Cantate

O sing unto the Lord a new song; for he hath done marvelous things. Alleluia!
His righteousness hath he openly shewed in the sight of the heathen. Alleluia! Alleluia! His right hand, and his holy arm, hath gotten him the victory.
Cantate – Fourth Sunday After Easter
2 May 2021 A † D  8:00 & 10:30 a.m.
Divine Service - Healey Willan Setting
In Nomine † Jesu

Stand  THE HYMN  Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven  LSB 793

The Preparation

In the Name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Beloved in the Lord. Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Fa-
ther, beseeching Him, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to grant us forgiveness.

Kneel  Our help is in the Name of the Lord.

Who made heaven and earth.

I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord.

And You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

O Almighty God, merciful Father, I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my
sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your tem-
poral and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of
them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent,
bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merci-
ful to me, a poor sinful being.

Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my Office, as a called and ordained servant of the
Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my
Lord Jesus Christ, I forgive you all your sins in the Name of the Father and of the † Son and of
the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Stand  THE INTROIT OF THE DAY  Psalm 98:1a, 2b; 98:1b, 3-4

V  O sing | unto the LORD a new song; for he hath done marvellous things. Alle- / luia!
His righteousness hath he openly shewed in the sight of the heathen. Alleluia! / Alleluia!
His right hand, and his / holy arm,
hath gotten / him the victory.

He hath remembered his mercy and his truth toward the house of / Israel:
all the ends of the earth have seen the sal- / vation of our God.
Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all the earth: make a loud noise, and rejoicing, and sing praise.

*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.*

As it was in the beginning, is now and will be forever. Amen.

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His righteousness hath he openly shewed in the sight of the heathen. Alleluia! / Alleluia! |

**THE THREE-FOLD KYRIE**

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

**THE GLORIA IN EXCELSIS DEO**

Glory be to God on high: And on earth peace, good will toward men.

We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee for Thy great glory, O Lord God, heav’n-ly King,

God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only begotten Son, Jesus Christ, O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
The Lord be with you.

Let us pray. O God, who makes the minds of the faithful to be of one will, grant to Your people that they may love what You have commanded and desire what You promise, that among the manifold changes of this world our hearts may be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

A-men.
The Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 12:1-6

The prophet Isaiah said, in that day you will say: “O LORD, I will praise You; Though You were angry with me, Your anger is turned away, and You comfort me. Behold, God is my salvation; I will trust and not be afraid; ‘For YAH, the LORD, is my strength and song; He also has become my salvation.’” Therefore with joy you will draw water From the wells of salvation. And in that day you will say: “Praise the LORD, call upon His name; Declare His deeds among the peoples, Make mention that His name is exalted. Sing to the LORD, For He has done excellent things; This is known in all the earth. Cry out and shout, O inhabitant of Zion, For great is the Holy One of Israel in your midst!”

This is the Word of the Lord.

The Alleluia

Psalm 118:16, Rom. 6:9

Alle- / luia!
- / Alleluia!

The right hand of the LORD is ex- / alted:
the right hand of the LORD doeth valiantly. / Alleluia!
The Lord hath risen in- / dêed,
and hath appeared unto Peter. / Alleluia!

The Epistle

James 1:16-21

Do not be deceived, my beloved brethren. Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and comes down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow of turning. Of His own will He brought us forth by the word of truth, that we might be a kind of firstfruits of His creatures. So then, my beloved brethren, let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath; for the wrath of man does not produce the righteousness of God. Therefore lay aside all filthiness and overflow of wickedness, and receive with meekness the implanted word, which is able to save your souls.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.
The Sequence Hymn
Christians, to the Paschal Victim

Choir: LSB 460
Congregation: LSB 459

St. John 16:5-15

The Gospel

The Lord be with you.

And with thy spir-it.

The continuation of the Holy Gospel according to St. John:

Glory be to Thee, O Lord!

*At that time Jesus said to His disciples,* “But now I go away to Him who sent Me, and none of you asks Me, ‘Where are You going?’ But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your heart. Nevertheless I tell you the truth. It is to your advantage that I go away; for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you; but if I depart, I will send Him to you. And when He has come, He will convict the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment: of sin, because they do not believe in Me; of righteousness, because I go to My Father and you see Me no more; of judgment, because the ruler of this world is judged. I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. However, when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will guide you into all truth; for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak; and He will tell you things to come. He will glorify Me, for He will take of what is Mine and declare it to you. All things that the Father has are Mine. Therefore I said that He will take of Mine and declare it to you.”

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise be to Thee, O Christ!

The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of Very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to
the Scriptures; and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of Life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the Prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and Apostolic Church. I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins. And I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Sit

THE HYMN OF THE DAY  Sing Praise to God, the Highest Good
LSB 819

THE SERMON

THE OFFERING

THE VOLUNTARY MOTET  Cantate Domino (Ps. 149:1-2)  G. O. Pitoni
Cantate Domino, sing praises with a new song to our Savior,
His glory in the gathering of His saints.
Be joyful, Israel, in the Lord, your Maker,
And children of Sion, with gladness rejoice in your King.

Stand

THE OFFERTORY

Sit

THE RITE OF CONFIRMATION
The Announcements and the Prayer of the Church

After each bid: Let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

At the conclusion: O Lord, heavenly Father, we here remember the sufferings and death of Your dear Son, Jesus Christ, for our salvation. Praising His victorious resurrection from the dead, we draw strength from His ascension before You, where He ever stands for us as our own high priest. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the Marriage Feast of the Lamb in His Kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers, deliver and preserve us, for to You alone we give all glory, honor, and worship, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

The Service of the Sacrament of the Altar

The Preface

The Lord be with you.

Lift up your hearts.

Let us give thanks unto the Lord our God.

It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks unto You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, but chiefly are we bound to praise You for the glorious resurrection of Your Son Jesus Christ, our Lord; for He is the very paschal Lamb which was offered for us and has taken away the sins of the world; by His death He has destroyed death and by His rising to life again He has restored to us everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious Name, evermore praising You and saying:
Kneel

**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 Words of Christ’s Testament**

Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: TAKE, EAT, THIS IS MY BODY, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying, DRINK OF IT, ALL OF YOU; THIS CUP IS THE NEW TESTAMENT IN MY BLOOD, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.

**The Pax Domini**

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

Amen.
**Visitors** who have not before received communion from Pastors Petersen or Frese are kindly asked to speak with either of them, or one of the ushers, before approaching the altar for the first time.

The Blood of Christ is offered on the pulpit side from either the chalice or individual cups, but on the lectern side, only the chalice is offered. If you prefer to receive the Blood from an individual cup and you did not sit on the pulpit side, you may cross the aisle.

Communicants are encouraged to take the bottom of the Chalice with a hand to help guide it to their mouths. Children and adults who are not eligible for the Holy Communion may cross their arms, placing both hands on their shoulders, to indicate they would like a blessing at the rail.

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**THE COMMUNION HYMNS**

*Cantate Domino*  
*Jesus Christ, My Sure Defense*  
*Praise the Almighty*

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**Sit**  
*TLH 667 (refer to page 12)*  
*LSB 741*  
*LSB 797*
The Nunc Dimittis

| Lord, now | lettest Thou Thy servant depart / in peace,  
| ac- / cording- to Thy Word;  
| for mine | eyes have seen Thy / Salvation:  
| which Thou hast prepared before the face / of all- people,  
| a- | Light to lighten / the Gentiles,  
| and the Glory of Thy / people- Israel.  
| Glory | be to the Father and to / the Son  
| and to the / Holy- Spirit;  
| as it | was in the / beginning,  
| is now, and will be for- / ever-. Amen.

The Post-Communion Collect

Oh, give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good:

And His mercy endureth for-ev-er.

Let us pray. We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift; and we beseech You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

A-men.
THE SALUTATION, BENEDICAMUS, AND BENEDICTION
The Lord be with you.
\[\text{\textbf{\#} D D D D D} \]
And with thy spirit.
Bless we the Lord.
\[\text{\textbf{\#} D D D D D} \]
Thanks be to God.

Kneel
The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.
The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and a give you peace.
\[\text{\textbf{\#} D D D D D} \]

Silent Prayer
Soli Deo Gloria

Pastor - The Reverend David H. Petersen
Associate Pastor - The Reverend Michael N. Frese
Kantor - The Reverend Dr. Daniel Reuning
Vicar - Aaron Schultz
Seminarian Field Worker - Nicholas Belcher, Peter Preus
Deaconess Field Worker - Meghan Holst
Altar Care - Nicole & Jane Schulert
Elders - Jonathan Busarow, Patrick Casey, Keith Frank, Rev. Benjamin Pollock, Mike Ritzman, Alex Schultz
Dean of Acolytes - Oscar Matter
Instrumentalists - Hildie Felton, flute; Oscar Matter, recorders, saxophones; Rev. Dr. Benjamin Mayes, trombone
Psalm 98

1 Oh, sing unto the Lord a new song, for He hath done marvelous things.

2 The Lord hath made known His salvation; His righteousness hath He openly showed in the sight of the heathen.

3 He hath remembered His mercy and His truth toward the house of Israel:

4 Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all the earth Make a loud noise and rejoice and sing praise.

5 Sing unto the Lord with the harp and the voice of a psalm.

6 With trumpets and sound of cornet make a joyful noise before the Lord, the King.

7 Let the floods clap their hands, let the hills be joyful together before the Lord; for He cometh to judge the earth:

8 Let the sea roar and the fullness of the world and the people dwell therein.

9 With righteousness shall He judge the world and the people with equity.

10 Glory be to the Father and to the Son And to the Holy Ghost;

His right hand, and holy arm hath gotten Him the victory.

Isra- el: all the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.

Sing unto the Lord with the voice of a psalm.

Let the sea roar with the voice of a psalm.

With righteousness shall He judge the world and the people with equity.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.
We welcome you all to Redeemer Church. Members and visitors are invited to meet at the coffee hour, which follows each service.

Team D, captain Laci Adkins, will be cleaning this week.

Confirmation is at the 10:30 service this morning. The confirmands are: Aven Adkins, Zachary Cecil, Owen Dodson, Susan Kavouras; Arthur Matter; Jonathan Mayes, Esther Pullmann, & Ransom Pullmann

Redeemer will host a Gottesdienst conference Monday - Wednesday of this week. The conference will feature plenty of time for casuistry and camaraderie, worship, and essays from the Gottesdienst editors. The keynote speaker will be Rev. Dr. Burnell Eckardt. More information is available on the bulletin board.

On May 20th there will be a Homeschool Recitation in the undercroft at 10:30 am. Children and adults are invited to recite poems, Bible verses, literature, or songs. Everyone is invited to bring lunch and socialize after the recitation. Please contact Rachel Lent at rachellent11@gmail.com if you are interested.

Last year our missionary offering went to support the five Nigerian students studying at CTSFW. Our church will continue financial assistance by supporting the seminary in Nigeria with our missionary offering. Missions offerings can be placed in the box in the narthex.

Mark Your Calendars:

- May 13 Ascension
- May 16 Gift Planning Presentation
- May 20 Homeschool Recitation
- May 21 Redeemer Classical School Recitation Day

Special Prayer Requests: Our confirmands; Isaac Garnett; Henry Matter & Hope Katherine Clark; The family of Shane Nguyen; Neely Owen; Ed Bohrer; William Wolf; Nicole Schulert; Terry Stephens; Madeleine & David Herman; Maureen DeLassus; Marilyn Conrad; Bob Heider; Gail Ludvigson; Norma Jean Uffleman; Angie Crouch; Amanda Willets; Juanita Hahn; Ed Snyder; Mark Crouch; Dale Steinke; John & Ele Sullivan; Jim Steinke; Kelly Oliver, Bethany Kranz; Amanda Shemwell; Claire Burgdorf; Brittney Petersen; Alice Lagemann; Jenna Wietfeldt

Pastoral Calls, Vicarages, and Deaconess Internships were given this week at Concordia Theological Seminary. Nicholas Belcher, our field worker, will serve his vicarage at Faith Lutheran Church, Capistrano Beach, CA. Our deaconess filed worker, Meghan Holst, will serve
Redeemer Church and School Endowments luncheon and presentation May 16th

Andy Behrmann, Gift Planning Counselor for the LCMS Foundation, will be giving a presentation on stewardship and the gift planning process on Sunday, May 16th, at 12:30 p.m., following a luncheon at noon in the undercroft. There is no cost to attend. Please RSVP by May 9 to rbmayes@gmail.com.

The LCMS Foundation is a ministry arm of the synod that assists members to plan gifts to their families, to LCMS ministries, and to other charitable organizations. They also assist congregations and other ministries to develop endowment funds and manage their investments.

Plan to join Andy as he explains how he can help counsel you through the gift planning process, prepare you to meet with an attorney of your choice to discuss estate planning, and provide encouragement and expertise in helping you to discern how you may be a blessing to your family, church, and other charities. Andy’s services are provided at no cost to you or Redeemer.

For more information, contact Andy directly at andy.behrmann@lfnd.org, or 317-374-2866 or talk to Rebecca Mayes. You can also learn more about the LCMS Foundation at https://www.lcmsfoundation.org/.

Contact the pastors or church office

Pastor Petersen can be contacted by phoning the church office (744-2585) or his cell (414-3083). Pastor Frese can be reached through the church office or his cell (913-547-2292). Vicar Schultz can be reached through the church office or his cell (559)920-0476.

The Church Secretary office hours are Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

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This week at Redeemer

Sunday, 2 May        Cantate
   8:00 a.m.        Divine Service
   9:15 a.m.        Sunday School & Bible Class
   10:30 a.m.       Divine Service & Rite of Confirmation

There are Matins services at 8:30 a.m. Monday through Friday.

Monday, 3 May        Gottesdienst Conference

Tuesday, 4 May       Gottesdienst Conference

Wednesday, 5 May     Gottesdienst Conference

Thursday, 6 May      Gottesdienst Conference
   6:15 p.m.        Individual Confession and Absolution
   7:00 p.m.        Divine Service

Saturday, 8 May      Matins

Sunday, 9 May        Rogate
   8:00 a.m.        Divine Service
   9:15 a.m.        Sunday School & Bible Class
   10:30 a.m.       Divine Service
   7:00 p.m.        Books & Beer

Individual Absolution is offered Thursday evening at 6:15 p.m.
or any time by appointment.

Office Secretary    hours: Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 9-12