All Saints Lutheran Church Albuquerque, NM Season of Easter 2024 Grace Notes Worship with Holy Communion 10:00 a.m.



Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

### Land Acknowledgement

We, the congregation of All Saints Lutheran Church, acknowledge and honor the Tiwa (tee-wa) and Piro (*pir-oh*) peoples upon whose ancestral homelands we gather for worship this morning. We honor all our Indigenous siblings in New Mexico, who have and continue to care for this place and call it their home.

# Thanksgiving for Baptism

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, the wellspring of grace, our Easter and our joy.

# Amen.

Look, here is water!

# Here is our water of life! Alleluia!

Immersed in the promises of baptism, let us give thanks for what God has done for us.

We give you thanks, O God, for in the beginning

your voice thundered over the deep and water became the essence of life.

Adam and Eve beheld Eden's verdant rivers.

The ark carried your creation through the flood into a new day.

Miriam led the dancing as your people passed through the sea into freedom's land.

In a desert pool the Ethiopian official entered your boundless baptismal life. Look, here is water!

# Here is our water of life! Alleluia!

At the river your beloved Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Holy Spirit. By the baptism of Jesus' death and resurrection

you opened the floodgates of your reconciling love, freeing us to live as Easter people. We rejoice with glad hearts, giving all honor and praise to you,

through the risen Christ, our source of living water,

in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

# Amen.

Look, here is water!

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# Gathering Hymn

### Greeting

The grace of our Risen Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all And also with you

# Hymn of Praise We Want to Worship You ~ Lloyd Garrelts



### Prayer of the Day Alleluia! Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia! Pray together from the bulletin insert or screen

### **First Reading**

..... Holy word, holy wisdom Thanks be to God

### <u>Psalm</u>

**Gospel Acclamation** Lead Me, Guide Me ~ ELW 768, refrain only

Lead me, guide me, along the way; for if you lead me, I cannot stray Lord, let me walk each day with thee. Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

### Gospel Reading

The Holy Gospel, according to \_\_\_\_\_ Glory to you, O Lord

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The gospel of the Lord Praise to you, O Christ

### <u>Sermon</u>

### Hymn of the Day

### <u>Creed</u>

I believe in God, eternal, almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, the Redeemer of all, the Only Begotten One; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, lived and loved among us, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried, who descended into hell, and on the third day rose from the dead.

Jesus, our Savior, ascended into heaven, sits at the right hand of the loving God, and will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the dead, and life everlasting. Amen.

#### Prayers

Each portion of the prayers concludes, God of grace, and you may respond, Hear our prayer

#### **Peace**

The peace of Christ be with you always. And also with you.

### Musical Offering



### Offering Prayer

Risen One, you call us to believe and bear fruit. May the gifts that we offer here be signs of your abiding love. Form us to be your witnesses in the world, through Jesus Christ, our true vine. 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 our thanks and praise

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy ... join their unending hymn:





Holy God, mighty Lord, gracious Father:

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For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup,

we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

Christ has died. Christ is risen.

### Christ will come again.

Therefore, O God, with this bread and cup we remember the life our Lord offered for us. And, believing the witness of his resurrection, we await his coming in power to share with us the great and promised feast. **Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.** 

Send now, we pray, your Holy Spirit, that we who share in Christ's body and blood may live as the body of Christ and share the light of Christ in the world **Amen. Come, Holy Spirit**.

Join our prayers with those of your servants of every time and every place, as we pray together in the words Jesus taught us:

### The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

### Holy Communion

You are beloved of God, and this meal is for you. Come forward to the altar rail and stand or kneel to receive communion. The bread is gluten-free and there is wine or grape juice. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, you may come forward and cross your arms over your chest.



### Communion Hymn

### **Blessing after Communion**

### Prayer after Communion

Gracious God, in you we live and move and have our being. With your word and this meal of grace, you have nourished our life together. Strengthen us to show your love and serve the world in Jesus' name. **Amen.** 

### Blessing

Alleluia! Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia! The God of resurrection power, the Christ of unending joy, and the Spirit of Easter hope + bless you now and always. Amen.

### Sending Hymn

Dismissal Go in peace. Rejoice and be glad. Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

### Postlude

# MISSION STATEMENT

As God's forgiven people:

+ We welcome all in Christ's love.

+ We grow together in faith and life.

+ We go out to love and serve others.



All Saints is a Reconciling in Christ community, which means we intentionally welcome people who are gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, queer and intersex.



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Deadline for Submitting Articles: Items for the weekly annoucements - 1:00 pm Wednesday Articles for the monthly Newsletter - 20th of eah month.

Please send your articles to the All Saints Church office at office@allsaintsabq.org