



Holy Spirit Lutheran Church

Compassionate. Challenging. Inclusive.

Holy Spirit Lutheran Church is on the ancestral homelands of the Coast Salish peoples, and we give thanks for their presence here since time immemorial. We recognize and honor all our Indigenous siblings who have and continue to call this land their home.

Welcome to Holy Spirit Lutheran Church! Our mission is to **proclaim and embody the compassionate, challenging, and inclusive love of God revealed in Jesus Christ.** Your age, race, sexual orientation, gender identity, abilities, doubts and questions are all part of your story as a beloved child of God, and your whole self is welcome and affirmed here.

If you are a first-time visitor, welcome! We hope you will fill out a Welcome Card from your seat and drop it in the offering plate when it comes around - we'd love to get to know you! You are also welcome to communion today.

Live streaming and recording occur at our 9:30 am service. Those who worship online enjoy seeing people in the sanctuary, so if you are comfortable being on camera, please sit in the chairs to the right of the altar or close to the piano.

The assisted listening system in our sanctuary is compatible with personal hearing aids with the setting "T". Portable receivers and headsets are available from an usher.

Children are always welcome in worship. Children's bulletins are available from the ushers. Activities for kids are located on the bookshelf located at the back of the sanctuary. Please return items after the service. Childcare is also available at the 9:30 am and 11:00 am services in our nursery. The nursery is designed for children ages 4 and younger – follow the overhead sign in the narthex that directs you to the hallway towards the nursery (on the right).

Sunday School for kids aged 3 through 6th grade occurs during our 9:30 am service, and all are welcome. As Sunday School takes place throughout the building, look in the announcements or ask an usher or staff person where to find your child's class.

This worship bulletin is intended to be used at all three services today. Please leave it on your seat after the 8:00 and 9:30 worship. Large print bulletins are available from the ushers. Feel free to take home the announcement inserts for your personal use.

As we begin worship, we kindly ask that you please silence your cell phone.



Prelude

8:00

Arief Abraham, piano

11:00

We Gather in Worship

Lorica

music by Bob Moore, text by Sylvia G. Dunstan

Welcome and Announcements

9:30

Children and Youth Volunteer Recognition

Gathering Song and Noisy Offering

We Are Marching in the Light

Please stand as you are able.

1 We are march - ing in the light of God, we are march - ing in the
 light of God. We are march - ing in the light of God,
 we are march - ing in the light of God.
 We are march - ing (march - ing, we are march - ing) OO
 we are march - ing in the light of God.
 We are march - ing (march - ing, we are march - ing) OO
 we are march - ing in the light of God.

2 We are dancing ...

3 We are praying ...

4 We are singing ...

Easter Proclamation

Christ is risen! Alleluia!

He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

9:30

If I Were a Butterfly

HSLC Sunday School

words and music by Brian M. Howard

Thanksgiving for Baptism

Beloveds in Christ,

Through the waters of baptism,

We are brought into the family of God.

The body of Christ is rich in Divine creativity,

a community of people of many genders, races, body types and sizes,

abilities and hungers,

each a glimpse of God from a different angle.

God claims us with delight.

We claim one another as companions.

In our baptismal vows, we promise to love and support each other, working together to resist evil, injustice, and oppression in all its forms – within us and around us.

We need each other.

Today, we remember that the love we encounter through these waters cannot be undermined by bigotry or hate, by exclusion or injustice.

We are children of the Holy One,

Siblings in the life of God.

These family ties cannot be broken.

No one and nothing has the power to turn us away from our Creator.

We cannot be kicked out, or accepted only in part.

The full embrace of God always extends to us.

And so today, as we remember our baptism,

we also remember that through this new life in Christ we are set free:

To love wildly.

To live with pride in who we are and what God has seen us through.

And to claim the power God has given us

To turn from everything that destroys.

Through God's grace,

We leave shame behind

And rejoice in the Good News

That sets the captives free.

Prayer of the Day

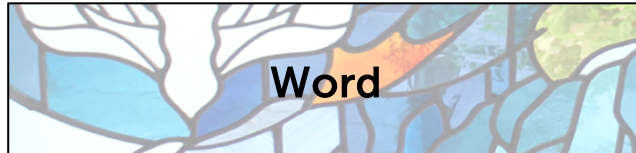
God be with you.

And also with you.

God our loving parent, we praise you for the beautiful diversity with which you created us, your children. Thank you for always loving us. Help us to see you in all whom we meet. In Jesus name,

Amen.

Let's all be seated.



Musical Offering

11:00

The Lord's Prayer
by John Fischer

Mark Weiseth and
Jessica Christmas, vocals
Noel Christmas, guitar

9:30, 11:00

Sacrament of Holy Baptism

First Reading

Acts 10:44-48

⁴⁴While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who heard the word. ⁴⁵The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles, ⁴⁶for they heard them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter said, ⁴⁷"Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?" ⁴⁸So he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited him to stay for several days.

Ancient Word, Resurrected Wisdom.

Thanks be to God!

¹Sing a new song to the LORD, who has done marvelous things,
whose right hand and holy arm have won the victory.

²**O LORD, you have made known your victory,
you have revealed your righteousness in the sight of the nations.**

³You remember your steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel;
all the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.

⁴**Shout with joy to the LORD, all you lands;
lift up your voice, rejoice, and sing.**

⁵Sing to the LORD with the harp,
with the harp and the voice of song.

⁶**With trumpets and the sound of the horn
shout with joy before the king, the LORD.**

⁷Let the sea roar, and all that fills it,
the world and those who dwell therein.

⁸**Let the rivers clap their hands,
and let the hills ring out with joy before the LORD, who comes to judge the earth.**

⁹The LORD will judge the world with righteousness
and the peoples with equity.

Second Reading

1 John 5:1-6

¹Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. ²By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. ³For the love of God is this, that we obey his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, ⁴for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith. ⁵Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

⁶This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth.

11:00

Children's Message

Greeting of the Gospel

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah

Please stand as you are able to greet the reading of the Gospel.

Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah!

Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah!

Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah!

Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah!

The musical notation consists of four staves of music in G major (one sharp). The first three staves are identical and feature a melody of quarter notes: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. The fourth staff continues the melody with a dotted quarter note G4, followed by a half note G4, and ends with a whole note G4. The lyrics are written below the notes, with hyphens indicating syllables across notes.

The Holy Gospel

Luke 2:41-52 Spark Story Bible p. 230

⁴¹Now every year [Jesus'] parents went to Jerusalem for the festival of the Passover. ⁴²And when he was twelve years old, they went up as usual for the festival. ⁴³When the festival was ended and they started to return, the boy Jesus stayed behind in Jerusalem, but his parents did not know it. ⁴⁴Assuming that he was in the group of travelers, they went a day's journey. Then they started to look for him among their relatives and friends. ⁴⁵When they did not find him, they returned to Jerusalem to search for him. ⁴⁶After three days they found him in the temple, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions. ⁴⁷And all who heard him were amazed at his understanding and his answers. ⁴⁸When his parents saw him they were astonished; and his mother said to him, "Child, why have you treated us like this? Look, your father and I have been searching for you in great anxiety." ⁴⁹He said to them, "Why were you searching for me? Did you not know that I must be in my Father's house?" ⁵⁰But they did not understand what he said to them. ⁵¹Then he went down with them and came to Nazareth, and was obedient to them. His mother treasured all these things in her heart.

⁵²And Jesus increased in wisdom and in years, and in divine and human favor.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Let's all be seated.

Sermon

8:00, 11:00

Pastor Gina Herman

9:30

Audrey Norton

Hymn of the Day

Jesus Loves Me

Please stand as you are able.

1 Je - sus loves me! this I know, for the Bi - ble tells me so;
2 Je - sus loves me! he who died heav - en's gates to o - pen wide;
3 Je - sus loves me! he will stay close be - side me all the way;

lit - tle ones to him be - long, they are weak, but he is strong.
he will wash a - way my sin, let his lit - tle child come in.
when at last I come to die, he will take me home on high.

Refrain

Yes, Je - sus loves me, yes, Je - sus loves me,

yes, Je - sus loves me, the Bi - ble tells me so.

Together, let's affirm our trust in God using the words of the creed.

We have faith in God who lives among us.

We are not alone, we live in God's world.

We believe in God:

**who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh,
to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit.**

We trust in God.

We are called to be the Church:

**to celebrate God's presence, to live with respect in creation,
to love and serve others, to seek peace and resist evil,
to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope.**

In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone.

Thanks be to God!

Prayers of the People

Rejoicing that Jesus is risen and love has triumphed over fear, let us pray for the church, the world, and all those in need of good news, saying:

God of grace,

hear our prayer.

Our communal prayers begin with a short time of silence and then petitions for the world, the church, and people and places in particular need. You will also be invited to name, in speech or silence, the prayers you carry with you.

Into your hands, most merciful God, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your abiding love; through Jesus Christ, our resurrected and living Lord.

Amen.



Sharing the Peace

The peace of God be always with you.

And also with you.

Bearing in mind the personal comfort of those around you, please share a friendly sign of God's peace and reconciliation with others and then be seated.

Offering

We invite you to contribute to our shared mission and ministry. Scan the QR code to reach the Giving page on our website.



Musical Offering

8:00

How Great Thou Art
arranged by Arief Abraham

Arief Abraham, piano

9:30

The Lord's Prayer
by John Fischer

Mark Weiseth and
Jessica Christmas, vocals
Noel Christmas, guitar

11:00

I Bind My Heart
music by Suzanne Toolan, text by Lauchlan McLean Watt

Lorica

Offertory

In the Morning I Will Sing

Please stand as you are able. All sing the refrain twice.

The musical notation is written on a single treble clef staff in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of four lines of music with lyrics underneath. The first line starts with a whole rest followed by a quarter rest, then a quarter note G, quarter note A, quarter note B, quarter note C, quarter note D, quarter note E, quarter note F, quarter note G. The second line starts with a quarter note G, quarter note A, quarter note B, quarter note C, quarter note D, quarter note E, quarter note F, quarter note G, quarter note A, quarter note B, quarter note C, quarter note D, quarter note E, quarter note F, quarter note G. The third line starts with a quarter note G, quarter note A, quarter note B, quarter note C, quarter note D, quarter note E, quarter note F, quarter note G, quarter note A, quarter note B, quarter note C, quarter note D, quarter note E, quarter note F, quarter note G. The fourth line starts with a quarter note G, quarter note A, quarter note B, quarter note C, quarter note D, quarter note E, quarter note F, quarter note G, quarter note A, quarter note B, quarter note C, quarter note D, quarter note E, quarter note F, quarter note G.

In the morn-ing I will sing, I will
sing glad songs to you, I will sing glad songs of praise to
you. I will sing glad songs of praise to
you.

Offertory Prayer

God of life,

**you give us these gifts of the earth,
these resources of our life and our labor.**

**Take them, offered in great thanksgiving,
and use them to set a table that will heal the whole creation;
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving

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 God thanks and praise.

Words of Institution

In the night in which he was betrayed our Lord Jesus took bread,
and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:

Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup,

gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying:

This cup is the new covenant in my blood,

shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

The Lord's Prayer

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus teaches us:

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.

Let's all be seated.



1 This lit - tle light of mine, I'm goin' - a let it shine;
 2 Ev - 'ry - where I go, I'm goin' - a let it shine;
 3 Je - sus gave it to me, I'm goin' - a let it shine;



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let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.
 let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.
 let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

Dismissal

Christ is risen! Alleluia!

He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Go in peace. Share the good news.

Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Arief Abraham, piano

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Thank you to our worship assistants!

SERVING TODAY – May 5th			
	8:00	9:30	11:00
ACOLYTES	n/a	Sam Hail Sam Kostopoulos	Louisa Higson
ASSISTING MINISTERS	Nancy Swanson	Elizabeth Churchill Micah Herman Tim Kostopoulos Rose Prata Audrey Verschuyf	Grace Hanson
GREETERS	Kathy Doran	Chris Cole Mallory Dehbod	Stuart and Diane Campbell
USHERS	Roseanne Hoxie	Doug Jacobson Linda Pickard	Jeff Reeder Ron Nitz
A/V TECHNICIAN		Zander Cole	Aiden Stewart
COMMUNION SET UP/ CLEAN UP	Ilene Hamilton	n/a	Polly Vann
COMMUNION HELPERS	n/a	Jonah Lynn Eloise Warren	n/a

SERVING NEXT SUNDAY – May 12th			
	8:00	9:30	11:00
ACOLYTES	n/a		Sophie Tiesel
ASSISTING MINISTER	Christina Brugman	Eric Henrikson	Melissa Tiesel
GREETERS	Dennis Pierce	Dan and Judy Selmann	Rosemary Dunkle Sharon Clum
USHERS	Bryan and Marsha Maxfield	Chris and Debbie Halvorson	Stuart and Diane Campbell
A/V TECHNICIAN		Becky Cole	Heath Stewart
COMMUNION SET UP/ CLEAN UP	Ilene Hamilton	n/a	Martha Krug