



The Seventh Sunday of Easter
May 17, 2026

ALL
SAINTS
CHURCH

CALL TO WORSHIP & PROCESSIONAL

†The congregation standing

Prelude

Procession + Psalm of the Day (back cover)

Minister: Arise now and ascend to the heavenly city in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit!

Congregation: Amen!

†Processional Hymn - *Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise*, next page

Minister: Hallelujah! Christ is risen.

Congregation: The Lord is risen indeed. Hallelujah!

CONFESSION: SIN OFFERING + ABSOLUTION

The congregation is invited to kneel.

Unison: Most merciful God, we confess that 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 are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Silent confession.

Minister: But when the fullness of the time came, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the Law, so that He might redeem those who were under the Law, that we might receive the adoption as sons. Therefore, as a Minister of the Gospel, I declare that your sins are forgiven in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Congregation: Thanks be to God. Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name. Amen.

Minister: Therefore, stand in His presence, knowing your acceptance in the Savior. O Lord, open thou our lips.

Congregation: And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

†Ascension Hymn - *Rise Again, Ye Lion-Hearted*, turn page

Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise

1. Hail the day that sees Him rise
 2. There for Him high tri - umph waits;
 3. *High - est Heav'n its Lord re - ceives,* Al - le - lu - ia!
 4. *See He lifts His hands a - bove.*
 5. Still for us He in - ter - cedes,
 6. There we shall with Him re - main,

To His throne be - yond the skies;
 Lift your heads, e - ter - nal gates;
 Yet *He loves the earth He leaves;* Al - le - lu - ia!
 See, *He shows the prints of love,*
 His pre - vail - ing death He pleads,
 Part - ners of His end - less reign;

Christ, a while to mor - tals giv'n,
 He has con - quered death and sin;
Though re - turn - ing to His throne, Al - le - lu - ia!
 Hark, *His gra - cious lips be - stow,*
 Near Him - self pre - pares our place,
 There His face un - cloud - ed see,

Re - as - cends His na - tive Heav'n.
 Take the King of glo - ry in.
Still He calls the world His own. Al - le - lu - ia!
Bless - ings on His church be - low.
 He the first - fruits of our race.
 Live with Him e - ter - nal - ly.

Rise Again, Ye Lion-Hearted

1. Rise a - gain, ye li - on - heart - ed Saints of ear - ly Christ - en - dom.
 2. These the men by fear un - shak - en Fac - ing dan - ger daunt - less - ly;
 3. Great of heart, they know no turn - ing, Hon - or, gold, they laugh to scorn,
 4. Would to God that I might ev - en As the mar - tyred saints of old,

5
 Whith - er is your strength de - par - ted, Whith - er gone your mar - tyr - dom?
 These no witch - ing lust hath tak - en, Lust that lures to van - i - ty.
 Quench de - sires with - in them burn - ing, By no earth - ly pas - sion torn.
 With the help - ing hand of Heav - en, Stead - fast stand in bat - tle bold!

9
 Lo, love's light is on them, Glo - ry's flame up - on them,
 Mid the roar and rat - tle Of tu - mult - uous bat - tle
 Mid the li - ons' roar - ing, Songs of praise out - pour - ing,
 O my God, I pray Thee, In the com - bat stay me.

13
 And their will to die doth quell Ev'n the lord and prince of Hell.
 In de - sire they soar a - bove All that earth would have them love.
 Joy - ous - ly they take their stand On th'a - re - na's blood - y sand.
 Grant that I may ev - er be Loy - al, staunch, and true to Thee.

Music: Bernhard Klein, 1817; alt. James B. Jordan (1949-)
 Text: Unknown, 1712; tr. Martin H. Franzmann (1907-1976) ©

LÖWEN, LASST EUCH [STRATFORD]
 8 7 . 8 7 . 6 6 . 7 7 .

†Collect for the Seventh Sunday of Easter

Unison: O God, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to that place where our Savior Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

CONSECRATION: SCRIPTURE & TEACHING

The Lesson - Acts 1:6-14

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

The Psalm - Psalm 68: Let God Arise in All His Might, vv. 1-2

Congregation: Amen! (following the Psalm)

Let God Arise in All His Might

Based on Psalm 68:1-6, 32-35

The musical score is written in 3/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It consists of four systems of music, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. Chord symbols are placed above the vocal line. The lyrics are printed below the vocal line.

1. Let God a - rise in all His might And put the troops of Hell to flight,
2. He rides and thun - ders through the sky, His name, Je - ho - vah, sounds on high;
3. He breaks the cap - tive's heav - y chain, And pri - s'ners see the light a - gain;
4. He shakes the heav'ns with loud a - larms; How ter - ri - ble is God in arms!

8 As smoke that sought to cloud the skies Be - fore the ris - ing tem - pest flies.
Sing to His name, ye sons of grace; Ye saints, re - jice be - fore His face.
But re - bels that dis - pute His will Shall dwell in chains and dark - ness still.
In Is - rael are His mer - cies known, Is - rael is His pe - cu - liar throne.

17 He comes ar - rayed in burn - ing flames, Just - ice and Ven - geance are His names;
The wi - dow and the fa - ther - less Fly to His aid in sharp dis - tress;
Kingdoms and thrones to God be - long; Crown Him, ye na - tions, in your song:
Proclaim Him King, pronounce Him blest; He's your de - fense, your joy, your rest:

25 Be - hold His faint - ing foes ex - pire, Like melt - ing wax be - fore the fire.
In Him the poor and help - less find A judge that's just, a fa - ther kind.
His wondrous names and pow'rs rehearse; His hon - ors shall en - rich your verse.
When ter - rors rise and na - tions faint, God is the strength of ev - 'ry saint.

The Epistle - I Peter 4:12-14, 5:6-11
Reader: The Word of the Lord.
Congregation: Thanks be to God.

The Psalm - *Psalm 68: Let God Arise*, vv. 3-4, previous page
Congregation: Amen! (*following the Psalm*)

† The Gospel - John 17:1-11
Reader: The Gospel of Christ!
Congregation: Praise be to You, O Christ.

† The Creed (Apostles' Creed)

Unison: 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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into Heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

† *Gloria Patri* - Sung, lifting holy hands (*Psalm 63:4*).

Cantus Christi, p. 436

Sermon

Reverend Kasey Horvath

Prayers of the People

Selected Men to Lead

Leader: Lord in your mercy...

Congregation: Hear our prayers.

† *The Lord's Prayer* - Sung, lifting holy hands (*I Tim. 2:8*).

Cantus Christi, p. 411

Minister: Our Father...

Congregation: Who art in heaven...

Tribute Offering - *Honor the Lord with your wealth and with the first fruits of all your produce. Proverbs 3:9*

COMMUNION: THE PEACE OFFERING & EUCHARIST

The Sursum Corda

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up unto the Lord.

Minister: Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

People: It is good and right so to do.

Minister: It is truly good, right, and salutary ... evermore praising thee, and singing (*Sanctus*):

The image shows a musical score for the Sanctus. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff on top and a bass clef staff on the bottom. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The melody is written in the treble clef, and the bass line is in the bass clef. Above the treble staff, the lyrics are written: "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord. Ho - ly, ho - ly". Above the first three notes of the treble staff, the chord "D" is indicated. Above the next three notes, the chord "G" is indicated. Above the next two notes, the chord "Asus" is indicated. Above the final two notes, the chord "D" is indicated. The bass line consists of a series of quarter notes and half notes, providing a harmonic foundation for the melody.

7 G Asus G A G D Asus
 God of pow'r and might, Heav'n and earth are full of Your glo - ry.

12 G A D/F# G D Ho -
 Ho - san-na in the high - est. Bless-ed is He who
 san-na in the high - est. Bless-ed is He

18 A G Asus G A D/F# G A D/F# G
 comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san-na in the high - est, Ho -
 Ho - san-na in the high - est, Ho - san-na in the

23 A D/F# G A D/F# G A D/F# G A D
 san-na in the high - est, Ho - san-na in the high-est. A - men.
 high - est, Ho - san-na in the high - est. A - men.

The Sign of Peace - *The peace of Christ to you.*

The Bread and the Wine - *All baptized Christians are welcome to the Table. Gluten free bread is available.*

Eucharist Hymns (following pages)

Psalm 134

A Song of Ascents.

3-part canon

1 Behold, bless the LORD, All you servants of the LORD, Who by night stand in the house of the LORD!

2 Lift up your hands in the sanc-tu-ar - y, And bless the LORD.

3 The LORD who made heav'n and earth Bless you from Zi - on!

G G D Em G/D C G/D D G

Psalm 134

Instructions: First time, all sing unison. Next, three part round, starting with children, followed by men, and then women. Repeat round two times.

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Capo 1: D Em7 A7 D G D

1. Great is Thy faith-ful-ness, O God my Fa-ther, There is no shad-ow of
 2. Sum-mer and win-ter and spring-time and har-vest, Sun, moon and stars in their
 3. Par - don for sin and a peace that en - dur-eth, Thine own dear pres-ence to

7 E7 A A7 D G

turn - ing with Thee; Thou chang-est not, Thy com - pas-sions, they fail not;
 cours-es a - bove Join with all na - ture in man - i - fold wit-ness
 cheer and to guide, Strength for to - day and bright hope for to - mor-row:

13 B dim7 D A D A D

As Thou hast been, Thou for - ev - er wilt be.
 To Thy great faith - ful - ness, mer - cy and love. Great is Thy faith-ful-ness!
 Bless-ings all mine, with ten thou-sand be - side!

19 B Em A7 D A E7 A A7

Great is Thy faith-ful-ness! Morn-ing by morn-ing new mer-cies I see. All I have

26 D G B dim7 D A7 D

need-ed, Thy hand hath pro - vid-ed. Great is Thy faith-ful-ness, Lord, un - to me!

Music: William M. Runyan, 1923
 Text: Thomas O. Chisholm, 1923

FAITHFULNESS
 11 10. 11 10. w/ refrain

This Joyful Eastertide

1. This joy - ful Eas - ter - tide, A - way with sin and sor - row!
 2. My flesh in hope shall rest, And for a sea - son slum - ber;
 3. Death's flood hath lost his chill, Since Je - sus crossed the riv - er:

My love, the Cru - ci - fied, Hath sprung to life this mor - row.
 Till trump from east to west, Shall wake the dead in num - ber.
 Lov - er of souls, from ill My pass - ing soul de - liv - er.

Had Christ, that once was slain, Ne'er burst His three-day pris - on, Our faith had been in

vain; But now hath Christ a - ris - en, a - ris - en, a - ris - en, a - ris - en!

Music: *David's Psalmen*, Amsterdam, 1685; harm. Alice Parker, 1966 © 1969, Hope Publishing Co.
 Text: George Ratcliffe Woodward, 1902

VRUECHTEN
 6 7. 6 7. w/ refrain

† COMMISSION & BENEDICTION

Minister: Go in peace to love and serve the risen and reigning Lord Jesus Christ.

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

† Hymn - *Benediction and Blessing*

Benediction and Blessing

Based on Jude 24 & 25, Numbers 6:24-26

1. To Him who keeps your feet from stum - bling, Pres - ents you
 2. The Lord for - ev - er bless and keep you; The Lord His

fault - less at His throne; Be - fore His face with joy ex - ceed - ing,
 face up - on you shine, With gra - cious fa - vor look up - on you;

To God our Sav - ior, wise a - lone, Be glo - ry,
 And in His love, grant peace di - vine. From Fa - ther,

12 maj - es - ty and pow'r, Both now and ev - er, A - men!
 Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, Both now and ev - er, A - men!

Music: Johann Balthasar König, 1738
 Text: Brian L. Penney, 2008 © blp22@optonline.net

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Visiting? Welcome! Use this QR code to check in so we can follow up with you.



Children: We firmly believe that children belong in the worship service, as Jesus himself said, “Let the children come to me, and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of God.” While we strive for reverence and order in our worship, we understand that children may occasionally disrupt the service. In such cases, it is important for parents to take appropriate steps to restore order, whether by attending to their child's needs, discreetly stepping out of the sanctuary to discipline, or seeking respite in the nursery. Love your children by bringing them to the Pulpit and the Table, and instruct them in the fear of the Lord by teaching them to worship God with reverence and awe. If you are struggling to do this, we encourage you to seek wisdom from your brothers and sisters in Christ. **The chapel is equipped with a live stream of the service for families who may need to step out momentarily.**

Tithe + Offering: Please use the box at the back of the sanctuary for gifts.

The cover art is *Sermon on the Mount*, a pointing by Friedrich Karl Hermann von Uhde (1848-1911). This piece illustrates today's epistle reading.

PSALM OF THE DAY - PSALM 68:1-10, 33-35

1 God shall arise, his enemies shall be scattered; and those who hate him shall flee before him!	7 O God, when you went out before your people, when you marched through the wilderness, Selah
2 As smoke is driven away, so you shall drive them away; as wax melts before fire, so the wicked shall perish before God!	8 the earth quaked, the heavens poured down rain, before God, the One of Sinai, before God, [a] the God of Israel.
3 But the righteous shall be glad; they shall exult before God; they shall be jubilant with joy!	9 Rain in abundance, O God, you shed abroad; you restored your inheritance as it languished;
4 Sing to God, sing praises to his name; lift up a song to him who rides through the deserts; his name is the Lord; exult before him!	10 your flock [b] found a dwelling in it; in your goodness, O God, you provided for the needy.
5 Father of the fatherless and protector of widows is God in his holy habitation.	33 to him who rides in the heavens, the ancient heavens; behold, he sends out his voice, his mighty voice.
6 God settles the solitary in a home; he leads out the prisoners to prosperity, but the rebellious dwell in a parched land.	34 Ascribe power to God, whose majesty is over Israel, and whose power is in the skies.
	35 Awesome is God from his [c] sanctuary; the God of Israel—he is the one who gives power and strength to his people. Blessed be God!

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