

SERVICE OF PRAISE
WITH ASSIGNMENT OF CALLS



The Fourth Week of Easter
April 29, 2015
7 p.m.

CONCORDIA SEMINARY
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

THE PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

Gloria

Randol Alan Bass

(Laudamus)

Bell Peal

As the hymn is introduced, please stand and face the processional cross, turning as it passes you.

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Rise, Shine, You People

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It consists of four staves of music. The lyrics are written below the notes, with some lines indented to align with specific musical phrases. The lyrics are as follows:

All 1 Rise, shine, you peo - ple! Christ the Lord has en - tered
All 2 See how He sends the pow'rs of e - vil reel - ing;
Choir 3 Come, cel - e - brate, your ban - ners high un - furl - ing,
All 4 Tell how the Fa - ther sent His Son to save us.

Our hu - man sto - ry; God in Him is cen - tered.
He brings us free - dom, light and life and heal - ing.
Your songs and prayers a - gainst the dark - ness hurl - ing.
Tell of the Son, who life and free - dom gave us.

He comes to us, by death and sin sur -
All men and wom - en, who by guilt are
To all the world go out and tell the
Tell how the Spir - it calls from ev - 'ry

round - ed, With grace un - bound - ed.
driv - en, Now are for - giv - en.
sto - ry Of Je - sus' glo - ry.
na - tion His new cre - a - tion.

THE INVOCATION

L: In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

L: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

C: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

THE COLLECT FOR THE FOURTH WEEK OF EASTER

L: Almighty God, merciful Father, since You have wakened from death the Shepherd of Your sheep, grant us Your Holy Spirit that when we hear the voice of our Shepherd we may know Him who calls us each by name and follow where He leads; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

Sit

THE PSALMODY

Praise Him

Psalm 150
Michael Cox
(*Laudamus*)

Praise ye the Lord.

Praise God in His sanctuary: Praise Him!

Praise Him in the firmament of His pow'r.

Praise Him for His mighty acts; Praise Him for His excellent greatness.

Praise Him with the sound of the trumpet; Praise Him with the psalt'ry and harp.

Praise Him with the timbrel and dance; Praise Him with stringed instruments and organs.

Praise Him with the loud cymbals,

with the high sounding cymbals Praise Him!

Let everything that hath breath Praise Him!

THE READING

Acts 4:1-12

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

THE HYMN

The King of Love My Shepherd Is (LSB 709)



1 The King of love my shep - herd is, Whose good - ness
2 Where streams of liv - ing wa - ter flow, My ran - somed
3 Per - verse and fool - ish oft I strayed, But yet in
4 In death's dark vale I fear no ill With Thee, dear



fail - eth nev - er; I noth - ing lack if
soul He lead - eth And, where the ver - dant
love He sought me And on His shoul - der
Lord, be - side me, Thy rod and staff my



I am His And He is mine for - ev - er.
pas - tures grow, With food ce - les - tial feed - eth.
gent - ly laid And home re - joic - ing brought me.
com - fort still, Thy cross be - fore to guide me.

- 5 Thou spreadst a table in my sight;
Thine unction grace bestoweth;
And, oh, what transport of delight
From Thy pure chalice floweth!
- 6 And so through all the length of days
Thy goodness faileth never;
Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise
Within Thy house forever!

Stand

THE READING

John 10:11-18

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Sit

THE SERMON

THE CANTICLE

Gloria Deo

John Leavitt
(*Pro Musica Sacra*)

See LSB pp. 187-9 for English translation

Gloria Deo in excelsis, Deo!

Et in terra pax hominibus, bonae voluntatis.

Laudamus te. Benedicimus te. Adoramus te. Glorificamus te.

Gratias agimus tibi propter magnam gloriam tuam.

Domine Deus, Rex coelestis, Jesu Christe cum Sancto Spiritu in Gloria Dei Patris.

Gloria Deo, Gloria in excelsis!

Et in terra pax hominibus, bonae voluntatis.

Gloria Deo in excelsis, Deo.

THE ASSIGNMENT OF CALLS

THE RESPONSE

Continue in the Things That You Have Learned

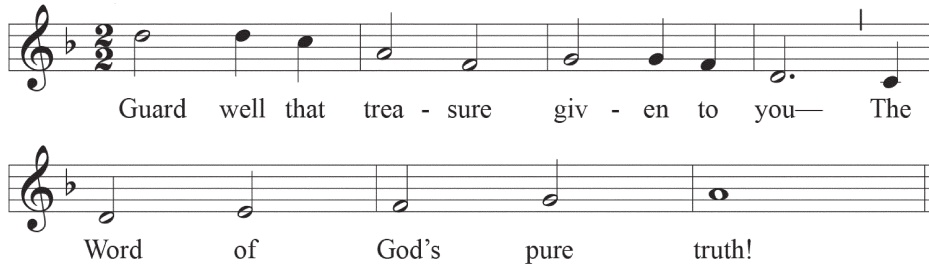
2 Timothy 1:6–12, 14; 3:14–15

Metrical paraphrase by Stephen P. Starke

Haedge

Barry L. Bobb

(The assembly joins the choir on each refrain.)



L: Continue in the things that you have learned,
Convinced by those who taught the sacred text;
The Holy Scriptures you have known since youth
Have brought you saving faith in Jesus Christ:

C: Refrain

L: Fan into flame the Spirit's gift from God
Bestowed on you through teaching pure and true.
Be bold, not timid—God will make you strong,
Self-disciplined, empow'ed with holy love.

C: Refrain

L: Be not ashamed, proclaim the living Lord,
And join with those who suffer for His sake;
For God's great mercy saved you by His grace:
His love in Christ before the world began.

C: Refrain

L: Christ Jesus has destroyed the reign of death,
Brought life and immortality to light;
Now trust that He in whom you have believed
Will keep your faith secure until that day.

C: Refrain

Stand

THE PRAYERS

L: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

L: Let us pray...O Heavenly Father, the Author of all wisdom, understanding, and true strength, we ask You to look mercifully upon Your servants and send Your Holy Spirit into their hearts, that when they must join to fight in the field for the glory of Your holy name, then they, being strengthened with the defense of Your right hand, may stand in the confession of Your faith and of Your truth, and continue in the same unto the end; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C: Amen.

Candidates: Almighty and gracious God, You have commanded us to pray that You would send forth laborers into Your harvest; in Your mercy make us true servants of Your Word with Your saving Gospel in our hearts and on our lips that we may truly fulfill Your command and do those things which are well-pleasing to You; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C: Amen.

L: O Lord, You have power over death and the grave and have shown us Your wonderful grace in rescuing us from sin. We thank You for the blessings in the past 176 years that You have bestowed on Concordia Seminary and we thank You for the work You have given us to do together in The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. We ask You to give us grace to persevere in our present work so that Your honor and glory are magnified everywhere; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

L: Taught by our Lord and trusting His promises, we are bold to pray:

C: 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.

THE BENEDICTION

L: The almighty Father, who raised our Lord Jesus from death,
 Jesus Christ, the risen Word of life,
 and the Holy Spirit who refreshes the Church through the gift of baptism,
 bless you and renew you in His life.

C: Amen.

L: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

C: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN

Joy to the Heart



1. Look there! the Christ, our Broth - er, comes re -
 2. Good Je - sus Christ in - side his pain looked
 3. Good Je - sus Christ, our Broth - er, died in
 4. Look there! the Christ, our Broth - er, comes re -



splen - dent from the gal - lows tree and what he
 down Gol - go - tha's ston - y slope and let the
 dark - est hurt up - on the tree to of - fer
 splen - dent from the gal - lows tree and what he



brings in his hurt hands is life on life for you and me.
 blood flow from his flesh to fill the springs of liv - ing hope.
 us the worlds of light that live in - side the Tri - ni - ty.
 brings in his hurt hands is life on life for you and me.

Refrain



Joy! joy! joy to the heart all in this good day's dawn - ing!



Joy! joy! joy to the heart all in this good day's dawn - ing

THE POST-SERVICE MUSIC

Te Deum

John Rutter
(Pro Musica Sacra)

Soli Deo Gloria

THE SERVANTS OF THE WORD

Preacher

Carl Krueger
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James Miller
Melissa Miller
Kelly Jacob

The Board of Regents, faculty, relatives, and friends are invited to a reception
at 8:30 p.m. on the Chapel Plaza (Koburg Dining Hall in case of rain).

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