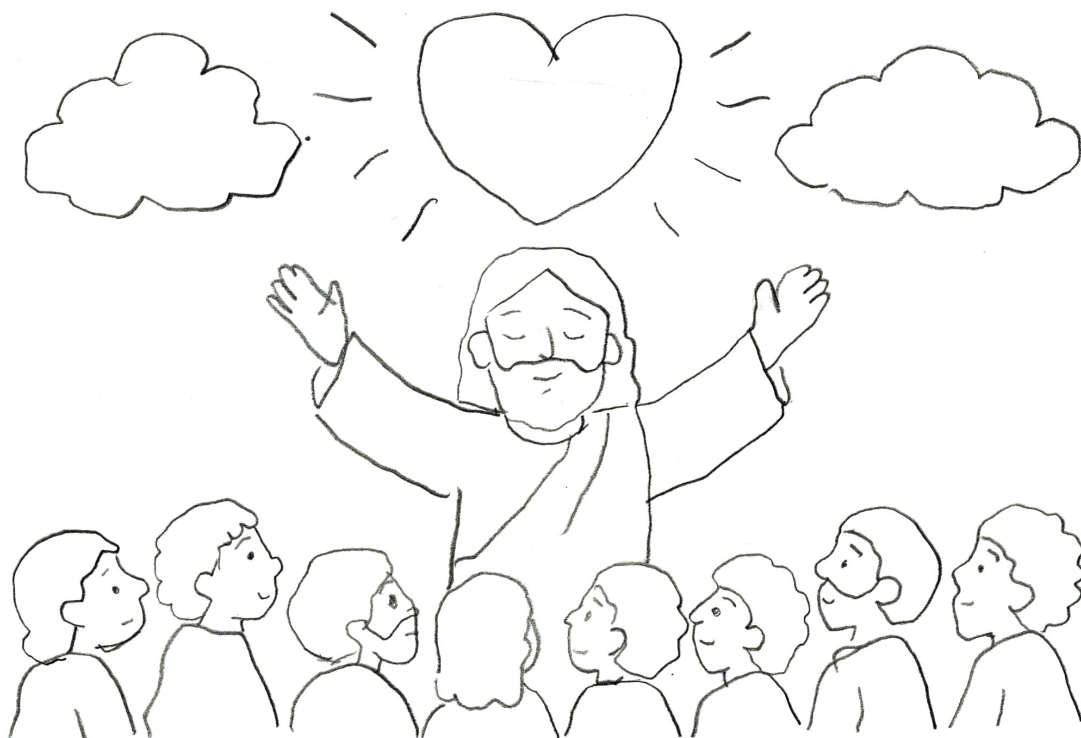


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SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



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Feast of New Life

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GATHERING

PRELUDE

Piano Concerto in D Major

J. HAYDN

RINGING OF THE BELLS

Order of St. John

WELCOME

Ella Haug & Charlotte Krause

CALL TO WORSHIP

Fanfare on Hymn-tune TWO OAKS

As music begins, the congregation turns and faces the Processional Cross.

INVITATION TO WORSHIP

Alleluia! Christ is Risen!

Christ is Risen, Indeed! Alleluia!

We no longer look for Jesus among the dead,

for Jesus is alive and has become the Lord of life.

For us the stone has been rolled away.

Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

Together we profess our faith:

I believe in one God,

the Father, the Almighty,

maker of heaven and earth,

of all that is, seen and unseen.

I 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.

I 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.

I believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.

I acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

I look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

O come let us sing to the Lord.

Let us shout for joy to the rock of our salvation!

All Are Welcome

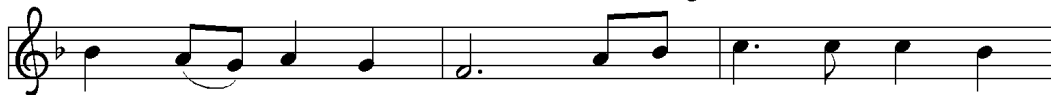
ELW HYMN 641



1 Let us build a house where love can dwell and all can safe - ly
 2 Let us build a house where proph-ets speak, and words are strong and
 3 Let us build a house where love is found in wa - ter, wine and
 4 Let us build a house where hands will reach be - yond the wood and
 5 Let us build a house where all are named, their songs and vi - sions



live, a place where saints and chil - dren tell how
 true, where all God's chil - dren dare to seek to
 wheat: a ban - quet hall on ho - ly ground where
 stone to heal and strength - en, serve and teach, and
 heard and loved and trea - sured, taught and claimed as



hearts learn to for - give. Built of hopes and dreams and
 dream God's reign a - new. Here the cross shall stand as
 peace and jus - tice meet. Here the love of God, through
 live the Word they've known. Here the out - cast and the
 words with - in the Word. Built of tears and cries and



vi - sions, rock of faith and vault of grace; here the love of
 wit - ness and as sym - bol of God's grace; here as one we
 Je - sus, is re - vealed in time and space; as we share in
 strang-er bear the im - age of God's face; let us bring an
 laugh-ter, prayers of faith and songs of grace, let this house pro -



Christ shall end di - vi - sions:
 claim the faith of Je - sus:
 Christ the feast that frees us: All are wel - come,
 end to fear and dan - ger:
 claim from floor to raf - ter:



all are wel - come, all are wel - come in this place.

GREETING

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

And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray. O God of glory,

your Son Jesus Christ suffered for us and ascended to your right hand. Unite us with Christ and each other in suffering and in joy, that all the world may be drawn into your bountiful presence, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

WORD

PSALM 118

This Is the Day

M. JONCAS

Refrain sung twice at beginning of song. 1st time by cantor, thereafter all. Verses sung by cantor.



This is the day the Lord has made; let us re-joice and be glad.



This is the day the Lord has made; let us re-joice and be glad.

Verses Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, his mercy endures forever.

Let the house of Israel say, "His mercy endures forever." **Refrain**

The Lord's right hand has struck with pow'r; the Lord's right hand is exalted.

I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the Lord. **Refrain**

The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.

By the Lord has this been done; it is wonderful in our eyes. **Refrain**

LESSON

1 Peter 4:12-14; 5:6-11

Our faith in Christ does not make us immune from the scorn of others. Nevertheless, we are to resist the designs of evil when we experience disparagement from others because we trust God's grace will strengthen and guide us.

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

Lord, Be Glorified

Verses 1 & 2



1. In my life, Lord, be glo-ri-fied, be glo-ri-fied;
 2. In your word, Lord, be glo-ri-fied, be glo-ri-fied;
 3. In your church, Lord, be glo-ri-fied, be glo-ri-fied;
 4. In your world, Lord, be glo-ri-fied, be glo-ri-fied;



in my life, Lord, be glo-ri-fied to-day.
 in your word, Lord, be glo-ri-fied to-day.
 in your church, Lord, be glo-ri-fied to-day.
 in your world, Lord, be glo-ri-fied to-day.

Before the reading: The Holy Gospel according to John, the 17th Chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL READING

John 17:1-11

On the night before his crucifixion, Jesus prays to his heavenly Father, asking that those who continue his work in this world will live in unity.

After the reading: The Gospel of our Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

ACCLAMATION REPRISÉ

Lord, Be Glorified

See previous, verses 3 & 4

FIRST GLANCE

Pedro & Gabriella Santiago

SERMON

Elle Lofing & Isabella Manley

SERMON RESPONSE

Let the words of my mouth
and the meditation of our hearts be acceptable to you, O Lord,
our rock and our redeemer. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Andrew Cloninger

After each petition: Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

PEACE

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

MEAL

OFFERTORY

As we come together living out our faith in unity we trust in our God's loving care to provide for all we need. Let us respond generously to God's abiding love with our tithes and offerings. You are invited to visit our giving page link at <https://www.stjohnslc.org/giving> and leave an online offering.

OFFERTORY MUSIC

Violin Concerto in A Major, Mvt. I

W. A. MOZART

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Let us pray. 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.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.
And also 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 God thanks and praise.

PREFACE

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 and Peter 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:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,
 heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na. Ho -
 san-na. 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.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took break and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us:

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.

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.

SELF-DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

All are welcome here at God's table. We believe Christ is truly present in the bread and wine through the faith of those who gather. Jesus invites you to this meal that imparts God's free gift of grace.

You are invited to partake of the meal with the bread and juice/wine you prepared saying:

"The body of Christ given for me/us." And "The blood of Christ shed for me/us."

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus

ELW HYMN 392



1 Al - le - lu - ia! Sing to Je - sus; his the scep - ter,
 2 Al - le - lu - ia! Not as or - phans are we left in
 3 Al - le - lu - ia! Bread of heav - en, here on earth our
 4 Al - le - lu - ia! King e - ter - nal, Lord om - nip - o -
 5 Al - le - lu - ia! Sing to Je - sus; his the scep - ter,



his the throne; Al - le - lu - ia! his the tri - umph, his the
 sor - row now; Al - le - lu - ia! he is near us; faith be -
 food, our stay; Al - le - lu - ia! here the sin - ful flee to
 tent we own; Al - le - lu - ia! born of Mar - y, earth your
 his the throne; Al - le - lu - ia! his the tri - umph, his the



vic - to - ry a - lone. Hark! The songs of peace - ful
 lieves, nor ques - tions how. Though the cloud from sight re -
 you from day to day. In - ter - ces - sor, friend of
 foot - stool, heav'n your throne. As with - in the veil you
 vic - to - ry a - lone. Hark! The songs of peace - ful



Zi - on thun - der like a might - y flood: "Je - sus
 ceived him when the for - ty days were o'er, shall our
 sin - ners, earth's re - deem - er, hear our plea where the
 en - tered, robed in flesh, our great high priest, here on
 Zi - on thun - der like a might - y flood: "Je - sus



out of ev - 'ry na - tion has re - deemed us by his blood."
 hearts for - get his prom - ise: "I am with you ev - er - more?"
 songs of all the sin - less sweep a - cross the crys - tal sea.
 earth both priest and vic - tim in the eu - cha - ris - tic feast.
 out of ev - 'ry na - tion has re - deemed us by his blood."

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

LBW HYMN 742



1 What a friend we have in Je - sus, all our sins and griefs to bear!
 2 Have we tri - als and temp - ta - tions? Is there trou - ble an - y - where?
 3 Are we weak and heav - y - lad - en, cum - bered with a load of care?



What a priv - i - lege to car - ry ev - 'ry - thing to God in prayer!
 We should nev - er be dis - cour - aged—take it to the Lord in prayer.
 Pre - cious Sav - ior, still our ref - uge—take it to the Lord in prayer.



Oh, what peace we of - ten for - feit; oh, what need - less pain we bear—
 Can we find a friend so faith - ful who will all our sor - row share?
 Do your friends de - spise, for - sake you? Take it to the Lord in prayer.



all be - cause we do not car - ry ev - 'ry - thing to God in prayer!
 Je - sus knows our ev - 'ry weak - ness—take it to the Lord in prayer.
 In his arms he'll take and shield you; you will find a so - lace there.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Let us pray. 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.**

SENDING

BENEDICTION

SENDING FORTH HYMN

JUDAS MACCABAEUS

ELW HYMN 376

Thine is the Glory



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

Refrain



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!

DISMISSAL

Go in peace, serve the Lord,
and live God's love in the world

POSTLUDE

Piano Sonata No. 14, Mvt. III
(Moonlight)

L. V. BEETHOVEN

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Presider	Pastor Paul Baglyos
Preachers	Elle Lofing & Isabella Manley
Prayers of the People	Andrew Cloninger
First Glance	Pedro & Gabriella Santiago
Lectors	Harrison Schindell & Mateo Santiago
Organ	Elie Wu
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Piano	Steven Johnson
Violin	Koll Malme
Cantors	Joel Barkel, Gavin Burns, Eliseo Paniagua
Accompaniers	Terri Baumberger, Melanie Turner, Eric Webb
Altar Guild	Lillian Schindell & Karen Olson
Eucharistic Servers	KJ Bukowski, Betty & Kaylinn Lakich
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ST. JOHN'S MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Making Space for New Life
Friday, May 22nd | 10 - 3 p.m. | The Gathering Place
Come participate in a Gathering Place spring cleaning day! As we strive to create a hospitable, mission-driven hall for our direct services and community gatherings, we're in the process of a revamp. Before we install new items, we need to clean out and donate items we're no longer using. Lunch will be included, music will be playing, and fun will be had! If you're planning to attend, please RSVP to catherine.slabaugh@stjohnslc.org.
- Meet & Greet with Jeremy and Elie
Sunday, May 24th | 10:15 a.m. | Oehler Hall
Come meet the new St. John's Organist, Elie Wu, and Associate Director of Youth and Family Ministry, Jeremy Kaetzell! As these two new St. John's employees begin their tenure here, help us welcome them into the community, learn more about the gifts they bring, and enjoy building new relationships.
- Pub Theology
Sunday, May 24th | 12:30 p.m. | Mattie Groves Brewery
Pub Theology will gather in May at our local brewery, Mattie Groves, for brews and conversation! This month, conversation will center around Community: How do we find light in ourselves and others? Come join the discussion!
- Social Justice and Faith-Aligned Investing
Sunday, May 31st & June 7th | 12:30-2:30 p.m. | The Gathering Place
The first Lunch & Learn will center around Mapping Your Money. Whether you have cash savings, a 401k, or a complex investment portfolio, this workshop will help find out where your money is, how it's currently invested, and what your options are for taking action. In part 2, you will learn how to identify the right financial needs and goals for you and your family and your social justice priorities, as well as some practical frameworks for applying those to your investments. Please RSVP on Realm!

TODAY AT ST. JOHN'S

- Youth Sundaes | 10:15 a.m. | Oehler Hall
Come celebrate Youth Sunday with sundaes and enjoy a scoop with our young folks! As we honor our young people on Youth Sunday, we'll gather for ice cream sundaes in Oehler Hall between services.