



OUR SAVIOR'S
LUTHERAN CHURCH

Celebrate

Planting Faith – Nurturing Hope – Sharing God's Love

Fifth Sunday of Easter Contemporary Worship Service
Sunday, May 3 ~ 8:45am



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GATHERING

Gathering Song – “Mighty to Save,” Reuben Morgan and Ben Fielding

1. Everyone needs compassion

Love that's never failing
Let mercy fall on me
Everyone needs forgiveness
The kindness of a Savior
The hope of nations

(Chorus) Savior He can move the mountains

My God is mighty to save
He is mighty to save
Forever author of salvation
He rose and conquered the grave
Jesus conquered the grave

2. So take me as you find me

All my fears and failures
Fill my life again
I give my life to follow
Everything I believe in
Now I Surrender *(chorus)*

(Bridge) Shine your light

And let the whole world see
We're singing for the glory
Of the risen King Jesus
Shine your light
And let the whole world see
We're singing for the glory
Of the risen King. *(chorus, bridge)*

Welcome

Alleluia! Christ is risen!
Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

+Call to Worship

In the midst of our questions and doubts, Jesus answers:
I am the way, the truth, and the life.

In the midst of our worry and distress, Jesus assures us:
I am the way, the truth, and the life.

In the midst of confusion and distrust, Jesus reminds us:
I am the way, the truth, and the life.

In the midst of impossible challenges, Jesus reminds us:
I am the way, the truth, and the life.

Come, let us worship Christ, our way, our truth, and our life.
Come, let us worship! Thanks be to God! Amen.

+**Gathering Song** – “Revelation Song,” Jennie Lee Riddle

**1. Worthy is the Lamb Who was slain
Holy Holy is He
Sing a new song to Him Who sits on
Heaven's mercy seat**

(Chorus) **Holy holy holy
Is the Lord God Almighty
Who was and is and is to come
With all creation I sing
Praise to the King of kings
You are my ev'rything
And I will adore You**

**2. Clothed in rainbows of living color
Flashes of lightning rolls of thunder
Blessing and honor strength and glory
And power be to You the only wise King *(chorus)***

**3. Filled with wonder awestruck wonder
At the mention of Your name
Jesus Your name is power breath and living water
Such a marv'lous mystery *(chorus)***

New Member Installation

+**Song of Praise** – “Way Maker,” Osinachi Kalu Okoro Egbu

**1. You are here moving in our midst
I worship You I worship You
You are here working in this place
I worship You I worship You**

(Chorus) **You are Way Maker Miracle Worker
Promise Keeper Light in the Darkness
My God that is who You are**

**You are Way Maker Miracle Worker
Promise Keeper Light in the Darkness
My God that is who You are**

**2. You are here turning lives around;
I worship You I worship You
You are here healing ev'ry heart;
I worship You I worship You (*chorus*)**

**(Bridge) Even when I don't see it You're working
Even when I don't feel it You're working
You never stop You never stop working
You never stop You never stop working**

**Even when I don't see it You're working
Even when I don't feel it You're working
You never stop You never stop working
You never stop Jesus You are (*chorus*)**

+Greeting

+Prayer of the Day

WORD

Sunday School – “I’ve Got Peace Like A River”

KidTalk

Reading – Acts 7:55-60

Word of God. Word of Life.
Thanks be to God.

+Gospel – John 14:1-14

This is the Good News.
We praise you Lord Jesus.

Sermon

Song of the Day – “You Are the Way,” Rick Muchow

**1. There's a road
That leads to happiness
There's a bridge**

**That spans the emptiness
Between God and all**

**2. There's a life
That is the Light of all
There's a truth
That brings us back again
Back home again**

(Chorus) **You are the way
The truth and the life
You are the way
The truth and the life
You are the way
The truth and the life
You are the way
The truth and the life**

**3. You're the reason
For my happiness
You're the one
That filled my emptiness
Oh yes**

**4. You're the way
And You're the way for me
You're the truth
And Your truth has set me free
You set me free (*chorus, interlude, chorus*)**

(Ending) **You are the way
The truth and the life
You are**

+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, and 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,
and he will come to judge the living and 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,
and the life everlasting.**

Amen.

+Prayers of the People

+Sharing the Peace

MEAL

Offering

Offering Song – “Diamonds,” Jason Ingram, Jonathan Steingard, Matt Bronleewe

**1. Here and now I'm in the fire in above my head
Being held under the pressure
Don't know what will be left
But it's here in the ashes
I'm finding treasure**

(Chorus) **God's making diamonds diamonds
God's making diamonds out of dust
God is refining and in God's timing
God's making diamonds out of us**

**2. I'll surrender to the power of being crushed by love
'Til the beauty that was hidden isn't covered up
Oh it's not what I hoped for
It's something much better *(chorus)***

(Bridge) **Oh the joy of the Lord
It will be my strength
When the pressure is on
God's making diamonds *(repeat)***

**Oh the joy of the Lord
It will be my strength
When the pressure is on
God's making God's making God's making**

(Chorus 2) **Diamonds, diamonds
Making us rise up from the dust**

**God is refining and in God's timing
God's making diamonds out of dust
Making diamonds out of us**

(Ending) **I won't be afraid to shine
I won't be afraid to shine
I won't be afraid to shine
'Cuz God's making diamonds out of dust
Making diamonds out of us**

+Offering Prayer

Merciful God,
accept the fruits of our labor, gathered to give you glory.
Nourish us with the body and blood of Jesus,
that goodness and mercy may follow us
and bless the world you love.
In the name of Jesus,
Amen.

+Holy Communion

+Setting the Table

+The Lord's Prayer

**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 forever. Amen.**

+Invitation to Communion

Communion Song – “O For a Thousand,” Charles Wesley, Ralph E. Hudson, Thomas Miller

**1. O for a thousand tongues to sing
My great Redeemer's praise
The glories of my God and King
The triumphs of His grace**

**2. If eloquence I could display
And ev'ry language sing
A thousand words could never say
The praise I have for Thee**

(Chorus 1) **Hallelujah, hallelujah,
Hallelujah, all praise to our God.**

**3. Before the throne we'll sing the song
With saints from ev'ry age
With thousands times ten thousand strong
We'll praise His holy name**

(Chorus 2) **Hallelujah, hallelujah,
Hallelujah, all praise to our God.
Hallelujah, hallelujah,
Hallelujah, all praise to our King.**

**4. A thousand years will be as one
When face to face I see
The splendid beauty of the Son
The One who died for me *(chorus 2)***

Prayer after Communion

SENDING

+Blessing

Announcements

+Sending Song – “My God Is Powerful,” Jay Stocker

(Chorus) **My God is powerful
He stands invincible
I will hold on to him
I will hold on to him
Through God I will overcome
He's the rock that will never move
I will hold on to him
I will hold on to him**

(Verse) **His power moves the earth and sky**
Takes me to the highest heights
My God is powerful
His power will forgive and heal
Crushes darkness drives out fear
My God is powerful *(chorus, verse, chorus)*

+Sending

Go in peace. Praise the Lord!
Thanks be to God. We will!

Worship Team

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