

P: Alleluia! Christ is risen. C: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Hymn of Praise	“Jesus Christ is Risen Today”	ELW # 365
Confession & Forgiveness		Screen
Sharing the Peace		
Prayer of the Day		
O God, you gave your only Son to suffer death on the cross for our redemption, and by his glorious resurrection you delivered us from the power of death. Make us die every day to sin, that we may live with him forever in the joy of the resurrection, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.		
First Reading	Psalm 118	Responsive
Gospel Acclamation	“Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds”	ELW # 367 vs. 1
Gospel	Mark 16:1-8	
Children’s Sermon		Pastor Matt
Noisy Offering		
Sermon		Pastor Matt Cordes
Offering	“I Know That My Redeemer Lives!”	ELW # 619
Holy Communion	All Are Welcome!	
Communion Hymns	“Now the Green Blade Rises”	ELW # 379
	“Halleluiah! Jesus Lives!”	ELW # 380
	“Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing!”	ELW # 385
Blessing and Benediction		
Closing Hymn	“Thine is the Glory”	ELW # 376

First Reading **Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24**
L: Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his love endures forever.
C: Let Israel say: “His love endures forever.”
L: The LORD is my strength and my defense; he has become my salvation.
C: Shouts of joy and victory resound in the tents of the righteous: “The LORD’s right hand has done mighty things!”
L: The LORD’s right hand is lifted high; the LORD’s right hand has done mighty things!”
C: I will not die but live, and will proclaim what the LORD has done.
L: The LORD has chastened me severely, but he has not given me over to death.
C: Open for me the gates of the righteous; I will enter and give thanks to the LORD.
L: This is the gate of the LORD through which the righteous may enter.
C: I will give you thanks, for you answered me; you have become my salvation.
L: The stone the builders rejected has become the cornerstone;
C: the LORD has done this, and it is marvelous in our eyes.
L: The LORD has done it this very day; let us rejoice today and be glad.

Gospel **Mark 16:1-8**
When the Sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices so that they might go to anoint Jesus’ body. Very early on the first day of the week, just after sunrise, they were on their way to the tomb and they asked each other, “Who will roll the stone away from the entrance of the tomb?” But when they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had been rolled away. As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man dressed in a white robe sitting on the right side, and they were alarmed. “Don’t be alarmed,” he said. “You are looking for Jesus the Nazarene, who was crucified. He has risen! He is not here. See the place where they laid him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter, ‘He is going ahead of you into Galilee. There you will see him, just as he told you.’” Trembling and bewildered, the women went out and fled from the tomb. They said nothing to anyone, because they were afraid.

A special Thank You this morning to our musicians:

Char Senske on the organ

Owen Kalow on the trumpet

Henry Holmberg on the euphonium

Leah Holmberg and Doug Hvidsten, song leaders