Opening Hymn • "Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen"

Evangelical Lutheran Church 377

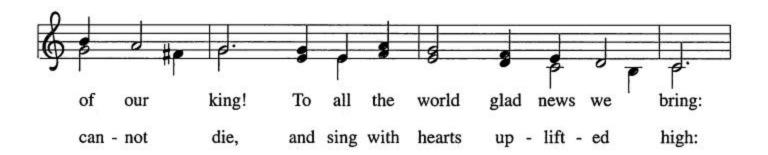


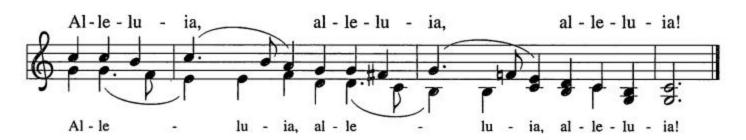
Greeting

- P 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 • "Good Christian Friends, Rejoice" Evangelical Lutheran Worship 385

- 1 Good Chris tian friends, re-joice and sing! Now is the tri umph
- 3 Praise we in songs of vic to ry that love, that life which





Salutation

- **P** The Lord be with you.
- **2** And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

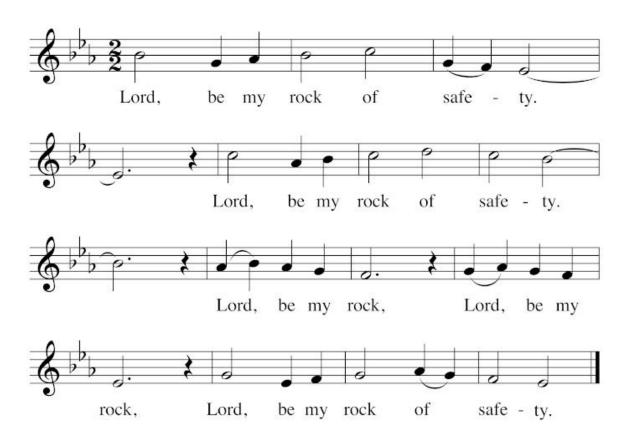
First Reading

- A reading from the Acts of the Apostles. Acts 7:55-60
- **L** The Word of the Lord.
- **©** Thanks be to God.

Psalm 31 • "Lord, Be My Rock of Safety"

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Cantor sings the refrain first, **then all repeat.** Cantor sings verses; **congregation sings refrain.**



In you, O Lord, I take refuge.

Let me never be put to shame.

In your justice, set me free;

incline your ear to me, and speedily rescue me.

Refrain.

Be a rock of refuge for me,

a mighty stronghold to save me.

For you are my rock, my stronghold!

Lead me, guide me, for the sake of your name.

Refrain.

Let your face shine on your servant.

Save me in your merciful love.

Be strong, let your heart take courage, all who hope, hope in the Lord.

Refrain.

Second Reading

- A reading from First Peter. 1 Peter 2:2-10
- **L** The Word of the Lord.
- **©** Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation • "Halle, Halle, Halle"

Gather, Third Edition 329

Sing twice.



Gospel

- P The Holy Gospel according to John.
- **Glory to you, O Lord.** John 14:1-14
- **P** The Gospel of our Lord.
- **©** Praise to you, O Christ.

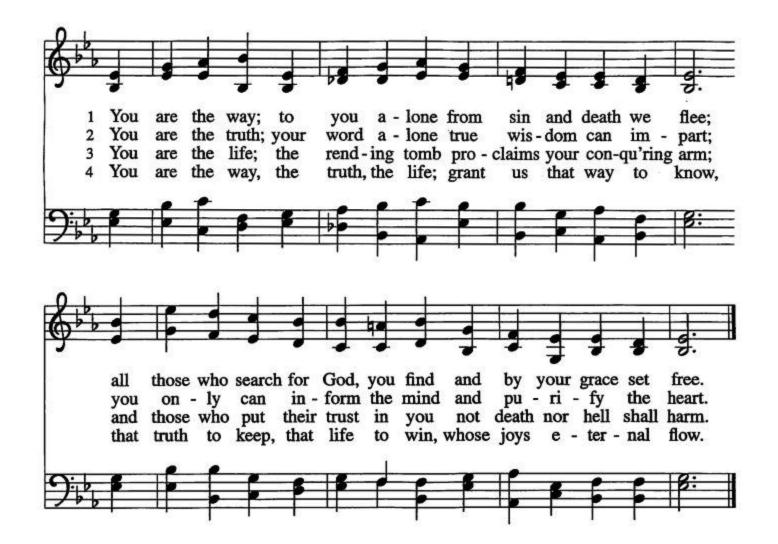
Sermon

Southwestern Washington Synod Bishop Richard E. Jaech.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

Hymn of the Day • "You Are the Way"

Evangelical Lutheran Worship 758



Nicene Creed

- P Together, let us confess our faith.
- **2** 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.

Sharing of the Peace

- **P** The peace of the Lord be with you all.
- And also with you.

Offering

We give to the Lord of our tithes and offerings.

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- Fill out all information on the page and then click the blue "GIVE" button.
- J If you want it to remember your information, visit "SIGN IN" and create an account.
- NOTE: Online giving is a one-time gift unless you check "Make this Gift Recurring."

Offertory

"With a Voice of Singing" • arr. Alice Carpenter MVLC Virtual Choir



Offertory Prayer

- P Merciful God,
- Our ordinary gifts seem small for such a celebration, but you make of them an abundance, just as you do with our lives. grant us lives dedicated to the service of others as the Easter people we are in the power and wonder of the Risen Christ. Amen.

Prayers of the Church

- P Uplifted by the promised hope of healing and resurrection, we join the people of God in all times and places in praying for the church, the world, and all who are in need.
 - **P** Lord, in your mercy,
 - hear our prayer.
- P With bold confidence in your love, almighty God, we place all for whom we pray into your eternal care; through Christ our Lord.
- **G** Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

P 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.

Benediction

P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face to shine upon you. The Lord look upon you with favor and grant you his peace. In the name of the Father, and of + the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

+ The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their baptism.

Sending Hymn • "I Know that My Redeemer Lives"

Evangelical Lutheran Church 619



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!

Sending

- P Christ is risen, just as he said. Go in peace. Share the good news. Alleluia!
- **©** Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

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