ridel  
*by Ray Blanset*

In memory of Marianne Chawluk Drumm  
*From the Drumm Family*

With Love to our Grandchildren - Lyla, Lucas  
and Graham  
*by Greg and Tracey Maxwell*

In memory of Art Lohsen  
*by JoAnn Lohsen*

In memory of Paul Gunther  
*by Claudia Gunther*

In memory of Family and Friends  
*by David Ehemann*

In memory of Family and Friends  
*by Carole Ehemann*

To the Glory of God and in memory of our parents,  
our nephew and Ches' sister, Sharon  
*by Ches and Sue Lanham*

Thinking of Those We Love  
*by Dave and Patsy Mattingley*

To the glory of God: In memory of our Danny  
*by Dean and Andrea Titcomb*

In loving memory to:  
Bill Glaser  
Tom Handman  
Bob Downey  
*by Janet Downey*

To the glory of God, with thanks for the promise of  
resurrection and in loving memory of Mick Thistle  
*by Paula Thistle*

In loving memory of my parents, Dr. Jack and Betty  
Liller  
*by Kim Rosekrans*

To the glory of God and thanksgiving for the ministry  
of Pastor Dave. Blessings always.  
*by Kim Rosekrans*

To the glory of God  
*by Heather and Mel Tuckfield*

In honor and praise to our risen Savior! With love -  
*by Scott and Wendy Whitney*

To the glory of God and in memory of parents and  
grandparents  
*by Sandy and Phil Ourisson*

To the Glory of God for the blessings of our family  
and our dear friends at St. Martin's  
*by Gene and Anna Marie Humphrey*

In loving memory of Doug Stazer  
*by Linda Stazer*

In memory of our parents  
*by Richard and Kirsten Jensen*

In memory of Sally Dempster  
*by Darrell Dempster*

To the glory of our risen Lord and in memory of  
Thomas Barnard Doyle  
*by Tim and Jane Doyle*

Pray all my family become believers in Jesus  
*by Suan Tan*

Serving in Worship Today		
Preacher & Celebrant	Pastor Dave Oravec	
Director of Music Ministry	Junhoon Park	
Brass Quartet	Josh Haas, Selena Maytum, Adam Zerance and Ross McCool	
Media Technician	Sara Wetz	
	8:00	10:00
Assisting Minister	Chris Converse	Mel Tuckfield
Communion Assistants	Dona Rudderow Sturn	Chaplain Paula Thistle Cam Cloeter
Lector		Kim Rosekrans
Ushers	Molly Michaelson	John & Betty Knupp Glenn & Martha Hollenbeck
Communion Clean Up	Barb Freeman	Glenn & Martha Hollenbeck

Opportunities This Week	
<b>Monday, April 1, 2024</b>	
<b>**Church Office Closed**</b>	
<b>Wednesday, April 3, 2024</b>	
<b>7:00 am</b>	Men's Prayer Breakfast (Double T)
<b>Thursday, April 4, 2024</b>	
<b>11:30 am</b>	Mid-day Bible Study (Double T)
<b>Sunday, April 7, 2024</b>	
<b>8:00 am</b>	Worship (Sanctuary)
<b>10:00 am</b>	Worship (Sanctuary)

JOIN US FOR A  
*Party with a Purpose*

AN EVENING WITH LIVE MUSIC AND DANCING TO  
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Join us for a 1-hour presentation in the St. Martin's Lutheran Fellowship Hall to hear Shelly Halverson, creator and facilitator of **A Lifetime Gift™** share insights from her ministry as a Certified Celebrant about how to prepare for the what if's and the end of your life. Light refreshments will be provided.

**DATES:**

- Saturday, April 13 at 2:00 PM; Sign-up deadline is April 3
- Sunday, May 5th, after 10 AM service; Sign-up deadline is April 24

**SIGN-UP:** In the Narthex or contact Joy Fernon, 240-674-4825, [jfernon18@gmail.com](mailto:jfernon18@gmail.com)

**PIANO RECITAL**

SUNDAY, APRIL 7TH AT 3 PM

OUR VERY OWN DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY, JUNGHOO PARK AND A SPECIAL GUEST, WILL BE PRESENTING A SPIRITUAL AND SONG CONCERT HERE AT ST. MARTIN'S.  
- ALL ARE WELCOME!



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**APR** | **7<sup>th</sup>** | **2024**

**School Board Members Needed**

The St. Martin's School Board is seeking new membership.

If you are interested in serving on the School Board, please contact Amy Stensland at: [amvestensland@gmail.com](mailto:amvestensland@gmail.com) for more information.

**Call Committee Survey is Coming!**

Please watch for the Call Committee Survey this week!