

EASTER SUNDAY

APRIL 1, 2018 – 7, 8, 9, 10, 11am & 12noon

MOUNT OLIVET LUTHERAN CHURCH – MINNEAPOLIS CAMPUS

PASTORS

Senior Pastor, *David J. Lose*
Kurt P. Kalland, Stephen J. Cornils, Monica M. Hammersten
William B. MacLean, Anna K. Helgen

THE PRELUDE

Allegro from *Concerto in A Major*. J. S. Bach

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN

365

Jesus Christ is ris'n today, Alleluia!
Our triumphant holy day, Alleluia!
Who did once upon the cross, Alleluia!
Suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!

Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia!
Unto Christ, our heav'nly king, Alleluia!
Who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia!
Sinners to redeem and save. Alleluia!

But the pains which he endured, Alleluia!
Our salvation have procured; Alleluia!
Now above the sky he's king, Alleluia!
Where the angels ever sing. Alleluia!

Sing we to our God above, Alleluia!
Praise eternal as his love; Alleluia!
Praise him, all you heav'nly host, Alleluia!
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia!

THE ANTHEM

7-8am *A New Day of Joy* Larry E. Schultz
Chapel Choir

9am-12noon
Hallelujah from *Christ on the Mount of Olives*. Beethoven
Senior Choir

(Please stand as you are able)

THE SCRIPTURE LESSON

Mark 16:1-6

THE CHORAL RESPONSE *Easter Fanfare*. E. E. Ferguson

THE GRADUAL HYMN

619:1, 2

I know that my Redeemer lives!
What comfort this sweet sentence gives!
He lives, he lives, who once was dead;
he lives, my ever-living head!

He lives triumphant from the grave;
he lives eternally to save;
he lives exalted, throned above;
he lives to rule his church in love.

THE PROFESSION OF FAITH - THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

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

(Please be seated)

THE WELCOME

THE OFFERTORY

7-8am *When Morning Gilds the Skies*. Molly Ijames
Cathedral Choir

9am-12noon *Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven*. . . Duane Funderburk
Senior Choir

THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

THE PULPIT HYMN

376:1, 2

Thine is the glory, risen, conqu'ring Son;
endless is the vict'ry thou o'er death hast won!
Angels in bright raiment rolled the stone away,
kept the folded grave-clothes where thy body lay.

Refrain

Thine is the glory, risen, conqu'ring Son;
endless is the vict'ry thou o'er death hast won!

Lo, Jesus meets thee, risen from the tomb!
Lovingly he greets thee, scatters fear and gloom;
let his church with gladness hymns of triumph sing,
for the Lord now liveth; death hath lost its sting! *Refrain*

THE SERMON "Just the Beginning!"

Pastor Lose

THE CLOSING ANTHEM

Hallelujah Chorus from *Messiah* G. F. Handel

7-8am Cathedral Choir

9am-12noon Senior Choir

(Please stand as you are able)

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

THE BENEDICTION

THE THREEFOLD AMEN

THE POSTLUDE

Toccata from *Fifth Symphony* Charles-Marie Widor

Welcome and Blessed Easter!

On behalf of the pastors and staff of Mount Olivet, please let me tell you how grateful we are for your presence at our Easter service this morning. We hope that the joy of Easter not only fills your worship this morning, but follows you into the days and weeks ahead. If you are visiting and would like more information about the activities and opportunities available at this active and engaged congregation, please fill out the "CONNECT @ MOUNT OLIVET" card in the pew in front of you or at the Information Desk. And should you not have a church home, we invite you to consider becoming a member of Mount Olivet.

Our upcoming worship services are listed below. We hope you will make the inspiration and fellowship found at worship a top priority in the coming months. As we gather on Sundays this spring and summer, we will be lifting up various elements of our service so that you can enter more fully into the worship experience. Next fall, we plan to enter into a "narrative lectionary" that will connect the stories of the Bible together and to our lives more cohesively. Don't miss out!

Since its founding in 1920, Mount Olivet's mission has focused on being a servant church committed to making a positive impact within its community and throughout the world. There are service opportunities all year-long at both our campuses and through our affiliated ministries: Cathedral of the Pines Camp in Lutsen, Mount Olivet Home, Mount Olivet Careview Home, Mount Olivet Day Services, Mount Olivet Conference & Retreat Center, Mount Olivet Rolling Acres and the Mount Olivet Counseling Service. If you would like more information in participating in any of these ministries, please just ask.

You are also invited to partake in the myriad of the social, learning, music (and more!) offerings. There is something for everyone at Mount Olivet—a few are listed here, however, please visit www.mtolivet.org or contact us for more information. Please know that whatever your background or wherever you are in your faith journey, you are welcome here. So come and be a part of the mission of Mount Olivet. It is the people, supported by God's grace and guidance, who make this church what it is today and what it can become tomorrow, and you have a role to play.

Blessed Easter,

David J. Lose

David J. Lose, Senior Pastor

Mount Olivet Ministries for All

Adults

Mount Olivet Church Women (MOCW) • Senior Choir • Men's Ministry • Young Adult Ministry (YAM) • Flying Solo • Prayer Shawl Ministry • Mount Olivet Homes' Auxiliary (MOHA) • Community Concern service opportunities • Young in Heart • Friends Forever • Caregivers: a ministry of friendship • Altar Guild Counseling Service • Conference & Retreat Center Events • Pew Guild • Prayer Ministry • Learning Opportunities: Bible and Religion; Living the Message; Online classes; Book discussions • Hi-er League • Young Marrieds • Career and Calling Motorheads • Dorcas Society • Chancel Ringers • Volunteer Opportunities to Connect and Engage

Youth

Hi-League • Cathedral Choir • Circle of Friends • Hands and Feet • Cathedral of the Pines • Confirmation • Junior High Alive • Chancel Choir • Adopt-A-Grandparent Retreats • Service Opportunities • Peer Ministry • Summertime Players! • House Groups • Counseling Service • Volunteer Opportunities to Connect and Engage

Children & Family

Baptisms • Sunday Church School • The Way • New Baby Ministry • Sunday Morning Nursey • Parents Share • God's Kids Sing • Musikgarten • Counseling Service • Preschool • Vacation Bible School • Cherub Choir • Alleluia Choir • King's Kids Camps • Cathedral of the Pines • FunDays! • Hosanna Choir • Babygarten Chapel Choir • Joy Bells • Joyful Noise! Ensemble • Advent Family Events Volunteer Opportunities to Connect and Engage

And More!

Interested in learning more?

Contact our Congregational Engagement Coordinator, Katie Marxhausen: 612-767-2219/kmarxhausen@mtolivet.org or go online to www.mtolivet.org

Interested in becoming a member? We would love to have you join!

Contact our Director of Membership, Carol Nault: 612-767-2204/caroln@mtolivet.org

Upcoming Worship at Mount Olivet - All are Welcome!

The Second Sunday of Easter ~ April 8

Mpls 9, 10, 11am & 12noon • West 9, 10 & 11am

Musical Guests Monroe Crossing Bluegrass Band at Mpls

The Third Sunday of Easter & New Member Sunday ~ April 15

Mpls 9, 10, 11am & 12noon • West 9, 10 & 11am

Senior & Cathedral Choirs with Brass at both campuses

The Seventh Sunday of Easter & Mother's Day Sunday ~ May 13

Mpls 9, 10, 11am & 12noon • West 9, 10 & 11am

Musical Guest Vocalist Kat Perkins at Mpls

Communion at both campuses at 8:30am and following the last service

Nursery available at both campuses at 9, 10 & 11am

Director of Worship & Music, *Beverly Clafin*

Principal Organist, *Richard Owen*

Director of Senior & Cathedral Choirs, *Beverly Clafin*

Assistant Director of Senior Choir, *Brian Ohmsorg*

Director of Chapel Choir, *Elaine Sergeant*

Do not be alarmed:

You are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified.

He has been raised; he is not here!

Mark 16:6

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