



*As a community following Christ,
we **LOVE** with an open heart,
GROW with a curious mind,
and **SHARE** with a generous spirit.*

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

- *Please turn off all cell phones.*
- *If you are visiting with us today, we extend to you a particular welcome and invite your questions and comments.*
- *Our entire worship service is printed in this worship folder for your convenience.*
- *Hearing assistance devices are available in the Narthex.*
- *Child care is available for children ages 5 years and under in the Child Care Area, across from the Life Together Hall.*

In the order of service, the words
that are spoken by a leader are in regular type.

Words spoken by the assembly are in boldface type.

SIXTH SUNDAY of EASTER

Sunday, May 10, 2026 • 8:15 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Stand.

GATHERING HYMN • "LORD, I LIFT YOUR NAME ON HIGH"

Evangelical Lutheran Worship 857



Lord, I lift your name on high; Lord, I love to sing your prais-es.
I'm so glad you're in my life, I'm so glad you came to save us.
You came from heav-en to earth to show the way, from the earth
to the cross, my debt to pay, from the cross to the grave,
from the grave to the sky; Lord, I lift your name on high.

GREETING

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.

KYRIE

Behold, I Make All Things New

Cantor sings verses; congregation sings refrain.

In peace, in peace let us pray to the Lord. **Refrain.**

REFRAIN: ALL

Ky-ri-e e - lei - son. Lord, have mer -
- cy up - on us.
Chri - ste e - lei - son. Christ, have mer -
- cy up - on us.

For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord. **Refrain.**

For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,
and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord. **Refrain.**

For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,
let us pray to the Lord. **Refrain.**

Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord. **To Amen.**

ALL:

A - men, A - - - - - men.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Loving God,
in whom we live and move and have our being,
help us to choose life in you,
that we may keep the commands of Jesus,
follow the promptings of the Holy Spirit,
and witness to the hope that is within us,
sharing Christ's love in the world.

Amen.

Sit.

READING

A reading from the letter to the Colossians.

Colossians 3:12-17

¹² Therefore, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. ¹³ Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. ¹⁴ Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. ¹⁵ And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful. ¹⁶ Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God. ¹⁷ And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Stand.

ACCLAMATION OF SCRIPTURE

Behold, I Make All Things New

REFRAIN: ALL

Al-le - lu - ia! _____ Al-le - lu - ia! _____ Al-le - lu - ia! _____

_____ Al-le - lu - ia! _____ Al-le - lu - ia! _____ Al-le - lu - ia! _____

GOSPEL

The holy gospel according to John.

Glory to you, O Lord.

John 14:15-21

[Jesus said to the disciples:] ¹⁵ “If you love me, you will keep my commandments. ¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. ¹⁷ This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

¹⁸ “I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. ¹⁹ In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. ²⁰ On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. ²¹ They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me, and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them.”

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Sit.

CHILDREN'S SERMON + SERMON

Stand.

HYMN OF THE DAY • "THY WORD"

Worship & Praise 144

Refrain

F C⁷ F B \flat C⁷ F B \flat F

Thy word is a lamp un-to my feet and a light un-to my path.

C Gm Dm Am B \flat C

1 When I feel a-fraid, think I've lost my way, still you're there right be-

B \flat /F F C Gm Dm Am

side me, and noth-ing will I fear as long as you are near.

B \flat C Dm D A/C \sharp C^{sus} C⁷ *Refrain*

Please be near me to the end.

C Gm Dm Am B \flat C

2 I will not for-get your love for me, and yet my heart for-ev-er is

B \flat /F F C Gm Dm Am

wan-der-ing. Je-sus, be my guide and hold me to your side, and

B \flat C Dm D A/C \sharp C^{sus} C⁷ *Refrain*

I will love you to the end.

CREED

Together, let us confess our faith.

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the power of 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 CHURCH

Trusting in the power of Christ's resurrection
to heal and redeem our broken world,
let us pray for the needs of all creation.

At the conclusion of each petition:

Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

God of resurrection power,
use us and these prayers to proclaim
the good news of new life to all the world,
through Jesus Christ, our risen Savior.

Amen.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

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

Sit.

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

God, the divine giver,
gifts us with life and breath and all that is.

In gratitude, let us offer our gifts in return
for the goodness and grace of God in Christ.

*You can participate in the Offering electronically
by scanning the QR code and filling out the online form.*



OFFERING

8:15 a.m.

*“By Your Mercy” • arr. Craig Courtney
MVLC Choir*

Stand.

OFFERTORY RESPONSE • "LET THE VINEYARDS"

Behold, I Make All Things New

Let the vine - yards be fruit - ful, Lord; _____ Fill to the
brim our cup of bless - ings. _____ Gath - er the har - vest from the seeds that were
sown. _____ And be fed with the bread of _____ life. _____ Gath - er the hopes and the
dreams of all; _____ U - nite them with the prayers _____ we of - fer _____ now. _____
Grace our ta - ble with your pres - ence; _____ Give us a fore - taste of the feast, _____
Give us a fore - taste of the feast, _____ Give us a fore - taste of the feast to come. _____

OFFERING PRAYER

Merciful God,
accept the fruits of our labor, gathered to give you glory.

You have set a table before us, a glimpse of that great day
when we will hunger and thirst no more.

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.**

SANCTUS • "HOLY, HOLY, HOLY"

Behold, I Make All Things New

Sing each line once.



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



2. Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry, Ho-san - na in the high - est



3. Bless'd is he who comes in the name of the Lord

*To conclude, we will sing all three lines at the same time;
doing such twice.*

You choose which line (1, 2, or 3) you want to sing each time.

(So you will sing line 1, line 2, line 3, line 1/2/3, line 1/2/3.)

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom
and teach us to pray:

**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.**

COMMUNION

Come to the table of new life.

Receive the risen Lord.

Sit.

DISTRIBUTION

At Mountain View Lutheran Church
we practice an open communion table.

The bread and wine of this table
do not belong to any church or any pastor;
they belong to Jesus Christ.

Jesus openly shares his life with you now
because he loves you and welcomes you.

And we pray that this open table
will open our hands, hearts, and home tables
to more and more,
so that the world might experience
the openness of God's love and welcome.

*If you need an alcohol-free element or a gluten-free element, then please
let your server know.*

*If you are unable to come forward for communion, then please let an
usher know and you will be served where you are seated.*

LAMB OF GOD

Behold, I Make All Things New

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, grant us peace.

COMMUNION HYMN • "CHANGE MY HEART, O GOD"

Evangelical Lutheran Worship 801

Refrain

Change my heart, O God; make it ev-er true.

Detailed description: This block contains the first line of the hymn. It features a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The treble staff has a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 3/4 time signature. The melody begins with a quarter rest, followed by a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note B4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note B4, a quarter note A4, and a quarter note G4. The bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords. The lyrics are: "Change my heart, O God; make it ev-er true."

End

Change my heart, O God; may I be like you.

Detailed description: This block contains the second line of the hymn. It features a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The treble staff continues the melody from the first line. The lyrics are: "Change my heart, O God; may I be like you." The word "End" is written at the top right of the staff.

You are the pot - ter; I am the clay.

Detailed description: This block contains the third line of the hymn. It features a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The treble staff has a triplet of eighth notes (G4, A4, B4) followed by a quarter note C5, a quarter note B4, a quarter note A4, and a quarter note G4. The bass staff has a triplet of eighth notes (G3, A3, B3) followed by a quarter note C4, a quarter note B3, a quarter note A3, and a quarter note G3. The lyrics are: "You are the pot - ter; I am the clay."

Refrain

Mold me and make me; this is what I pray.

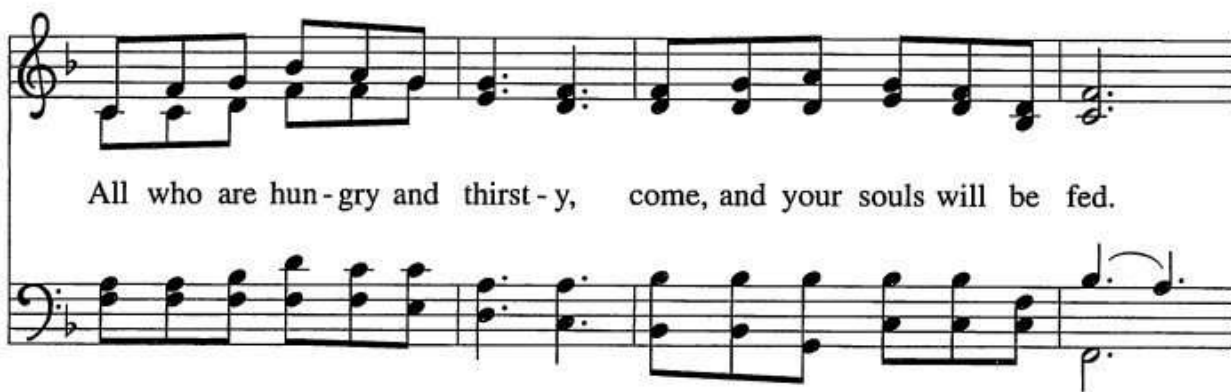
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COMMUNION HYMN • "COME TO THE TABLE"

Evangelical Lutheran Worship 481



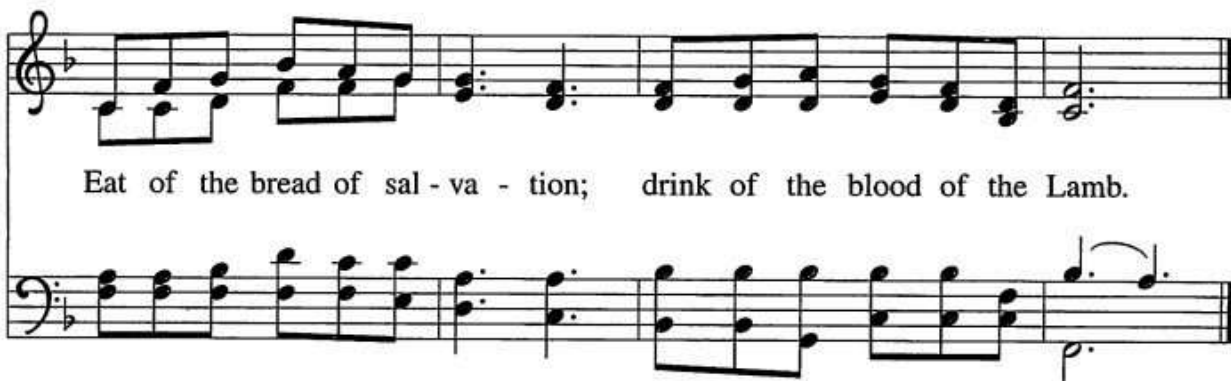
Come to the ta - ble of mer - cy, pre - pared with the wine and the bread.



All who are hun - gry and thirst - y, come, and your souls will be fed.



Come at the Lord's in - vi - ta - tion; re - ceive from his nail - scarred hand.

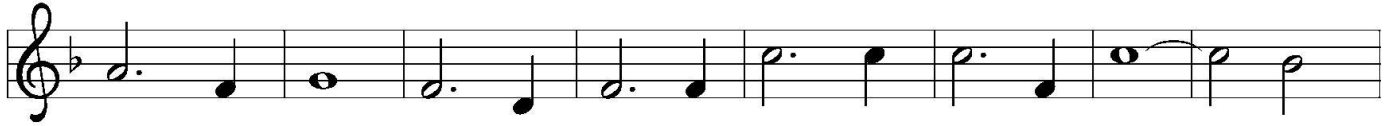


Eat of the bread of sal - va - tion; drink of the blood of the Lamb.

COMMUNION HYMN • "TASTE AND SEE"

Evangelical Lutheran Worship 493

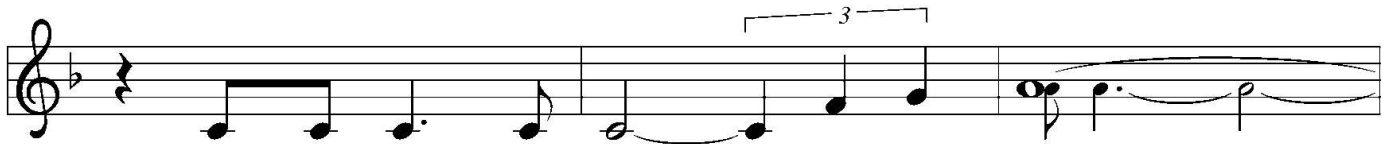
Refrain



Taste and see, taste and see the good-ness of the Lord. Oh,



taste and see, taste and see the good-ness of the Lord, of the Lord.



- 1 I will bless the Lord at all times.
- 2 Glo - ri - fy the Lord with . . me.
- 3 Wor-ship . . . the Lord, all you peo-ple.

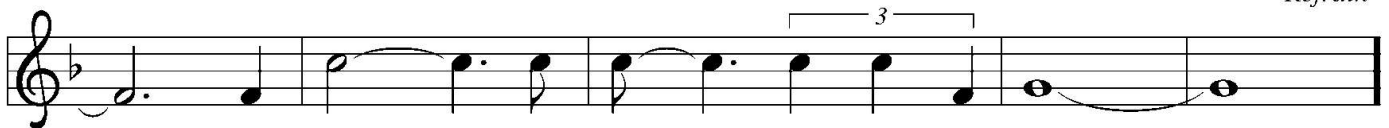


Praise shall al - ways be on my lips;
To - geth - er let us all praise God's name.
You'll want for noth - ing . . . if you ask.



my soul shall glo - ry in the Lord;
I called the Lord, . . who an - swered me;
Taste and see . . . that the Lord is good;

Refrain



for God has been so good to me.
from all my trou - bles I was set free.
in God we need put all our trust.

Stand.

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

Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

**Holy One,
through this meal you have made your home among us
and are making all things new.**

**Send us now to speak peace to anxious hearts,
to love our enemies,
and to bring your healing to the nations.**

In the name of Jesus,

Amen.

DEACON SENDING

Deacons are called to “make Christ and his redemptive love known by word and example.” Such love is expressed in the extension of Holy Communion to those who are homebound or hospitalized.

Eternal God,

**whose glory is revealed in the crucified and risen Lord,
bless those who go forth to share your word and sacrament
with our siblings in Christ who are sick or homebound.**

**In your love and care, nourish and strengthen those to whom
we bring this communion in the body and blood of your Son,
that we may all feast upon your abundant love made known in
Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

BLESSING

May God, who creates, redeems, and sustains,
keep you steadfast in faith, buoyant in hope, and abounding in love.

And the blessing of God,
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always.

Alleluia!

SENDING HYMN • "SHINE, JESUS, SHINE"

Evangelical Lutheran Worship 671

Refrain



Shine, Je - sus, shine, fill this land with the Fa - ther's glo - ry;



blaze, Spir - it, blaze, set our hearts on fire.



Flow, riv - er, flow, flood the na - tions with grace and mer - cy;



send forth your Word, Lord, and let there be light!



1 Lord, the light of your love is shin - ing, in the midst of the



2 As we gaze on your king - ly bright-ness, so our fac - es dis -



dark - ness, shin - ing; Je - sus, light of the world, shine up - on us,
play your like - ness, ev - er chang - ing from glo - ry to glo - ry,



set us free by the truth you now bring us.
mir - rored here, may our lives tell your sto - ry.



Refrain
Shine on me, shine on me:
Shine on me, shine on me:

SENDING

Go in peace. Praise the Lord. Alleluia!

Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

POSTLUDE

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Sunday, May 17, 2026 • 9:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary
Summer “unified” worship services begin.

Sunday, May 17, 2026 • 11:00 a.m. in the Life Together Hall
Annual meeting of the congregation. We will elect members of the 2026-2027 MVLC Church Council, Nominating Committee, and MEF Committee, as well as conduct other business of the congregation.

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PREACHER: Pastor Kevin Beebe.
PRESIDER: Pastor Andrew Conley-Holcom.
ASSISTING MINISTER: Steve Pahre.
MUSIC LEADER: Kevin Peterson.
VIDEOGRAPHER: David Burch.
ALTAR GUILD: Sue Bradley, Diksha Knierim, Karen Lonn, Dotty Shireman.

8:15 a.m.

USHERS: Janice Harrison, Gary Larson (head usher), Eileen Newton, George Rowe.
GREETERS: Flora Larson, Anne Roff.
ACOLYTE: Dutcher Adams.
LECTOR: Eileen Newton.
COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: David Newton, Anne Roff.
SOUND: Henry Peck.

10:45 a.m.

USHERS: Cathie Freiling, Mark Kibler, Kiera Swanson, Marlene Wright (head usher).
GREETER: Tom Fairchild.
LECTOR: Bob Linden.
COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: Diane Nelson, Charlotte Thompson.
SOUND: Clayton Hashley.

Flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God
by Jeanne Anderson in celebration of the marriage of Jordan and Kendra Bray.

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