

Concerning the Divine Service

The Lord's Supper is celebrated on our campus in the confession and glad confidence that our Lord Jesus, as He says, gives His very body and blood under the bread and wine for us Christians to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sin. In joyful obedience to the clear teaching of our Lord, those are invited to His table who trust His words, repent of all sin, set aside any refusal to forgive, and forgive as He forgives us. Because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and so are unable to receive the Sacrament, are invited to meditate on God's Word in the distribution hymns and pray for the day when divisions will have ceased.

This service of Holy Communion is hosted by Zion Lutheran Church, Mascoutah, Illinois, Rev. Dr. Kirk Clayton, pastor.

Hearing device assistance is available in the chapel by downloading AudioFetch to your smart phone. Once installed, connect to "CSLHearing" on the chapel WiFi. The password to connect is "Seminary1839." You can then use personal headphones or earbuds to listen and adjust the sound as appropriate. If you need any help with this process, please speak with the tech worker at the sound booth located on the right side of the chapel. He will be happy to assist.

Individual Confession and Absolution is available through Chaplain Sieveking. sievekingp@csl.edu. "When I urge you to go to confession, I am simply urging you to be a Christian." (Large Catechism, Brief Exhortation, 32).

To submit prayer requests for daily chapel, please submit them via SemNet: Semnet>Resources>Chapel>Prayer Request.

Prayer Requests

Ellory Glenn, father of Micah Glenn—ongoing recovery.

Suzanne Vandermeulen, sister-in-law of Jon Vieker— ongoing recovery.

Blake Georgie, spouse of Carla Georgie—recovering from surgery.

Beth Hoeltke—recovering from surgery.

Bill Wilson—recovering from surgery.

Harold, grandfather of Michael Wilke—hospitalized.

CONCORDIA SEMINARY Chapel of St. Timothy and St. Titus

Easter Wednesday, A.D. 2023

April 12, 2023

Divine Service, Setting Two

Pre-service Music

Stand

Confession and Absolution

LSB 167

Kyrie

LSB 168

Hymn of Praise – "This Is the Feast"

LSB 171

Salutation and Collect of the Day

LSB 172

Sit

Epistle

Colossians 3:1–7

Stand

Alleluia and Verse

LSB 952

C Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

L Christ Jesus abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel.

C (sung) Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Holy Gospel

John 21:1–14

Sit

Hymn of the Day

LSB 485 "Long before the World Is Waking"

Sermon

Stand

Nicene Creed *LSB 174*

Prayer of the Church

Following the prayers, the people may greet one another in the name of the Lord, saying “Peace be with you,” as a sign of reconciliation and of the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace (Matt. 5:22–24; Eph. 4:1–3).

Sit

Offertory Hymn *LSB 483 “With High Delight Let Us Unite”*

Stand

Service of the Sacrament *LSB 177 ff.*

Preface
Sanctus
Prayer of Thanksgiving
The Words of Our Lord
Proclamation of Christ
Lord’s Prayer
Pax Domini
Agnus Dei

Sit

The congregation is encouraged to begin coming forward to the communion rails during the singing of the Agnus Dei.

The Lord’s Supper will be distributed at the altar rails in a continuous flow. Both pulpit and lectern sides come forward at the same time. Beginning at the center of the rail, please take the next available place at the rail, moving around toward the wall behind the altar and allowing for space between you and others as you are comfortable. Both the chalice and individual cups are available. The chalice is continuously cleansed with alcohol-soaked purificators. After communing, please return to your seat by the side aisles.

Distribution Hymns *LSB 633 “At the Lamb’s High Feast We Sing”*
LSB 458 “Christ Jesus Lay in Death’s Strong Bands”

Stand

Dismissal

Post-Communion Collect *LSB 183*

Benediction

Postlude

In the Lord’s Service

Preacher
Presiding Minister
Lector
Assistants

Rev. Dr. Benjamin Haupt
Rev. Dr. Kent Bureson
Rev. Dr. Jon Vieker
Rev. Dr. Paul Sieveking
Seminarian Matthew Vathauer
Seminarian Daniel Bueckman
Seminarian Jacob Moede
Justin Knabach

Organist

You are cordially invited to gather for evening services in the North Transept:

- Spanish Vespers on Mondays at 7:30 pm.
- Evening Prayer on Tuesdays at 8:30 pm.
- Compline on Thursdays at 8:30 pm.