

Evangelical Lutheran Church of Durham

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May 8, 2016 – Seventh Sunday of Easter – Mothers’ Day

10:30 AM - Holy Communion – ELW Setting 2

Prelude

Welcome – “Bring out the Alleluias!”

- * Thanksgiving for Baptism ELW page 119
- * Gathering Song “Lord, I Lift Your Name on High” **ELW # 857**
- * Greeting ELW page 120
- * Kyrie (*sung*) ELW pages 120-121
- * Hymn of Praise (*sung*) “This is the Feast” ELW pages 122-123
- * Prayer of the Day TR

First Reading **Acts 16:16-34** TR

Psalms 97 (*read responsively*) TR

Second Reading . . . **Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21** . . . TR

- * Gospel Acclamation (*sung*) . . . “Alleluia . . .” . . . ELW page 124
- * Gospel **John 17:20-26** TR

Children’s Sermon

Sermon “Ascension?”

- * Hymn of the Season . . . “We Walk By Faith” **ELW # 635**
- * Nicene Creed ELW page 126
- * Prayers of Intercession - *each prayer bid ends with these words:*
P: Hear us, O God. **C: Your mercy is great.**
- * Sharing the Easter Peace ELW page 128

Offering

Choir Anthem “I Have Felt the Touch of God” Lloyd Larson

- * Offertory Song “Let Us Talents & Tongues Employ” **ELW #674**
- * Offering Prayer (*Lay Worship Assistant*)
- * The Great Thanksgiving (*sung*) ELW page 129
- * Preface for Ascension (*sung by Pastor*) ELW p. 130
- * “Holy, Holy, Holy Lord” (*sung*) ELW page 130
- * Eucharistic Prayer of Thanksgiving IV ELW p. 133

- * The Lord’s Prayer ELW page 134
- * “Lamb of God” (*sung*) ELW page 135
- Invitation to Communion – “The table of life is spread before you. Feast on the goodness and mercy of God.”
- Distribution of Bread & Fruits of the Vine (*please follow ushers*)
- Hymn during Distribution . . . “For the Beauty” . . . **ELW #879**
- Communion Table Blessing (*Pastor*)
- * Prayer after Communion (*Lay Worship Assistant*)
- Mission Announcements
- * Choral Benediction “May the Lord Bless You” J. Hunnicutt
- * Sending Song “Jesus Shall Reign” **ELW #434**
- Dismissal P: Christ is Risen!

C: He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

P: Go in peace. Share the Good News.

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.*

WELCOME TO ALL WHO WORSHIP WITH US TODAY.

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

Altar flowers this morning are presented by Barbara and Ben Naska in honor of their 46th wedding anniversary.

The food basket is given by Barbara and Ben Naska in memory of their mothers, Mary Hoover and Julia Naska.



Serving in our worship this morning:

Council Communion Assistants . . . Lynn Gaun and Beth Snyder
Acolyte & Youth Communion Assistant Conner Aquino
Greeter Virginia Hager
Lay Worship Assistant Maggie Fischer
Head Usher Althea Crouse
Altar Guild & Communion Bread . . Cheryl Mesko, Linda Sauter
Counters Lynn Gaun and Beth Snyder
Organist/ Choir Director Carolyn Williams
Parish Secretary Ann Wong
Custodians Dianna Streletz
Attendance 5/1 – Worship: 85; Christian Ed: 26.

CALENDAR

*Care-A-Lot Preschool meets Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 9:00 AM –
12:30 PM.*

TODAY, Sunday, May 8 – Seventh Sunday of Easter

9:00 AM Christian Education: Confirmation Class,
Spark Sunday School, Adult Bible Study

10:30 AM Holy Communion

Wednesday, May 11 at 6:30 PM – Choir Rehearsal

NEXT Sunday, May 15 – Day of Pentecost – “Confirmation
Day” for Matthew Mueller and Makenzie Naska

Friday, May 20 – Dinner & a Movie – Meet at 5 PM at the
Naska’s. Dinner at 6 PM, movie is “War Room.”

Sunday, May 22 – Last Day of Sunday School – Spark
celebration

Sunday May 29 – Summer Worship Schedule begins-
Worship at 9:30 AM, Memorial Day
Observances after worship

Sunday, June 12 – Iron Pigs outing, \$10 per ticket. Fill out
registration form, make checks payable to ELCD and give to
Ben Naska or mail to church.