

# FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 11, 2025 – 9:30 a.m.

## AS WE GATHER

In our world of constant change and abundant challenges to our faith, we often feel alone, and fear causes us to question where God is and what He is doing. Our Good Shepherd has pledged never to abandon us but to be with us always. More than this, He has promised that no one can snatch us from His hand. He is the powerful Good Shepherd who lays down His life for His sheep. Because of the investment He has made in us, He does not surrender us to temptation, trouble, trial, or test. Even as we celebrate Jesus as our Good Shepherd, we also acknowledge that His shepherding love and care continues through the undershepherds whom He sends to protect, preserve, and provide for His sheep. The pastors do not replace Jesus, our Good Shepherd, but are the means by which our Lord continues His work among us through His Word and Sacraments. His Word and promise continue and He is among us just as He has said, still leading us to the still quiet waters, the rich green pastures, and the safe refuge so familiar to us in the words of Psalm 23.

**PRESERVICE** “Christ Is Risen, He Is Risen Indeed” -Getty

## ENTRANCE HYMN “I Am Jesus’ Little Lamb” *LSB* 740

1 I am Jesus’ little lamb,  
Ever glad at heart I am;  
For my Shepherd gently guides me,  
Knows my need and well provides me,  
Loves me ev’ry day the same,  
Even calls me by my name.

2 Day by day, at home, away,  
Jesus is my staff and stay.  
When I hunger, Jesus feeds me,  
Into pleasant pastures leads me;  
When I thirst, He bids me go  
Where the quiet waters flow.

3 Who so happy as I am,  
Even now the Shepherd’s lamb?  
And when my short life is ended,  
By His angel host attended,  
He shall fold me to His breast,  
There within His arms to rest.  
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## INVOCATION

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**People: Amen.**

## CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION *Based on Isaiah 53:6; 1 Peter 2:24*

Pastor: All we like sheep have gone astray;

**People: we have turned every one to his own way;**

Pastor: and the LORD has laid on Jesus the iniquity of us all. He Himself bore our sins in His body on the cross

**People: that we might die to sin and live to righteousness.**

*Silence for reflection and examination.*

Pastor: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

**People: Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.**

Pastor: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**People: Amen.**

Pastor: He who began this good work within you will bring it to completion on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. The peace of the Lord be with you.

**People: Amen.**

**INTROIT** *Psalm 78:70–72; 79:13; antiphon: John 10:14, 15b*

Pastor: I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, and I lay down my life for the sheep.

**People: He chose David his servant and took him from the sheepfolds; from following the nursing ewes he brought him to shepherd Jacob his people, Israel his inheritance.**

Pastor: With upright heart he shepherded them and guided them with his skillful hand.

**People: But we your people, the sheep of your pasture, will give thanks to you forever; from generation to generation we will recount your praise.**

**All: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

Pastor: I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, and I lay down my life for the sheep.

**KYRIE**

Pastor: In peace let us pray to the Lord.

**People: Lord, have mercy.**

Pastor: For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.

**People: Lord, have mercy.**

Pastor: 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.

**People: Lord, have mercy.**

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

**People: Lord, have mercy.**

Pastor: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

**People: Amen.**

**HYMN OF PRAISE** “Alleluia! Sing to Jesus” *LSB* 821

1 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus;

His the scepter, His the throne;

Alleluia! His the triumph,

His the victory alone.

Hark! The songs of peaceful Zion

Thunder like a mighty flood:

“Jesus out of ev’ry nation

Has redeemed us by His blood.”

2 Alleluia! Not as orphans  
Are we left in sorrow now;  
Alleluia! He is near us;  
Faith believes, nor questions how.  
Though the cloud from sight received Him  
When the forty days were o'er,  
Shall our hearts forget His promise:  
"I am with you evermore"?

3 Alleluia! Bread of heaven,  
Here on earth our food, our stay;  
Alleluia! Here the sinful  
Flee to You from day to day.  
Intercessor, Friend of sinners,  
Earth's Redeemer, hear our plea  
Where the songs of all the sinless  
Sweep across the crystal sea.

4 Alleluia! King eternal,  
Lord omnipotent we own;  
Alleluia! Born of Mary,  
Earth Your footstool, heav'n Your throne.  
As within the veil You entered,  
Robed in flesh, our great High Priest,  
Here on earth both priest and victim  
In the eucharistic feast.

5 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus;  
His the scepter, His the throne;  
Alleluia! His the triumph,  
His the victory alone.  
Hark! The songs of peaceful Zion  
Thunder like a mighty flood:  
"Jesus out of ev'ry nation  
Has redeemed us by His blood."  
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## **SALUTATION**

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

## **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Pastor: Let us pray. Almighty God, merciful Father, since You have wakened from death the Shepherd of Your sheep, grant us Your Holy Spirit that when we hear the voice of our Shepherd we may know Him who calls us each by name and follow where He leads; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**People: Amen.**

**FIRST READING** *Acts 20:17–35* ("Pay careful attention to yourselves and to all the flock.") Now from Miletus [Paul] sent to Ephesus and called the elders of the church to come to him. And when they came to him, he said to them: "You yourselves know how I lived among you the whole time from the first day that I set foot in Asia, serving the Lord with all humility and with tears and with trials that happened to me through the plots

of the Jews; how I did not shrink from declaring to you anything that was profitable, and teaching you in public and from house to house, testifying both to Jews and to Greeks of repentance toward God and of faith in our Lord Jesus Christ. And now, behold, I am going to Jerusalem, constrained by the Spirit, not knowing what will happen to me there, except that the Holy Spirit testifies to me in every city that imprisonment and afflictions await me. But I do not account my life of any value nor as precious to myself, if only I may finish my course and the ministry that I received from the Lord Jesus, to testify to the gospel of the grace of God. And now, behold, I know that none of you among whom I have gone about proclaiming the kingdom will see my face again. Therefore I testify to you this day that I am innocent of the blood of all of you, for I did not shrink from declaring to you the whole counsel of God. Pay careful attention to yourselves and to all the flock, in which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to care for the church of God, which he obtained with his own blood. I know that after my departure fierce wolves will come in among you, not sparing the flock; and from among your own selves will arise men speaking twisted things, to draw away the disciples after them. Therefore be alert, remembering that for three years I did not cease night or day to admonish everyone with tears. And now I commend you to God and to the word of his grace, which is able to build you up and to give you the inheritance among all those who are sanctified. I coveted no one's silver or gold or apparel. You yourselves know that these hands ministered to my necessities and to those who were with me. In all things I have shown you that by working hard in this way we must help the weak and remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how he himself said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'"

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM** *Psalm 23; antiphon: v. 4*

Leader: Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

**People: The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.**

Leader: He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters.

**People: He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.**

Leader: Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

**People: You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.**

Leader: Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

**All: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

Leader: Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

**EPISTLE** *Revelation 7:9–17* (The Lamb who sits on the throne shall be their Shepherd.) After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen." Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?" I said to him, "Sir, you know." And he said to me, "These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. Therefore they are before the throne of God, and serve him day and night in his temple; and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence. They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore; the sun shall not strike them, nor any scorching

heat. For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of living water, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**HOLY GOSPEL** *John 10:22–30* (No one can snatch the sheep out of the Shepherd’s hand.)

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the tenth chapter.

**People: Glory to You, O Lord.**

At that time the Feast of Dedication took place at Jerusalem. It was winter, and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the colonnade of Solomon. So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, “How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Christ, tell us plainly.” Jesus answered them, “I told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father’s name bear witness about me, but you do not believe because you are not part of my flock. My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand. My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father’s hand. I and the Father are one.”

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**People: Praise to You, O Christ.**

**HYMN OF THE DAY** “The King of Love My Shepherd Is” *LSB 709*

1       The King of love my shepherd is,  
      Whose goodness faileth never;  
I nothing lack if I am His  
      And He is mine forever.

2       Where streams of living water flow,  
      My ransomed soul He leadeth  
And, where the verdant pastures grow,  
      With food celestial feedeth.

3       Perverse and foolish oft I strayed,  
      But yet in love He sought me  
And on His shoulder gently laid  
      And home rejoicing brought me.

4       In death’s dark vale I fear no ill  
      With Thee, dear Lord, beside me,  
Thy rod and staff my comfort still,  
      Thy cross before to guide me.

5       Thou spreadst a table in my sight;  
      Thine unction grace bestoweth;  
And, oh, what transport of delight  
      From Thy pure chalice floweth!

6       And so through all the length of days  
      Thy goodness faileth never;  
Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise  
      Within Thy house forever!

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## SERMON

### APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

### PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

**OFFERING** “Oh How Good It Is” -Getty

*We offer our gifts to the Lord as we use this time in our service for contemplation and preparation for the sacrament of communion. Offerings can be placed in the plates at the back entrance doors as you enter the sanctuary, or as the offering plates are passed at this time.*

**PREFACE** 2 Timothy 4:22

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them to the Lord.**

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

### PROPER PREFACE

Pastor: It is truly good, right, our duty, and our delight to give You thanks and praise at all times and in every place, almighty God, heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, for You fulfilled Your promise to shepherd Your people in love, forgiving their sins and securing them in Your grace and favor by Your Word and Sacraments. Therefore with the angels and archangels, apostles and prophets, and all the great cloud of witnesses who have loved Your appearing and died in faith, we join in their unending hymn of praise, joyfully singing:

### SANCTUS

Holy holy holy Lord

God of power and might

Heav'n and earth are full of your glory

Hosanna in the highest

Blessed is he who comes

In the name of the Lord

Hosanna in the highest

Hosanna in the highest

### PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Pastor: Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross.

Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit. Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own

testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**People: Amen.**

**THE WORDS OF OUR LORD** *Matthew 26:26–28; Mark 14:22–24; Luke 22:19–20; 1 Corinthians 11:23–25*

Pastor: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: “Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.”

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: “Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

**PROCLAMATION OF CHRIST** *1 Corinthians 11:26; Revelation 22:20*

Pastor: As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord’s death until He comes.

**People: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

Pastor: O Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, in giving us Your body and blood to eat and to drink, You lead us to remember and confess Your holy cross and passion, Your blessed death, Your rest in the tomb, Your resurrection from the dead, Your ascension into heaven, and Your coming for the final judgment. So remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

**LORD’S PRAYER** *Matthew 6:9–13*

**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.**

**PAX DOMINI**

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**People: Amen.**

**AGNUS DEI**

Lamb of God you take away

All the sin of the world

Oh Lamb of God have mercy on us

And grant to us your peace

*You are invited to receive the Lord’s Supper if you believe and confess that Jesus Christ is your Savior from sin, you are a baptized child of the Triune God, and you believe that He gives you His body and blood in the bread and wine you receive. White grape juice can be found in the center of each tray for those who cannot receive alcohol. Children are welcome to come forward for a blessing.*

*Communion is offered in two ways: the individual cup and the common cup. If you would like the individual cup, please partake as the assistant minister passes by after Pastor gives the bread. If you would like the common cup, let the assistant minister pass by, open your hands palm up, and Pastor will return to give you the common cup.*

## **DISTRIBUTION HYMNS**

“Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us” *LSB* 711

1        Savior, like a shepherd lead us;  
      Much we need Your tender care.  
In Your pleasant pastures feed us,  
      For our use Your fold prepare.  
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,  
      You have bought us; we are Yours.  
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,  
      You have bought us; we are Yours.

2        We are Yours; in love befriend us,  
      Be the guardian of our way;  
Keep Your flock, from sin defend us,  
      Seek us when we go astray.  
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,  
      Hear us children when we pray.  
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,  
      Hear us children when we pray.

3        You have promised to receive us,  
      Poor and sinful though we be;  
You have mercy to relieve us,  
      Grace to cleanse, and pow’r to free.  
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,  
      Early let us turn to You.  
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,  
      Early let us turn to You.

4        Early let us seek Your favor,  
      Early let us do Your will;  
Blessèd Lord and only Savior,  
      With Your love our spirits fill.  
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,  
      You have loved us, love us still.  
Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus,  
      You have loved us, love us still.  
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“Children of the Heavenly Father” *LSB* 725

1        Children of the heav’nly Father  
Safely in His bosom gather;  
Nestling bird nor star in heaven  
Such a refuge e’er was given.

2        God His own doth tend and nourish;  
In His holy courts they flourish.  
From all evil things He spares them;  
In His mighty arms He bears them.



3        Neither life nor death shall ever  
From the Lord His children sever;  
Unto them His grace He showeth,  
And their sorrows all He knoweth.

4        Though He giveth or He taketh,  
God His children ne'er forsaketh;  
His the loving purpose solely  
To preserve them pure and holy.  
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“The Lord’s My Shepherd, I’ll Not Want” *LSB* 710

1        The Lord’s my shepherd, I’ll not want;  
      He makes me down to lie  
In pastures green; He leadeth me  
      The quiet waters by.

2        My soul He doth restore again  
      And me to walk doth make  
Within the paths of righteousness,  
      E’en for His own name’s sake.

3        Yea, though I walk in death’s dark vale,  
      Yet will I fear no ill;  
For Thou art with me, and Thy rod  
      And staff me comfort still.

4        My table Thou hast furnishèd  
      In presence of my foes;  
My head Thou dost with oil anoint,  
      And my cup overflows.

5        Goodness and mercy all my life  
      Shall surely follow me;  
And in God’s house forevermore  
      My dwelling place shall be.  
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## **BLESSING**

Pastor: May our Lord’s body and blood strengthen and preserve you in true faith to life everlasting. Depart in peace and with joy.

**People: Amen.**

## **POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING**

Pastor: Let us pray. Almighty God, heavenly Father, we give You thanks for providing for us Your own Son to be our Shepherd and Lord. Grant that through the means of grace and those undershepherds who administer them to us we may continue to be fed and nourished to eternal life and bring us at last to that day when we shall gather as one in Your presence on high, without trouble or trial to afflict us, and we shall know His love face to face; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**People: Amen.**

**BENEDICTION** *Hebrews 13:20–21; Numbers 6:24–26*

Pastor: Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do His will, working in you that which is pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever.

**People: Amen.**

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

**People: Amen.**

**HYMN** “Alleluia, Alleluia, Give Thanks” *WOV 671*

*Chorus:* Alleluia alleluia Give thanks to the Risen Lord

Alleluia alleluia Give praise to His Name

1. Jesus is Lord of all the earth  
He is the King of creation

2. Spread the good news o'er all the earth  
Jesus has died and has risen

3. We have been crucified with Christ  
Now we shall live forever

4. God has proclaimed the just reward  
Life for all people alleluia

5. Come let us praise the Living God  
Joyfully sing to our Saviour

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**POSTLUDE** “Holy Is the Lord” -Twila Paris

Creative Worship for the Lutheran Parish, Series C, Quarter 2.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**SUNDAY SCHEDULE**

Worship 9:30 a.m.

**You are encouraged to take a walk this week with the Lord by reading Galatians. May the Lord make your heart burn with joy at the Good News and your place in His Kingdom!**

**GENEROSITY THOUGHTS:** *John 10:27 – “My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow Me.”* On their own sheep are in great danger. They need a shepherd to guide them. The sheep know the Shepherd’s voice, and we delight to go where He leads. Of course, the world, the devil, and our own sinful flesh want to pull us in another direction. Namely, they want to pull us in the direction of death. But following the Shepherd means life. So, no matter how difficult the path is, let us follow the Shepherd!

**BARNABAS BUDDY** reveal will be June 8th after service in the Sunday School room. This is so we can show the congregation the room and what we have been teaching.

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING:** Our next Congregational Meeting will be held at Emmaus on Sunday, June 1 after the worship service. We will be voting on boards and officers for the 2025-2026 year at Emmaus. There will also be a potluck following the meeting, so please plan to join us! Sign up in the narthex if you can help.

**LUTHERAN WITNESS SUBSCRIPTIONS – DUE MAY 15:** It is time to renew your subscriptions to *The Lutheran Witness*. Cost for the year is \$24.97 per subscription per year beginning August 2025. Renewals must be into the church office no later than May 15, 2025. Checks should be made out to Emmaus. If you would like to start a new subscription to receive *The Lutheran Witness* at your home, please talk to Maria in the office.

**PLANT SALE:** Want the look of the tropics this summer? Consider purchasing an Elephant Ear plant. Easy to grow when given plenty of water, these can be planted outdoors when the soil warms up, usually by the end of May. For more information, see poster board in the entryway, and see plants outside along the north wall of Emmaus. Prices vary by size. All proceeds will go to support Emmaus. Contact Jean G or come to Jean's plant sale at Emmaus on Friday, May 16 or Saturday, May 17 from 9 to 4 or until the plants are gone.

**HEAR "THE LUTHERAN HOUR"** on Sunday mornings at 6:05 a.m. on WCCO 830 AM radio. Next week's broadcast: "Truth That Takes Us In" Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler. Jesus is the Truth Who will take you in to live like He lives, planted in God His Father's love. (John 15:9)

**SAVE THE DATE! Circuit Ascension Eve Service & Choir with Fellowship Potluck:** Jehovah Lutheran is excited to once again host an Ascension Eve Service with fellowship meal to follow on Wednesday, May 28 at 6:30 p.m. All congregations and schools of the St. Paul Metro Circuit are invited to this event to celebrate Our Lord's Ascension. Singers are invited to join a festival choir, directed by Jim Glynn (details below). Please bring a dish to share.

**Circuit Choir Information:** Singers are invited to join a massed choir for this festival. Music will be emailed in advance and Jim Glynn will lead the choir in the following rehearsals at Jehovah Lutheran:

- Wednesday, May 21: 6:30 pm
- Wednesday, May 28: 5:30 - 6:10 pm (prior to the 6:30 service)

Please contact Jim to be placed on the email distribution list or for more information on singing at [jimglynn@pm.me](mailto:jimglynn@pm.me) or (c) 612-282-3660. And please plan to participate on the 28th even if you are unable to make the May 21st rehearsal!

### **THIS WEEK AT EMMAUS:**

Today: 9:30 a.m. Worship

10:30 a.m. Bible Study

Tues: 10:30 a.m. Worship Meeting

Wed: 9 a.m. Bulletin Deadline

1:30 p.m. Bible Study

Thurs: Office closed

6:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Fri: Office Closed

Sat: 12-5 p.m. Organist rehearsal

Next Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Worship

10:30 a.m. Bible Study

**SERVING OUR WORSHIP SERVICE TODAY:**

PASTOR: Rev. Nick Kooi

ALTAR GUILD: Jean G

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