

Service of Holy Communion



Feast of the Ascension of Our Lord

(observed)

The 7th Week of Easter

29 May 2019

Chapel of St. Timothy & St. Titus | Concordia Seminary

LUTHERAN SERVICE BOOK
Divine Service Setting 3, pp. 184-202

Prelude	<i>—stand if able—</i>	
Hymn of Praise		LSB 494
Salutation and Prayer of the Day		p. 189
L: The Lord be with you.		
C: And also with thy spirit.		
	<i>—sit—</i>	
First Reading		Acts 1:1-11
	<i>— Please stand and follow the procession, turning as it passes you —</i>	
Gospel Acclamation		LSB 493, sts. 1-2
Gospel Reading		Luke 24:44-53
Gospel Acclamation		LSB 493, sts. 3-4
	<i>—sit—</i>	
Homily		<i>Luke 24</i>
Hymn of the Day		LSB 491
Prayers of the Church		p. 193
	<i>—stand if able—</i>	
Offertory Hymn		LSB 493, sts. 5-6
Service of the Sacrament		pp. 194-9
	<i>—sit—</i>	
Communion Music		LSB 495
Dismissal		
	<i>—stand if able—</i>	
Thanksgiving		p. 200
Post-Communion Collect		p. 201
Salutation, Benedicamus and Benediction		pp. 201-2
L: The Lord be with you.		
C: And also with thy spirit.		
Postlude		

The Servants of the Word

Presider: Dean Kent Bureson

Preacher: Professor Joel Biermann

Organist: Director of Musical Arts James Marriott

In Preparation for Communion

To Our Guests:

The Lord's Supper is celebrated on our campus in the confession and glad confidence that our Lord, as He says, gives not only bread and wine, but His very body and blood to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sin. In joyful obedience to the clear teaching of our Lord Jesus those are invited to His table who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us. They show forth His death until He comes. 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. -Kent J. Bureson, Dean of the Chapel

Notes Regarding Communion

- The campus Lord's Supper is sponsored and hosted by the Lutheran Church of St. Andrew and Pastor Mark Hricko of Silver Spring, Maryland.
- When receiving the cup to partake of Christ Jesus' blood, please place your hand on the cup in some way to assist the server in guiding it to your mouth. Depending upon how those distributing the cup are holding it, you can either take hold of the cup at the base on the bottom OR on the stem of the chalice OR at the bowl itself on the upper part. By doing so you will assist the server and help to prevent any unwelcome spillage.
- If illness leads you not to drink wine directly from the chalice, you may intinct the bread by dipping it into the chalice.
- If you have a gluten allergy or any other special need, please contact Dean of the Chapel Kent Bureson.

Private Confession and Absolution

Contact Chaplain Sieveking to arrange for confession and absolution.

Prayer Requests

- Partner Church Bodies
- Districts and District Presidents
- Synodical Leaders
- Missionaries
- The Poor and Those Suffering from Natural and Man-Made Disasters: Alaska, California, Hawaii, Alabama, Iowa, Nebraska, Puerto Rico, Venezuela, Indonesia, El Salvador, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, New Zealand, Mozambique
- Those battling mental illness, especially Bulimia Nervosa
- The Lutheran Women's Missionary League (LWML), for their mission and in thanksgiving for meeting their 2017-2019 mission goal
- Those who are ill/undergoing surgery: Rev. Erich Kaelberer suffering from ALS;

Gillian Bond's friend, Trevor, battling a very serious form of liver cancer and preparing for further chemotherapy; Roger Drinnon, father to graduate student Roger Drinnon, battling cancer; Elias Wyeth, infant son of Roseann and seminarian Dwight Wyeth, facing major health concerns; Professor Emeritus Bob Weise recovering from a lung biopsy; Jim Campise, brother-in law to Maureen Campise, hospitalized with serious medical conditions; Shaon Shanks, member of the C&W services staff, battling cancer and recovering from surgery; Critter Deneen's mother, Bonnie, recovering from surgery; Rev. Garen Pay, 2012 graduate, pastor at Hope Lutheran, Idaho Falls, Idaho, with a recurrence of thyroid cancer; Robert Ave, father-in-law of staff member Melanie Ave, recovering from hip surgery; 2011 Graduate Pastor Chris and Aly Eldridge, experiencing challenges with conceiving a child; Staff Member Pam Davitz's sister's father in law, Edgar Nolan, who is gravely ill; Liz Pederson's father Russell Ashley recovering from shoulder surgery; Robin Hochgrebe, wife of 2012 graduate Rev. Ryan Hochgrebe, being treated for an aggressive cancer; Gene and Anita Gibson, parents of Seminary Advancement Director of Principal Gifts Mike Flynn, battling health issues; Jett Raj, infant grandson to Professor Victor and Anie Raj, who faces serious heart issues, but has gone home from the NICU; Renee Gibbs, undergoing treatment to cure breast cancer; Bob Hirschbuehler, family friend of staff member Jerrie Oldani, recovering from cancer surgery; Sean Hormel, friend of Beth Hoeltke, recovering from surgery for a serious heart condition; Gus Werner, husband of Donna Werner, administrative assistant in the RFE office, hospitalized in the ICU; Pastor Andreas Rehr in our partner church in Germany and his family suffering the trauma of an armed robbery of their parsonage

- Those Mourning: Fradia Scott, Gifts by Phone Caller, and her family at the death of her uncle Eugene Stephens; Seminarian Andy Berg and his family mourning the sudden death of his sister in an automobile accident; Cathy Whitcomb, Executive Assistant in Placement and EIIT, and her family at the death of her niece, Amy Young; 2019 graduate Alex LaHue and his wife Erin, at the sudden death of their newborn daughter, Talliah Erin Lahue; The family and friends of Glenn Weingarth, consultant and supporter of Concordia Seminary, at his sudden death



Reflections on the gospel reading for Ascension Day, from Luke 24, from Ted and Rick (dark nose) by LCMS Pastor James Wetzstein (Agnus Day appears with the permission of www.agnusday.org).