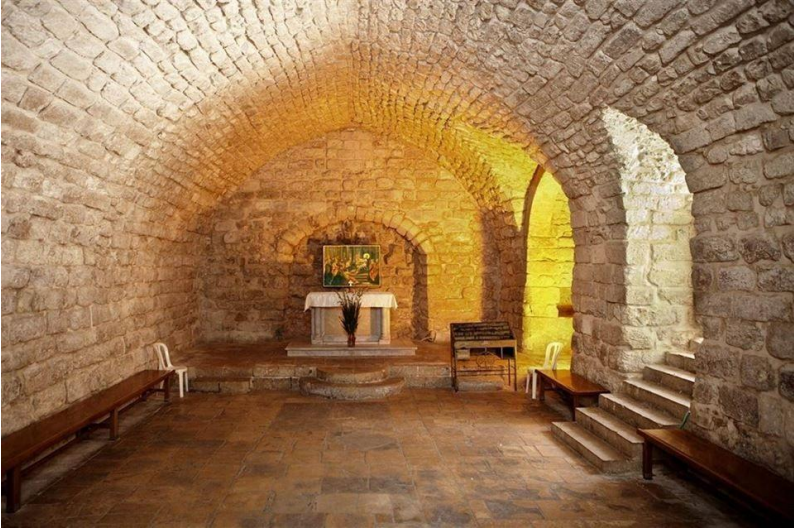


10am, May 3, 2026
5th Sunday of Easter
Holy Communion



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PRELUDE
WORSHIP ANNOUNCEMENTS

GATHERING

CALL TO WORSHIP (Erik Heise)

L: In this space of worship,

C: where stories are told

L: and words are given life,

C: we gather around the ancient hope of the prophets.

L: We are real in the presence of Jesus

C: and take our places in this resurrection movement.

L: For we are all called,

C: called to be members in the reign of God.

OPENING HYMN: ELW 673 – God, Whose Almighty Word

GREETING

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

CANTICLE OF PRAISE



¡Glo-ria a Dios, glo-ria a Dios, glo-ria en los cie - los!
1 Glo-ry to God, glo-ry to God, glo-ry in the high - est!



¡Glo-ria a Dios, glo-ria a Dios, glo-ria en los cie - los!
Glo-ry to God, glo-ry to God, glo-ry in the high - est!



¡A Dios la glo-ria por siem-pre! ¡A Dios la glo-ria por siem-pre!
To God be glo-ry for - ev - er! To God be glo-ry for - ev - er!



¡A - le - lu - ya! ¡A - mén! ¡A - le - lu - ya! ¡A - mén! ¡A - le - lu - ya! ¡A - mén!
Al - le - lu - ia! A - men! Al - le - lu - ia! A - men! Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!



¡A - le - lu - ya! ¡A - mén! ¡A - le - lu - ya! ¡A - mén! ¡A - le - lu - ya! ¡A - mén!
Al - le - lu - ia! A - men! Al - le - lu - ia! A - men! Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!



PRAYER OF THE DAY (Erik Heise)

L: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

L: Let us pray. Blessed Lord God,

C: You have caused the holy scriptures to be written for the nourishment of all your peoples. Grant that we may hear, read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them. Comfort us with your promises and stir us to a life resurrected by the presence of your Son, that we would embrace and forever hold fast to the hope of eternal life. This we pray in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

WORD

READING FROM SCRIPTURE: 1 Kings 17:8-16 (Lisa Marie Guadreau)

Then the word of the Lord came to him, saying, “Go now to Zarephath, which belongs to Sidon, and live there, for I have commanded a widow there to feed you.” So he set out and went to Zarephath. When he came to the gate of the town, a widow was there gathering sticks; he called to her and said, “Bring me a little water in a vessel, so that I may drink.” As she was going to bring it, he called to her and said, “Bring me a morsel of bread in your hand.” But she said, “As the Lord your God lives, I have nothing baked, only a handful of meal in a jar and a little oil in a jug; I am now gathering a couple of sticks so that I may go home and prepare it for myself and my son, that we may eat it and die.” Elijah said to her, “Do not be afraid; go and do as you have said, but first make me a little cake of it and bring it to me, and afterward make something for yourself and your son. For thus says the Lord the God of Israel: The jar of meal will not be emptied and the jug of oil will not fail until the day that the Lord sends rain on the earth.” She went and did as Elijah said, so that she as well as he and her household ate for many days. The jar of meal was not emptied, neither did the jug of oil fail, according to the word of the Lord that he spoke by Elijah. Word of God; Word of Life. **Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN’S TIME

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



A - le - lu - ya, a - le - lu - ya. A - le - lu - ya, a - le - lu - ya.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

A - le - lu - ya, a - le - lu - ya. El Se - ñor re - su - ci - tó.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Christ is ris - en, ris'n in - deed.

Reading From the Gospel of Luke, The 4th Chapter: Luke 4:14-30

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

(Lisa Marie Guadreau)

Then Jesus, in the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding region. He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone.

When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the Sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written: “The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to set free those who are oppressed, to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favor.”

And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. Then he began to say to them, “Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.” All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They said, “Is this not Joseph’s son?” He said to them, “Doubtless you will quote to me this proverb, ‘Doctor, cure yourself!’ And you will say, ‘Do here also in your hometown the things that we have heard you did at Capernaum.’” And he said, “Truly I tell you, no prophet is accepted in his hometown. But the truth is, there were many widows in Israel in the time of Elijah, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months and there was a severe famine over all the land, yet Elijah was sent to none of them except to a widow at Zarephath in Sidon. There were also many with a skin disease in Israel in the time of the prophet Elisha, and none of them was cleansed except Naaman the Syrian.” When they heard this, all in the synagogue were filled with rage. They got up, drove him out of the town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town was built, so that they might hurl him off the cliff. But he passed through the midst of them and went on his way.

The Gospel of the Lord. C: Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY: ELW 710 – Let Streams Of Living Justice

NICENE CREED

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.**

Through him all things were made.

**For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven;**

by the power of the Holy Spirit

he became incarnate from the virgin Mary, and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;

he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again

in accordance with the Scriptures;

he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,

and his kingdom will have no end.

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.**

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.

He has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION (Erik Heise)

Lord, through the power of your Spirit, guide our ways and our thinking. We bring before you the prayers of your faithful people for the church, the world, and all those in need.

A brief silence.

We come seeking good news for the poor, release for the captives, recovery of sight, and freedom for the oppressed. We pray for all your people in need in this world. Guide our ways and thinking so that we can make a change for the better in our communities where people are in need. This we pray, **C: in the name of Jesus.**

We pray for people who get so worked up in rage that they threaten abuse of innocent individuals. May those threatened pass through the midst of them and go safely on their way. We pray for people who are paralysed by fear, who are overcome by grief, or who do not have the strength to act, that they find their way to action through the power of the Spirit. This we pray,
C: in the name of Jesus.

We see the gift of the renewal of creation as spring approaches, and we are reminded of the gift of resurrection you so freely offer. May we care for all you have created: earth, air, water and creatures, as an active reflection of your love for them and of each of us. This we pray, **C: in the name of Jesus.**

We come with prayers for those in need today. Those who suffer from illness, grief, or any type of need. You know best what your children need O God, and so we bring our concerns for others and ourselves today, naming before you Emily Stebner, **Sandra (Klein) Cooney, Erna Kuraitis, Pat Bowman, the Nuttal, Pedersen, Pelechosky families**, those on the ongoing prayer list, and all those who we name silently or aloud... This we pray, **C: in the name of Jesus.**

HOSANNA ONGOING PRAYERS: Jackie Schriener, Crabb Family, Barbara Bakke, Vi Bowdige, Glenys Schmidke, Brian Shaw, Dale Grinde, Gladys Hansen, Susan Leeson, Terry Daubert, Graeme Peppink, Terry Suvanto, Harold Benn, Raymond, Fiona, Mike Wende Aldon, Pamela Beuerlein, Pat and Morley Becker, Gail Hadfield, Tom Hampton, Linda Serink, Gordon and Marlene Chapman, Dana Lesmeister, Archie Martin, Kay, Sheila Wood, Dianne and Tom Kieren, Shawn Marino, Chantel, Nathaniel Rietveld, Beth Olsen, Ken Hansen, Erwin Marquardt, Deliah Johannas, Al Wende, Liz Wise, Holly Armstrong, Darlene Brown, Marilyn Beebe, Dianne Begert, Elaine McKinlay, George Kubinski, Chelsea Sloan, Hilda Lindae

We pray for the body of Christ that is the church. May all members of the body be valued and listened to. May your church listen for your prompting and direction, and seek to follow where you lead. Today we pray for Bishop Trish and the people of the Synod of Alberta and the Territories. All ABT Synod Campus Ministries. Those gathered for the ABT Synod Youth gathering this weekend. For Lakeland and Hosanna's council members. Trinity Lutheran, Edmonton, and Grace Lutheran, Edson. Our companion synod in Colombia. Emmaus Mission, Medellin, Colombia. The Lutheran Church in the Philippines. The Lutheran Church of Myanmar. The Anglican Diocese of the Arctic. The Canadian Council of Churches. This we pray, **C: in the name of Jesus.**

We rejoice with all those who celebrate their birthdays and anniversaries this week, including **George Kubinski, Linea Schreyer, Derek Williamson, Clay and Evadine Shipclark celebrating their anniversary on May 3rd.** Bless them on their day and in the year to come. This we pray, **C: in the name of Jesus.**

P: We pray for the hunger to hear your word alive in this community. For confidence to share the stories of Scripture and our experiences of the Spirit. Use our lives to share your story with all who long to know.
C: Amen.

THE PEACE

MEAL

OFFERING

OFFERING MUSIC: *****

OFFERTORY HYMN: ACS 934 – Christ is Living, **verse 3**



¡Cris - to vi - ve, fue - ra, el llan - to, los la - men - tos y el pe - sar!

1 Christ is liv - ing! Gone with sor - row! Tears and ter - ror, be no more.

2 For if Christ is not a - ris - en there is noth - ing to be - lieve.

3 Death is swal - lowed up in vic - t'ry; sin has lost its poi - son sting.



Ni la muer - te ni el se - pul - cro lo han po - di - do su - je - tar.

Death and grave, you now are noth - ing; Christ is free of ev - 'ry pow'r.

Je - sus' prom - ise is ac - comp - lished: "Since I live, you too shall live."

Life will blos - som from the grain sown, Christ the first fruits of the spring.



No bus - queís en - tre los muer - tos al que siem - pre ha de vi - vir.

Why then seek the liv - ing Sav - ior in the haunts of death and fear?

Dust we are, to dust re - turn - ing, but in Christ we are re - stored.

For the sure - ness of sal - va - tion let us sing, "Thanks be to God!"



¡Cris - to vi - ve! es - tas nue - vas por do - quier de - jad o - ir.

Christ is ris - en! Shout the good news so that all the world may hear.

Doubt dis - pel - ling, claim the tri - umph: Je - sus is the liv - ing Lord!

Christ is ris - en! We are liv - ing! Spread the word of grace a - broad.

OFFERTORY PRAYER (Erik Heise)

L: Let us pray. Miraculous God,

C: We give thanks that you continue to sustain your people in many times and places. We recognize that you are a generous God and so we bring a share of our gifts today for the world in need. May what we bring in time, talents and finances sustain and benefit others in this community and around the world. This we pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

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

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

PREFACE

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



San-to, san - to, san - to Dios de glo - ria y po - der,
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly God of pow - er and might,



cie - los y tie - rra pro - cla - man tu glo - ria.
heav - en and earth . . . are full of your glo - ry.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na en los cie - los.
Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na en los cie - los.
Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.



Ben - di - to a - quel que vie - ne en el nom - bre de Dios.
Bless - ed is the one who comes in the name of our God.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na en los cie - los.
Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.



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EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins

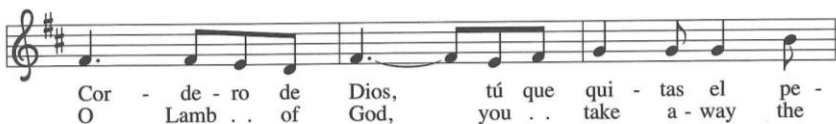
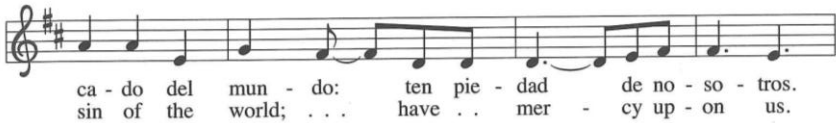
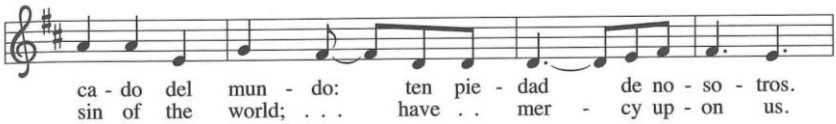
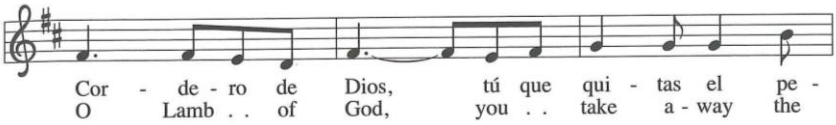
As we forgive those who sin
against us.
Save us from the time of trial
And deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
And the glory are yours
Now and forever. Amen.



DISTRIBUTION: All are welcome at the Lord's Table. Communion is celebrated in a continuous fashion around the altar. Please come forward to receive a wafer/gluten free option, and pick up a cup for the wine/grape juice. Please put your used small cup in the container provided. If you prefer to be served at your seat, please tell an usher. If you have questions about what to do, please ask.

The Body of Christ given for you.
The Blood of Christ shed for you.

LAMB OF GOD



ca - do del mun - do: ten pie - dad de no -
 sin of the world; . . . have . . mer - cy up -

so - tros, ten pie - dad de no - so - stros.
 on us, have . . . mer - cy up - on us.

Da - nos tu paz. A - mén.
 Grant us your peace. A - men.

HYMN DURING COMMUNION
 ELW 462 – Now We Join In Celebration

POST COMMUNION BLESSING

POST COMMUNION SONG

A - ho - ra, Se - ñor, se - gún tu pro - me - sa, pue - des de -
 At last, Lord, your word of prom - ise ful - fill - ing, you let your

jar a tu sier - vo ir - se en paz. Por - que mis
 ser - vant go forth in free - dom and peace. With my own

o - jos han vis - to a tu Sal - va - dor, a quien has
 eyes I have seen the sal - va - tion you have pre -

pre - sen - ta - do an - te to - dos los pue - blos: . . .
 pared . . . in the sight of all of the peo - ples: a

luz pa - ra a - lum - brar a las na - cio - nes, y
 light that will re - veal you to the na - tions, and the



POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

SENDING

SENDING (Erik Heise)

L: Go from here as representatives of God to symbolise the light of Christ. Submit to the guidance of the Holy Spirit and bring the Good News of love, healing and justice drawn near. **C: Amen.**

BLESSING

P: The holy Three, the holy One increase your hope, strengthen your faith, deepen your love, and grant you peace. **C: Amen.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SENDING HYMN: ACS 986 – May God Bless Us (sing 2x)

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Christ walks with you.

C: Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

POSTLUDE

Permission to livestream the music in this service obtained from OneLicense with license “A-733297”.

With thanks to those serving today:

Lay Leader	Erik Heise
Reader	Lisa Marie Gaudreau
Altar Guild	Rodina Couling
Special Music	*****
Greeters	Mark & Colleen Vogel
A/V Technology	Helena Hendricksen, George Carmichael
Hospitality	Sherry Suvanto, Chris Terry
MAY	Marilyn Bella, Susan Querengesser,
Offering Counters	Carl & Doreen Betke

TODAY

10am Holy Communion

11am Sunday School

1:30pm Project Choir



You are invited to join us in celebrating Holy Communion **this morning at 10am.** Please prepare in advance by having bread or a gluten-free option, and wine or grape juice available to be shared. You are also invited to make your worship space special as you join us in worship. **Communion supplies are available at the church.**

THIS WEEK: May 4th – May 10th

MONDAY 10am Gentlemen's Coffee/ 7pm Youth/ 8pm AIAnon

TUESDAY 10am Care/ 10am Painters/ 7pm 12-Step/
7:15pm Confirmation

WEDNESDAY 10:30am Staff/ 1:30pm Finance

THURSDAY 10am Bible Study/ 2pm Food Bank/ 5:15pm Handbells/
6pm Scouts/ 7pm Choir

FRIDAY 8am HTH Group/ 7:30pm Women's Bible Study

SATURDAY 8am 12 Step Group

SUNDAY (Mother's Day) 10am Holy Communion/ 11am Sunday School

STAFF AWAY DATES:

Pr. Anna @ ABT Synod Youth Gathering May 1st – 3rd

Pr. Anna @ LLC May 8th – 10th

Pr. James @ LLC May 22nd – 24th

Lena away May 24th – 30th

We're Hiring!

Hosanna has once again been approved for a Canada Summer Jobs grant and are now seeking to fulfill the position. The job will run from mid-May to the end of August (there is some flexibility in these dates).

The job will include office work (word processing, copying, answering phones), some social media tasks, some work on web pages, and work with our live streaming system. There are a few other projects we are considering depending on the successful candidates' skills and interests.

For more information, please contact Hosanna Lutheran Church – Edmonton, Alberta. Email: office@hosannalutheran.ab.ca or call 780-484-3932.

Please submit a cover letter and resume to: pastorjames@hosannalutheran.ab.ca



Do you have a current extra copy of *Eternity for Today*? If so, we kindly request that you bring it back to the church, as we are short on them right now. Thank you.



UPDATE: Citizenship study support is moving ahead for **Annie and Angel**. Volunteers are invited to contact them directly to arrange meeting times. Citizenship Guides are available on the Black Counter. Thank you for your support.

Annie: edmontonannie@gmail.com
| 780-668-2255

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825-461-9961

Could you pass a Canadian citizenship exam?

We absorb a lot of knowledge about Canada over the years and probably know more than we realize. Annie Neuville, formerly of Liberia and a friend of the Refugee Support Group since 2016, has asked for help to study for her citizenship exam. With study materials provided by the government in hand, Annie would appreciate someone working with her. She would like to set up study sessions **in April**.

If you are willing to help Annie take this momentous step to become a Canadian citizen, please talk to **Cindy Schriener**.

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OUR VISION *Empowered by dynamic and creative liturgical Lutheran worship, Hosanna Lutheran Church will lead Edmonton in equipping Christians for spiritual growth and service.*

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