



**MOUNT OLIVET  
LUTHERAN CHURCH**

**Sunday Worship  
Minneapolis Campus**

**Season of Easter  
The Gift of Shalom**

**April 26, 2026**

**Liturgists:**

**9am Pastor Kalland**

**10am Pastor Grangaard**

**11am Pastor Hammersten**

# **The Prelude**

**I Know that My Redeemer Lives**

**Jacob B. Weber**

**(please stand when invited)**

## **The Processional Hymn**

**Alleluia! Sing to Jesus**

**392:1, 2, 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.”**

**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”?**

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# **The Invocation**

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

**Congregation: Amen. (please sing)**

# **The Confession of Sins and Assurance of Forgiveness**

**Pastor: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

**Congregation: Amen. (please sing)**

**Pastor: St. John writes, “If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sin, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sin and cleanse us from all unrighteousness” (1 John 1:8-9). And so we gather to confess our sin, not because we fear God thinks us unworthy, but because we trust God’s promise to receive us always in mercy and grace. Let us therefore pray together with confidence...**

**Congregation: Most merciful God, we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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. 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. (please sing)**

**Pastor: Almighty God, in mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ, God gives the power to become children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit. All this is promised in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.**

**Congregation: Amen. (please sing)**

# **The Hymn of Praise**

**The Day of Resurrection!**

**361:1**

**The day of resurrection! Earth, tell it out abroad,  
the passover of gladness, the passover of God.  
From death to life eternal, from sin's dominion free,  
our Christ has brought us over with hymns of victory.**

## **The Salutation and Prayer of the Day**

**Pastor: The Lord be with you.**

**Congregation: And also with you. (please sing)**

**Pastor and Congregation: Dear God, you have blessed  
us with your peace. Grant us grace, courage, and  
confidence so that we receive that peace and share it  
with others.**

**In Jesus' name, Amen. (please sing)**

**(please be seated)**

# **The Gradual Hymn**

**Have No Fear, Little Flock**

**764:1, 2**

**Have no fear, little flock; have no fear, little flock,  
for the Father has chosen to give you the kingdom;  
have no fear, little flock!**

**Have good cheer, little flock; have good cheer, little flock,  
for the Father will keep you in his love forever;  
have good cheer, little flock!**

# **The Scripture Reading**

**The Gift of Shalom**

**John 20:19-23**

**Glory to you, O Lord. (please stand as you are able and sing)**

**When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week,  
and the doors were locked where the disciples were, for fear  
of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said,  
“Peace be with you.” After he said this, he showed them his  
hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they  
saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you.  
As the Father has sent me, so I send you.” When he had said  
this, he breathed on them and said to them, “Receive the  
Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven  
them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.”**

**Praise to you, O Christ. (please sing)**

# **The Profession of Faith**

## **The Apostles' Creed**

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

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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**

**Pastor Olson Popp**

**The Prayers of Remembrance**

# **The Offertory Anthem**

**Shalom**

**Dan Forrest**

**Cathedral Choir - 9 and 10am**

**Allie Nicholson, violin - Junior at Southwest High School**

**Peace I Leave with You**

**René Clausen**

**Sanctuary Choir - 11am**

**(please stand as you are able)**

## **The Offertory Prayer**

**All Creatures of Our God and King**

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;**

**Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**O praise the Father, praise the Son,**

**And praise the Spirit, Three in One,**

**Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**(please be seated)**

# **The Pulpit Hymn**

**Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart**

**800:1, 4**

**Spirit of God, descend upon my heart;  
wean it from earth, through all its pulses move;  
stoop to my weakness, strength to me impart,  
and make me love you as I ought to love.**

**Teach me to love you as your angels love,  
one holy passion filling all my frame:  
the baptism of the heav'n-descended dove,  
my heart an altar, and your love the flame.**

**The Sermon**

**Pastor Olson Popp**

**The Gift of Shalom**

**(please stand as you are able)**

# **The Closing Hymn**

**I Know That My Redeemer Lives!**

**619:1**

**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!**

# **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 Sending Prayer**

## **The Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi**

**Lord, make us instruments of your peace. Where there is hatred, let us sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is discord, union; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy. Grant that we may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood as to understand; to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned; and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.**

# **The Benediction and Threefold Amen**

**(please pause for a moment of silent prayer)**

# **The Postlude**

**Praise to the King**

**Josh Ring**

# **April Altar Flower Dedications**

**In memory of Marian Danielson on her birthday,  
by her loving family**

**In loving memory of Larry Gustin on the second anniversary  
of his passing, by wife Paulette Gustin, son Timothy and  
Kate, grandchildren Flora and Theodore, son Todd and  
Anne, and grandchildren Livia and Gianna**

**In loving memory of Hank and Agnes Ostlund,  
by the Ostlund and Hanson Families**

**In memory of Eldon C. Person on the anniversary  
of his birth, by his family**

**In memory and honor of Sharon Souba's birthday on April  
18<sup>th</sup>, by Tim, Sandy, Jennifer and Allison Souba**

**In memory of Mary Williams, by Philip Williams and family**

**In appreciation for the Mount Olivet Pastoral staff**

**In appreciation of Pastor Hammersten**

**In celebration of the blessing of granddaughter Annika,  
by Nana and Papa**

**In celebration of Maren Kind's baptism anniversary on  
April 4, by Deb and Steve Kind**

**In celebration of Hayley Budde and Joey Trebil on their  
birthdays, by their Godparents, Beth and Todd Klemmensen**

**In honor and celebration of 60 years of happy marriage,  
by Kristin and Mike Welbaum**

**In celebration of the birthdays of Shirley, Julie, and Jerry  
Kvistberg, Joe Becker, and Jacquie Anderson, by Kristine  
Becker and family**

# **Pastors**

**David J. Lose, Senior Pastor**

**Kurt P. Kalland, Monica M. Hammersten,**

**Mark J. Dixon, Rebecca W. Freeman, Benjamin M. Cieslik,**

**Jeni F. Grangaard, Jenna L. Olson Popp**

# **Worship and Music Staff**

**Beverly Claflin, Director of Worship and Music and**

**Director of Cathedral Choir**

**Jordan Buchholtz, Principal Organist**

**Brian Ohnsorg, Assistant Director of Sanctuary Choir**

**Shelley Ohnsorg, Cathedral Choir Accompanist**

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