



6th Sunday of Easter

May 22nd, 2022

Opening Hymn: Jesus Lives! The Victory's Won

LSB 490

Divine Service Setting One

LSB 151

Confession and Absolution

Service of the Word

Introit

Psalm 55:4, 16–18; antiphon: v. 22



Cast your burden on the LORD, and he will sus- | tain you;*
he will never permit the righteous to | be moved.

My heart is in anguish with- | in me;*
the terrors of death have fallen up- | on me.

But I | call to God,*
and the LORD will | save me.

Evening and morning and at noon I utter my com- | plaint and moan,*
and he | hears my voice.

He redeems my soul in safety from the battle | that I wage,*
for many are arrayed a- | gainst me.

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

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he will never permit the righteous to | be moved.

Kyrie

LSB 152

This Is the Feast

LSB 155

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.



G And al - so with you.

P Let us pray.

O God, the giver of all that is good, by Your holy inspiration grant that we may think those things that are right and by Your merciful guiding accomplish them; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



G A - men.

First Reading

Acts 16:9–15

⁹A vision appeared to Paul in the night: a man of Macedonia was standing there, urging him and saying, “Come over to Macedonia and help us.” ¹⁰And when Paul had seen the vision, immediately we sought to go on into Macedonia, concluding that God had called us to preach the gospel to them. ¹¹So, setting sail from Troas, we made a direct voyage to Samothrace, and the following day to Neapolis, ¹²and from there to Philippi, which is a leading city of the district of Macedonia and a Roman colony. We remained in this city some days. ¹³And on the Sabbath day we went outside the gate to the riverside, where we supposed there was a place of prayer, and we sat down and spoke to the women who had come together. ¹⁴One who heard us was a woman named Lydia, from the city of Thyatira, a seller of purple goods, who was a worshiper of God. The Lord opened her heart to pay attention to what was said by Paul. ¹⁵And after she was baptized, and her household as well, she urged us, saying, “If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come to my house and stay.” And she prevailed upon us.

- A** This is the Word of the Lord.
- C** Thanks be to God.

Epistle

Revelation 21:9–27

Then came one of the seven angels who had the seven bowls full of the seven last plagues and spoke to me, saying, “Come, I will show you the Bride, the wife of the Lamb.” And he carried me away in the Spirit to a great, high mountain, and showed me the holy city Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from God, having the glory of God, its radiance like a most rare jewel, like a jasper, clear as crystal. It had a great, high wall, with twelve gates, and at the gates twelve angels, and on the gates the names of the twelve tribes of the sons of Israel were inscribed—on the east three gates, on the north three gates, on the south three gates, and on the west three gates. And the wall of the city had twelve foundations, and on them were the twelve names of the twelve apostles of the Lamb.

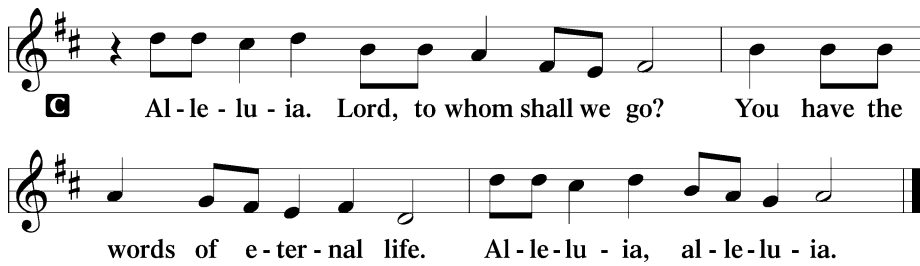
And the one who spoke with me had a measuring rod of gold to measure the city and its gates and walls. The city lies foursquare, its length the same as its width. And he measured the city with his rod, 12,000 stadia. Its length and width and height are equal. He also measured its wall, 144 cubits by human measurement, which is also an angel’s measurement. The wall was built of jasper, while the city was pure gold, like clear glass. The foundations of the wall of the city were adorned with every kind of jewel. The first was jasper, the second sapphire, the third agate, the fourth emerald, the fifth onyx, the sixth carnelian, the seventh chrysolite, the eighth beryl, the ninth topaz, the tenth chrysoprase, the eleventh jacinth, the twelfth amethyst. And the twelve gates were twelve pearls, each of the gates made of a single pearl, and the street of the city was pure gold, like transparent glass.

And I saw no temple in the city, for its temple is the Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb. And the city has no need of sun or moon to shine on it, for the glory of God gives it light, and its lamp is the Lamb. By its light will the nations walk, and the kings of the earth will bring their glory into it, and its gates will never be shut by day—and there will be no night there. They will bring into it the glory and the honor of the nations. But nothing unclean will ever enter it, nor anyone who does what is detestable or false, but only those who are written in the Lamb’s book of life.

- A** This is the Word of the Lord.
- C** Thanks be to God.

Alleluia and Verse

LSB 156




Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Holy Gospel

John 5: 1-9

- P** The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the fifth chapter.



Glo - ry to You, O Lord.

¹After this there was a feast of the Jews, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. ²Now there is in Jerusalem by the Sheep Gate a pool, in Aramaic called Bethesda, which has five roofed colonnades. ³In these lay a multitude of invalids—blind, lame, and paralyzed. ⁵One man was there who had been an invalid for thirty-eight years. ⁶When Jesus saw him lying there and knew that he had already been there a long time, he said to him, “Do you want to be healed?” ⁷The sick man answered him, “Sir, I have no one to put me into the pool when the water is stirred up, and while I am going another steps down before me.” ⁸Jesus said to him, “Get up, take up your bed, and walk.” ⁹And at once the man was healed, and he took up his bed and walked.

- P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Praise to You, O Christ.

Sermon Hymn: When to Our World the Savior Came

LSB 551

Sermon
Nicene Creed

Prayer of the Church

- P** Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their need.
- P** ...Lord, in Your mercy, **P** ...let us pray to the Lord,
C hear our prayer. **C** Lord, have mercy.
- P** Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy, through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.
- C** Amen.


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MAY 22ND, 2022 – 5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

We Pray to the Father in Jesus’ Name
“In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world” (John 16:33). Jesus has opened the way to the Father so that *“whatever you ask of the Father”* in Jesus' name, *“he will give it to you”* (John 16:23). We pray, therefore, in the confidence that we will be heard and answered, that our *“joy may be full”* (John 16:24). We pray because the Gospel has been preached to us and the Lord has opened our hearts to believe the Gospel (Acts 16:10, 14). We pray in the name of Jesus because we have been baptized into Him, as Lydia and her household were baptized (Acts 16:15). We have been healed, and we live and walk and pray in newness of life (John 5:8–9). For we stand upon the firm foundation *“of the twelve apostles of the Lamb”* (Rev. 21:14), and our temple is *“the Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb”* (Rev. 21:22).



WE WELCOME ALL who worship today, especially guests and visitors, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Guests are invited to sign our guest register. Please include your phone number and address in the guest book located in the Narthex. Thank you for visiting.

ALTAR FLOWERS: Today’s altar flowers are provided by the Floral Fund.

<u>IN RESPONSE TO GOD’S LOVE:</u>		<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Contributions</u>
5/22/22	Sunday Service	89	\$1,478.00
5/22/22	Youth	13	
5/22/22	Teachers	7	
5/22/22	Adult Bible Class	17	

THE LUTHERAN HOUR: Did you know that we sponsor *The Lutheran Hour* locally? As you are getting ready for church or if you are unable to attend worship, consider tuning in to The Lutheran Hour. It can be found on KRLN 1400AM at 8:00am Sunday mornings.



MISSIONARIES: Please remember JP and Aimee Cima, the missionaries that our congregation have adopted, asking God to protect them and use them to spread His gospel.

CONGREGATIONAL SHUT-INS: Orgene Reimers, Petie Larson, Ada Pendarvis, and Edie Cook.

CONGREGATIONAL SERVICE MEMBERS: Ryan Lehmpuhl

SITTING AND STANDING IN CHURCH: It is customary to stand during the worship service when we address God directly (*Confession, Prayers, etc.*) or out of respect (*Gospel Reading, Creed, etc.*). These actions have purpose and meaning; but they are not meant to be painful or difficult. In contrast, Psalm 51:17 says, "The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise." If at any time during the service, it is too difficult or painful to stand, please remain seated. Our Lord knows your heart.

SPECIAL PRAYERS: Please call Pastor prior to the Sunday service for special prayers.

NEED A RIDE TO CHURCH? If you or another member who you know needs transportation to church on Sundays, please call Ken Davidson at 719-429-4919.



PLEASE PRAY FOR: Sick and/or Recovering:

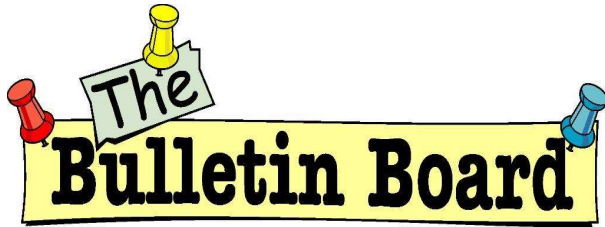
Mary Morrison (Ann Eulert's sister)	Jan Wilman
Marv Bradley (Linda Beermann's Friend)	Doris Cunningham
Joe Brown	Lorna Wright (Doris's sister)
Bob Huebner	Esther Brunner
	Carolyn McNeill

PRAYER CHAIN: If you have a prayer concern and would like to send it through a prayer chain, we have 2 options.

- To send the prayer through a phone prayer chain, please contact Mary Richardson at 719-269-1426.
- To send the prayer via email, please contact Carolyn Westlund at her email address 1956cew@gmail.com.

If you would like to join either prayer chain, please contact Mary or Carolyn (1956cew@gmail.com) respectively.

If you would like a Christian greeting card from St. John sent to your loved one listed on the above prayer list, please contact Mary Richardson with the address where it should be sent.



CHANGES TO ANNOUNCEMENTS: With the addition of our new Office Manager, Sarah Bedford, we will be closing the bulletins@StJohnCanonCity.org email account. Please send all announcements - for bulletins and the parish paper - to office@StJohnCanonCity.org. Thank You.

PARISH PAPER: Articles for the June Parish Paper are due TODAY. Please email any articles to Office@StJohnCanonCity.org. Thanks.

PAINT NIGHT: All St John ladies and girls-- join us in the fellowship hall on Monday, June 6th at 6 pm for a paint and wine night with Bri Jones. There will be a nominal fee to cover supplies. A free will offering will go to the Jones family to help with medical expenses. More information to come. See Valerie Langley if you're interested. There will be a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: The church will be hosting Vacation Bible School June 13-17 and we need Volunteers! There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall.

NEXT WEEK'S SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON IS ENTITLED: "An Enemy Converts" – Saul. On the road to Damascus, Saul encounters the risen Lord, who converts him from a persecutor of the Church to its greatest missionary—Paul. God sends Ananias to lay hands upon the temporarily blinded Saul, baptizing him in the name of the living God. Despite the disciples' distrust of Saul's motives, Barnabas speaks boldly on Saul's behalf. Discuss, "How does the conversion of Saul change the history of the world?"

THIS WEEK AT ST. JOHN -- MAY 22- MAY 29, 2022

Office Hours: Monday through Friday — 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 22, 2022

9:00 a.m. Divine Worship with Holy Communion
Greeter: Koleen Hassey
Reader: Curtis Eulert
Communion Assistants: Curtis Eulert, Dave Lehmpuhl, & Doug Westlund
10:15 a.m. Fellowship
10:30 a.m. Sunday School & Confirmation Questioning
Sunday School lesson - "A Deacon Delivers" - Philip and an Ethiopian

Monday, May 23, 2022

*HAPPY
BIRTHDAY*

Sandy Smith

Wednesday, May 25, 2022

10:00 a.m. Bible Study
6:00 p.m. Youth Group
6:30 p.m. Bible Study

*HAPPY
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Carolyn Westlund

Thursday, May 26, 2022

*Happy
Anniversary*

Dave & Carla Lehmpuhl

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Sermon Notes

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