

# Evangelical Lutheran Church of Durham

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April 16, 2017 – Resurrection of Our Lord – Easter Day

10:30 AM - Festival Easter Communion – ELW Setting 2

Prelude

Welcome – Return of the Alleluias!

\* Easter Greeting

Pastor: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

**People: Christ is risen indeed, alleluia!**

\* Easter Gathering Song . . . *“Christ is Risen!”* . . . **ELW # 382**

\* Kyrie (*In peace, let us pray to the Lord*) . . . . . ELW pages 120-121

\* Hymn of Praise . . . *“This is the Feast”* . . ELW pages 122-123

\* Prayer of the Day (*Lay Worship Assistant*) . . . . . TR

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

**Psalms 118:1-2,14-24** (*read responsively*) . . . . . TR

Second Reading . . . . . **Colossians 3:1-4** . . . . . TR

\* Gospel Acclamation for Easter (*sung*) *“Alleluia ...”* ELW p. 124

\* Gospel . . . . . **Matthew 28:1-10** . . . . . TR

Children’s Sermon

Sermon *“Easter Raises Us from Fear”*

\* Hymn of the Day . . . . . *“The Strife is O’er”* . . . . . **ELW # 366**

\* Nicene Creed . . . . . ELW page 126

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

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

\* Easter Peace . . . . . ELW page 128

Offering

Choir Anthem . . . . . *“A Gaelic Easter Celebration”*

\* Offertory Song for Easter . . . *“Be Not Afraid”* . . . . . **ELW #388**

\* Offering Prayer (*Lay Worship Assistant*)

\* The Holy Communion (*led by Pastor*) . . . . . ELW page 129

\* Preface for Easter (*Pastor*) . . . . . ELW p. 130

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

\* Eucharistic Prayer (*responsive*) . . . . . ELW p. 133

\* The Lord’s Prayer (*all*) . . . . . ELW page 134

\* *“O Lamb of God”* (*all sing*) . . . . . ELW page 135

Invitation to Communion – *“Now let us feast this Easter Day on Christ, the bread of heaven. Hallelujah!”*

Distribution of Bread & Fruits of the Vine (*please follow ushers*)

Hymns during Distribution *“Now the Green Blade”* **ELW #379**

*“I’m so Glad”* **ELW #860**

Communion Table Blessing (*Pastor*)

\* Prayer after Communion (*Lay Worship Assistant*)

Mission Announcements

\* Easter Blessing (*Pastor*)

\* Sending Song . . . *“Jesus Christ is Risen Today”* . . . **ELW #365**

Dismissal P: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

**C: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

P: You are the Body of Christ raised up for the world. Go in peace. Share the Good News.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

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.*

**The Flowers on the altar** this morning are given in memory of Bob Crouse and Myron Kressman.



**Serving in our worship this morning:**

Council Communion Assistants: Ken Anderson, Mark Harwick  
Acolyte & Youth Communion Assistant . . . . . Hunter Aquino  
Greeters . . . . . Jayne and Jim Miller  
Lay Worship Assistant . . . . . Kerri Rhine  
Head Usher . . . . . Ben T. Naska  
Altar Guild & Communion Bread: Barb Naska, Beth & Luke Snyder  
Counters . . . . . Ken Anderson, Mark Harwick  
Organist/ Choir Director . . . . . Carolyn Williams  
Parish Secretary . . . . . Ann Wong  
Custodian . . . . . Dianna Streletz  
Attendance - 4/9/17 Christian Ed: 21; Worship: 80.

**PRAYER**

**CALENDAR**

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

**TODAY, Sunday, April 16 - Easter Sunday**

- 6:30 AM Sunrise Communion
- 7:30 AM Easter Breakfast
- 10:30 AM Festival Service of Holy Communion

**Wednesday, April 19** at 6:30 PM - Choir Rehearsal

**Saturday, April 22** at 11 AM - Memorial Service - Adele Haas

**NEXT Sunday, April 23 – Easter Continues**

- 9:30 AM Christian Education
- 10:30 AM First Holy Communion for Chase Aquino, Clayton Helfrich, Addyson Mammana, and Benjamin Naska
- 5:30 PM Joint Confirmation here at Durham

**Sunday, May 7** - Care-A-Lot Sunday

