



Easter People Abide

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AS WE GATHER

The hymn text "Abide with Me," by English clergyman Henry Lyte, has a history that assists in making the words of hope and comfort in the text memorable. Yet, in reflecting on the true importance of the hymn, it is not the circumstances surrounding why it was written that gives it beauty but the words themselves that the author wrote. In timeless poetry, Lyte underscores the meaning of God's presence in the life of the Christian as he writes: "I fear no foe with Thee at hand to bless" (*LSB* 878:5). Our Lord abides with us not only at eventide, but at all times and in all places. Here and now let us bring to this caring God our thanks and praise!

PRELUDE (10:30am)

Amazing Grace

arranged by Faber

Ethan Swenson, piano; Stephanie Vallin, flute

*ENTRANCE HYMN

ALLELUIA! LET PRAISES RING!

LSB 822



1 Al - le - lu - ia! Let prais - es ring! To God the Fa -
 2 Al - le - lu - ia! Let prais - es ring! Un - to the Lamb
 3 Al - le - lu - ia! Let prais - es ring! Un - to the Ho -
 4 Al - le - lu - ia! Let prais - es ring! Un - to our tri -



ther let us bring Our songs of ad - o - ra - tion.
 of God we sing, In whom we are e - lect - ed.
 ly Ghost we sing For our re - gen - er - a - tion.
 une God we sing; Blest be His name for - ev - er!



To Him through ev - er - last - ing days Be wor - ship, hon -
 He bought His Church with His own blood, He cleansed her in
 The sav - ing faith in us He wrought And us un - to
 With an - gel hosts let us a - dore And sing His prais -



or, pow'r, and praise, Whose hand sus - tains cre - a - tion.
 that bless - ed flood, And as His bride se - lect - ed.
 the Bride-groom brought, Made us His cho - sen na - tion.
 es ev - er - more For all His grace and fa - vor!



Sing - ing, ring - ing: Ho - ly, ho - ly, God is ho - ly;
Ho - ly, ho - ly Is our u - nion And com - mu - nion.
Glo - ry! Glo - ry! Joy e - ter - nal, Bliss su - per - nal;
Sing - ing, ring - ing: Ho - ly, ho - ly, God is ho - ly;



Spread the sto - ry Of our God, the Lord of glo - ry.
His be - friend - ing Gives us joy and peace un - end - ing.
There is man - na And an end - less, glad ho - san - na.
Spread the sto - ry Of our God, the Lord of glo - ry!

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*INVOCATION

P In the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C **Amen.**

*OPENING SENTENCES

Psalm 146:1–2, 5, 10

P Praise the LORD!
C **Praise the LORD, O my soul!**

P I will praise the LORD as long as I live;
C **I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.**

P Blessed is he whose help is the God of Jacob,
C **whose hope is in the LORD his God.**

P The LORD will reign forever, your God, O Zion, to all generations.
C **Praise the LORD!**

*CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P Let us now confess our sin to God, our merciful Father.
C **Gracious God, in heartfelt repentance we admit and confess our sinfulness. We are sin-stained people by nature. Each day we have sinned and done things we ought not to have done and have not done that which we are to have been doing as Your servants. We have not seen people in the loving way that You see them. We have not always been ready to care and quick to help. We do indeed deserve Your punishment in this life and for eternity. Trusting in Your mercy, we come to You for forgiveness. Our trust is in the merits of Your Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ. Have mercy on us, O God. Abide with us and grant us forgiveness of all our sins. By the power of the Holy Spirit at work within our hearts and lives, lead us into ways that reflect Your goodness and love.**

- P God is loving and merciful. He sees us with loving eyes and graciously hears our supplications. By the command of our Lord and as His called and ordained servant, I forgive you all of your sins in the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C **Amen.**

***KYRIE**—*sung—refer to page 204 in the hymnal for music and words*

***GLORIA IN EXCELSIS**—*sung—refer to page 204 in the hymnal for music and words*

***SALUTATION**

- P The Lord be with you.
- C **And also with you.**

***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

FIRST READING

Acts 10:34–48

³⁴Peter opened his mouth and said: “Truly I understand that God shows no partiality, ³⁵but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. ³⁶As for the word that he sent to Israel, preaching good news of peace through Jesus Christ (he is Lord of all), ³⁷you yourselves know what happened throughout all Judea, beginning from Galilee after the baptism that John proclaimed: ³⁸how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power. He went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. ³⁹And we are witnesses of all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree, ⁴⁰but God raised him on the third day and made him to appear, ⁴¹not to all the people but to us who had been chosen by God as witnesses, who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. ⁴²And he commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one appointed by God to be judge of the living and the dead. ⁴³To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.”

⁴⁴While Peter was still saying these things, the Holy Spirit fell on all who heard the word. ⁴⁵And the believers from among the circumcised who had come with Peter were amazed, because the gift of the Holy Spirit was poured out even on the Gentiles. ⁴⁶For they were hearing them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter declared, ⁴⁷“Can anyone withhold water for baptizing these people, who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?” ⁴⁸And he commanded them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they asked him to remain for some days.

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- C **Thanks be to God.**

EPISTLE

1 John 5:1–8

¹Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the Father loves whoever has been born of him. ²By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. ³For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome. ⁴For everyone who has been born of God overcomes the world.

And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith. ⁵Who is it that overcomes the world except the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

⁶This is he who came by water and blood—Jesus Christ; not by the water only but by the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one who testifies, because the Spirit is the truth. ⁷For there are three that testify: ⁸the Spirit and the water and the blood; and these three agree.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

*VERSE

Romans 6:9; John 16:33b

P Alleluia. We know that Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over Him.

C **Alleluia. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world. Alleluia.**

*HOLY GOSPEL

John 15:9–17

P The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the fifteenth chapter.

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

⁹[Jesus said:] “As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Abide in my love. ¹⁰If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father’s commandments and abide in his love. ¹¹These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full.

¹²“This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. ¹³Greater love has no one than this, that someone lays down his life for his friends. ¹⁴You are my friends if you do what I command you. ¹⁵No longer do I call you servants, for the servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all that I have heard from my Father I have made known to you. ¹⁶You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit and that your fruit should abide, so that whatever you ask the Father in my name, he may give it to you. ¹⁷These things I command you, so that you will love one another.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

*NICENE CREED

C **I believe in one God,
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth
and of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,**

begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made,
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made;
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary
and was made man;
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.
He suffered and was buried.
And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures
and ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of the Father.
And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead,
whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,
who spoke by the prophets.
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,
and I look for the resurrection of the dead
and the life \dagger of the world to come. Amen.

SERMON HYMN

CHRIST THE ETERNAL LORD

LSB 829

SERMON

EASTER PEOPLE ABIDE

JOHN 15:9-17

OFFERING

Please complete a worship attendance card and place in the plate as it passes. Those who support this church and its ministry by giving electronically are invited to place the "I Give Online" cards located in each pew in the offering plate as a way of participating in this act of worship.



***PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

CONFIRMATION (10:30am)—*follow along on page 272 in the pew hymnal*

***PREFACE**

- 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 Him thanks and praise.**

***PROPER PREFACE**

***SANCTUS**—*sung—refer to page 208 in the hymnal for music and words*

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

***THE WORDS OF OUR LORD**

***PROCLAMATION OF CHRIST**

- P As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.
C **Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

P O Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father...So remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

***LORD'S PRAYER**

- C **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.**

***PAX DOMINI**

- P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
C **Amen.**

***AGNUS DEI**—*sung—refer to page 210 in the hymnal for music and words*

DISTRIBUTION Distribution is at the rail, with both common cup and individual cup; de-alcoholized wine in center of tray. Gluten free wafers available by signifying to pastor/elder. Please use the pew cards to register your attendance at Holy Communion.

HYMN	ABIDE, O DEAREST JESUS	LSB 919
HYMN	GOD'S OWN CHILD, I GLADLY SAY IT	LSB 594
HYMN	LOVE DIVINE, ALL LOVES EXCELLING	LSB 700

***NUNC DIMITTIS**—*sung—refer to page 211 in the hymnal for music and words*

***POST-COMMUNION COLLECT**

***BENEDICTION**

- P 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.
- C **Amen.**

HYMN TO DEPART

LORD, HELP US EVER TO RETAIN

LSB 865

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Serving Our Lord

		May 5, 2024	May 12, 2024
Musician		Diane Streich	Merlin Simon
Cantor		Dave Workman	Andy Koch
Altar Guild		Jane Shull and Joanie Wachter	Jane Shull and Joanie Wachter
Elder	8am	Rob Orr	Sam Erdman
	10:30am	Bill Breitinger	Kurt Vallin
Reader	8am	Rob Orr	Andy Olson
	10:30am	Tim Morris	Kurt Vallin
Usher Team	8am	Gary Sheets	Andy Olson
	10:30am	Jon Peterson	Open
Greeter(s)	8am	Open	Open
	10:30am	Helen Stoerzinger	Helen Stoerzinger
Acolyte	8am	Open	Mason Kolb
	10:30am	Sabontu Benya and Sean Hakanson	Sebastian Ness, Dana Vallin
Projection	8am	Open	Open
	10:30am	Tim Morris	Ben Swenson
Live stream	8:00am	Jim Nicklas	Tim Morris
Coffee Hour	9:15am	Linnea Raveling, Olander family	Open

COMING UP AT TLO — May 5, 2024 — May 12, 2024		
SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER AND CONFIRMATION SUNDAY		
Sun	8:00*am	Worship with Holy Communion
	9:15am	Education Hour for all ages
	10:30am	Worship with Holy Communion and Rite of Confirmation
	12:30-5:00pm	Peniel Evangelical Church worship
	6:00pm	Hoops
Mon	10:00am	Adult Bible class
	6:30pm	Trail Life Troop 2950
Tue	10:30am	TLO leads worship at Lexington Pointe Senior Living
	7:00pm	Board of Elders
	7:00pm	Board of Trustees
Wed	6:30am	Men's Bible study
	8:15am	Chapel
	4:00pm	Midweek confirmation class
Thur	6:00pm	Peniel Evangelical Church activities
	6:30pm	Board of Christian Education
Fri	9:00am	Women of the Word (WoW) Bible study
Sat	2:00-8:00pm	Peniel Evangelical Church activities
SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER AND MOTHER'S DAY		
Sun	8:00*am	Worship
	9:15am	Education Hour for all ages
	10:30am	Worship
	12:30-5:00pm	Peniel Evangelical Church worship
	6:00pm	Hoops
*worship online at www.trinityloneoak.org		



Mini-Course day | Tuesday, May 28 | TLO School

Mini-courses are intended to give students the opportunity to experience and learn things that are different from regular curriculum, including knitting, cooking, woodworking, painting, paper crafts, gardening, outdoor cooking, and many other things! What would you like to 'teach' at TLO May 28? Pick up an orange form in the narthex or the school office for more information and to register. We need 10 more volunteers and would appreciate if you can fill one of the spots!

WEEKLY DEPOSITS: April 28, 2024

General Fund Income:			
	Current and Mission Weekly Offering	\$	8,681.32
	(Our offering budget is \$8,525 per week)		
	Building Reserve Fund	\$	840.15
	(Our offering budget is \$665 for per week)		
	1883 School Annual Fund	\$	795.70
	Chapel	\$	59.35
	Sunday school	\$	0.27
	Tuition	\$	10,302.47
	Parking Lot Fund	\$	350.00
	Church and school fees	\$	9,989.98
	Subtotal General Fund Income	\$	31,019.24
Special Purpose Income (not available for general fund spending)			
	YTF2	\$	235.75
	Young Investors stamps through Lutheran Church Extension Fund	\$	301.00
	Subtotal Special Fund Income	\$	536.75

Ways to Give to TLO's Ministry



Online—Visit trinityloneoak.org/giving and click Give Now to set up a one-time or recurring donation, or to make a payment.



QR CODE—Scan the QR code pictured here.



In Person—Whether it's cash or check, we appreciate your kindness. Please place your donations in the offering plate as it's passed.



Walk for Life

June 1 | 9:30am | Eden Baptist Church

Registration is now open for Amnion Pregnancy Center's annual Walk for Life. Register as an individual, couple or family. Find more information at helpofferhope.org.



Remember in Prayer

Avianna, young niece of Chelsea Cardenas, battling cancer

Dixie Cliff

Jim Kohn's sister-in-law, Gloria, starting chemotherapy and radiation therapy for bile duct cancer

Ed Jones, father of David Jones and Julie Casby, for peace and comfort in his last days

Joseph Labhart (Flannery's grandson) ongoing health concerns

Marilou Larson, close cousin of Alice Dornseif, continue prayers for resolution of autoimmune liver issues

Joyce (Kirchner) Moynihan, diagnosed with cancer

Ryan Kroonblawd - 1st year seminarian - Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, MO

Jill Olson, granddaughter of Roger and Lois Schaaf, undergoing treatment for breast cancer

Sharon Phelps, mom of Cindy Rahn

Mark Sujanani, son James TLO preschool, prayers for recovery of single bypass surgery, due to heart attack

Ron and Denise, close friends of Char Timm. Ron has crushed pelvis and broken femur

Former TLO staff member Curt Stoltenow will be starting a 5-week round of radiation treatments

Stuart Weierke at the Minneapolis VA Home

Laverne and Beverly Ziebell. Karen requests continued prayers for her parents



Weekly memory verse

Memorizing Scripture is a valuable practice for Christians, even in a digital age. Join us each week as we hide God's Word in our hearts.

"For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many." —Mark 10:45



Jean D. Oswald, age 86, of Orange City, IA, entered heaven on Monday, April 29. Jean was an aunt to Lynn Kroonblawd and lived with Parkinson's Disease for many years. Please keep Jean's relatives and friends in prayer as they grieve. Funeral services were held at Faith Lutheran Church in Orange City on Sat., May 5. *"I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me. . ."* - John 10:14



Birthdays this week

May 6 Camryn Ergang, Ryan Kroonblawd

May 7 Susan Stromgren, Andrew Swenson

May 8 Sally Pieper, Dana Vallin

May 9 Tim Morris, Sophia Orr, Jacob Seeman

May 11 Jeni Grimm

Anniversaries this week

May 6 Greg and Heather Hakanson

May 10 Keith and Ariana Prusak



Welcome Guests

We are glad you are here today! Here are a few things we thought you would like to know to help you feel at home with us today. If you are visiting please introduce yourself to our pastor, a greeter or an usher. We love to make new friends!

For those with small children, a nursery is available, located in the narthex, if you need a place to care for your child. Children's bulletins are in the narthex, or ask an usher.

Restrooms are located to the east end of the narthex near the main entrance.

Large print copies of the worship folder are available. Please ask an usher.

Today we celebrate Holy Communion. Please speak with our pastor or an elder before communing if this is your first time receiving the Lord's Supper at TLO. The light-colored wine in the center of the individual communion tray is de-alcoholized wine, where the alcohol is reduced to .05%.

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JOIN US
FOR WORSHIP!



"....continue in what you
have learned...."
2 Timothy 3:14a

Summer Schedule

May 26 – September 1

Sundays
Worship 9:00am
Adult Bible Class 10:15am

