

Evangelical Lutheran Church of Durham

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The Resurrection of Our Lord – Easter Day

Festival Service of Holy Communion

April 5, 2015 - 10:30 AM - ELW Setting 2

Prelude

Welcome and Worship Announcements

* Gathering Song “*Now All the Vault*” **ELW #367**

* 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.

P: Christ is risen!

C: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

* Kyrie (*sung*). ELW pages 120-121

* Hymn of Praise (*sung*) ELW pages 122-123

First Reading. **Acts 10:34-43**. TR

Psalms Hymn “*The Day of Resurrection*” **ELW #361**

Second Reading **1 Corinthians 15:1-11** TR

* Gospel Acclamation “*Alleluia*” (*sung*) ELW page 124

* Easter Gospel Reading. **Mark 16:1-8** TR

Children’s Sermon

Sermon – “*Did We Miss Something?*”

* Hymn of the Day “*Jesus Christ is Risen Today*” **ELW # 365**

* Confession of Easter Faith - Nicene Creed ELW page 126

* Prayers of Intercession - each prayer ends with these words:

P: Lord, in your mercy, **C: Hear our prayer.**

* Share the Easter Peace ELW page 128

Offering

Choir Anthem “*Christ is Risen, Hallelujah!*” Pilot/Carter

* Offertory Song “*Let Us Talents & Tongues Employ*” **ELW #674**

* Offering Prayer (*said by pastor*)

* The Great Thanksgiving (*sung*) ELW page 129

* Preface for Easter (*sung by Pastor*) ELW page 130

* “*Holy, Holy, Holy Lord*” (*sung*). ELW page 130

* Eucharistic Prayer IV (*spoken responsively*) ELW page 133

* The Lord’s Prayer ELW page 134

* Lamb of God (*sung*) ELW page 135

Invitation to Communion: “This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia!”

The Distribution of Bread and Fruits of the Vine

(please follow the directions of the ushers)

Hymns during Distribution

“*Now the Green Blade Rises*” . . . **ELW #379**

“*Now We Join in Celebration*” . . . **ELW #462**

* Communion Table Blessing (*said by pastor after all have communed*)

* Prayer after Communion (*said by pastor*)

Mission Announcements

* Blessing

P: Almighty God, who raised our Lord Jesus to life, lift you up and restore you to wholeness.

C: Amen.

P: Christ the Morning Star who never sets, scatter the shadows and fill you with light.

C: Amen.

P: God the Holy Spirit, who renews the whole earth, refresh you in the gift of baptism this day and always.

C: Amen.

* Sending Song “*Alleluia! Jesus is Risen!*” . . . **ELW #377**

Dismissal P: Go in peace. Share the Good News. Alleluia.

C: Thanks be to God. Alleluia.

Postlude

The Asterisk () indicates to please stand if you are able;*

ELW is the red “Evangelical Lutheran Worship” in the pew rack.

TR is the Today’s Readings insert found in your Bulletin.

WELCOME TO ALL WHO WORSHIP WITH US TODAY.

*If you would like more information about this community of faith,
please speak to Pastor Deal.*

Serving in our worship this morning:

Council Communion Assistants: Ken Anderson & Val McGinn
Acolyte and Youth Communion Assistant . . . Alaina Apgar
Lay Worship Assistant. Kerri Rhine
Greeters Jayne and Jim Miller
Head Usher Ben Naska (Sr.)
Altar Guild & Communion Bread: Serena Ashmore, Beth Snyder
Counters Ken Anderson & Val McGinn
Organist/ Choir Director Carolyn Williams
Parish Secretary Ann Wong
Custodians Dianna Streletz and Norma Fox
Attendance for 3/29/15 Palm Sunday - Worship: 75
Christian Education: 26

Calendar

Care-A-Lot Preschool meets Tues. Wed., and Thurs. 9 AM-12:30 PM.

TODAY, Sunday, April 5– Resurrection of Our Lord

6:30 AM Easter Sunrise Communion

7:30 AM Easter Breakfast

NO Sunday School

10:30 AM Festival Easter Communion

Tuesday, April 7 at 1:30 PM - Special WELCA Program on
Upper Bucks Code Blue Shelter for the Homeless

Wednesday, April 8 at 6:30 PM Choir Rehearsal

Saturday, April 11 - Spaghetti Supper - 4:00-7:00 PM.

Proceeds support youth and youth leader, Mary Crouse, to
attend “Rise Up” ELCA Youth Gathering this Summer!
Tickets are available today - \$10 Adult, \$5 ages 6-12.
Please donate a dessert.

Sunday, April 19 – Annual Congregational Meeting
immediately after 10:30 AM worship.

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| Helen and Mary Dungan | William Dungan and Robert Allebach | |
| Kerri Rhine | James Rhine | |
| Cathy Mueller | Loved Ones | |
| Beth Snyder | | Loved Ones |
| Betty and George Kreitz | Loved Ones | Our Children, Grandchildren, and Great Grandchildren |
| Jayne and Jim Miller | John and Kathleen Sugg and James Miller, Jr. | Elizabeth G. Miller |
| Kenneth and Virginia Hager | Dale K. Hager | |
| Edward Xander | Nancy Jean Xander | |
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