



RISEN SAVIOR
LUTHERAN CHURCH



TRADITIONAL WORSHIP
SUNDAY, MARCH 22nd, 2026

WORSHIP TIMES
Traditional 8:00 am & 11:30 am
South Building

Contemporary 9:00 am & 10:30 am
North Building

Communion is celebrated on the 1st, 3rd and 5th
Sunday of each month, and every Sunday at 11:30 am

WELCOME TO RISEN SAVIOR

We're glad you're here! Our mission is to engage all generations to be passionate followers of our Risen Savior, Jesus. We've designed our worship service to highlight what God has done for us through His son, Jesus, and allow us an opportunity to respond with praise!

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

Ruthann Meyer, piano

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

RINGING OF THE BELLS

INVOCATION

- ☒ In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
- ☒ **Amen.**

SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

(11:30)

Arthur Oliveira Fagundes
Dante Oliveira Fagundes

OPENING HYMN

"Blessed Jesus, at Your Word"

Lutheran Service Book p. 904 vs. 1-4

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

- ☒ Standing before the only true God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, let us admit our unworthiness and confess our sins to God and one another.
- ☒ **Almighty God, Maker of all things, and judge of all people, we admit and confess our sinfulness.**

We have allowed the idols of this world to turn us
From You and each other. We have judged others by
declaring them not acceptable to us, and yet all
people are valuable to You. We have done the evil
You forbid and have not done the good You
demand. Have mercy on us, kind Father, and
forgive our sins and lead us by the Holy Spirit to
serve You and love others.

(Silence for reflection on God's Word and self-examination.)

℣ In the mercy of Almighty God, Jesus Christ was given
to die for us, and for His sake God forgives us all our
sins. May God keep us in His grace by the Holy Spirit,
lead us to greater faith and obedience, and bring us to
live with Him forever.

☩ Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE

"My Soul Rejoices"

Lutheran Service Book p. 933 vs. vs. 1-2

THE GREETING

℣ The Lord be with you.

☩ And also with you.

THE PRAYER OF THE DAY

℣ O God, because You have prepared for those who
love You such good things as surpass our
understanding, pour into our hearts such love toward
You that we, loving You above all things, may not
only recognize Your promises but also proclaim Your
goodness to others; through Jesus Christ, our Lord,
Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever.

☩ Amen.

CHOIR ANTHEM **"Such Love"** by G. Kendrick (8:00)
Richard Gibson – Choir Director; Carla Robertson – Piano

*Such love, pure as the whitest snow,
such love weeps for the shame I know,
Such love, paying the debt I owe O Jesus, such love!
Such love, stilling my restlessness,
such love, filling my emptiness,
Such love showing me holiness O Jesus, such love.
Such love springs from eternity,
such love streaming through history,
Such love, fountain of life to me, O Jesus, such love.*

SPECIAL MUSIC **"Such Love"** by G. Kendrick (11:30)
Richard Gibson – Choir Director; Carla Robertson – Piano

FIRST READING

Genesis 50:15-21

VERSE

Lutheran Service Book, p. 422

*On my heart imprint Your image, Blessed Jesus, King of grace,
That life's riches, cares, and pleasures
Never may Your work erase
Let the clear inscription be: Jesus, crucified for me,
Is my life, my hope's foundation, And my glory and salvation!*

GOSPEL READING

Luke 17:11-19

APOSTLES CREED

HYMN OF THE DAY

"How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds"
Lutheran Service Book p. 524 vs. 1-4

MESSAGE: I Need a Miracle: Jesus Restores
Pastor Kevin Austin

MINISTRY CELEBRATION
OFFERING HYMN

"All Glory Be to God Alone"

Lutheran Service Book p. 948 vs. 1, 3-5

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

- ℣ Lord, in Your mercy,
- ☩ hear our prayer.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

(At 8:00 service, please go to the Benediction)

THE PREFACE

(Please Stand)

- ℣ 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 Him thanks and praise.**
- ℣ It is truly good, right and salutary...

SANCTUS

Lutheran Service Book p. 161

*Holy, holy, holy Lord God of pow'r and might:
Heaven and earth are full of Your glory.
Hosanna. Hosanna. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.*

COMMUNION STATEMENT

The Lord's Supper, or Communion, is a Biblical event, given by Jesus for the strengthening of our faith and the forgiveness of our sins (*Matthew 26*). We invite all baptized Christians, who believe in Jesus Christ as their savior, desire forgiveness of their sins, and believe that the body and blood are truly present in, with, and under the bread and wine to receive the Lord's Supper with us. If you are unsure of what you believe, or have questions, please speak to one of our Pastors.

Children who have not gone through instruction or confirmation may come forward to receive a blessing. Please cross your arms so the server knows that you are not communing.

Grape juice is available in the center cups and is clear in color. Gluten free wafers are available; please ask your server.

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

SHARING OF THE PEACE

- 📖 The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- 🗣️ **And also with you.**

AGNUS DEI

Lutheran Service Book, p.163

*Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world;
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world;
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world;
grant us peace.*

WORSHIP DURING COMMUNION

“In the Cross of Christ, I Glory”

Lutheran Service Book p. 427 vs. 1-4

“O Lord, We Praise Thee”

Lutheran Service Book p. 617 vs. 1-3

“What Is This Bread”

Lutheran Service Book p. 629 vs. 1-5

POST COMMUNION BLESSING

BENEDICTION

☒ 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.

☒ Amen.

SENDING HYMN

“Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise”

Lutheran Service Book p. 917 vs. 1, 4

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...sermon notes