

CONCORDIA SEMINARY
Chapel of St. Timothy and St. Titus
The Fourth Week of Easter, A.D. 2024
April 24, 2024

Divine Service, Setting Two
Commemoration of Johann Walther, Kantor

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 1 John 3:16–24

Stand

Alleluia and Verse LSB 459 “Christ Is Arisen”

Holy Gospel John 10:11–18

Sit

Hymn of the Day LSB 709 “The King of Love My Shepherd Is”

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 482 “This Joyful Eastertide”

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

LSB 962 “Agnus Dei — I”

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 638 “Eat This Bread”
LSB 710 “The Lord’s My Shepherd, I’ll Not Want”

Stand

Dismissal

Post-Communion Collect

LSB 183

Benediction

Postlude

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In the Lord’s Service

Preacher
Presiding Minister

Rev. Dr. Vilson Scholz
Rev. Matthew Clark
Ascension Lutheran Church, St. Louis

Lector
Assistants

Rev. Dr. Leopoldo Sánchez
Rev. Dr. Paul Sieveking
Seminarian Travis Galle
Seminarian Avery Hjulberg
Seminarian Peyton Holland
Justin Knabach

Organist

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 Ascension Lutheran Church, St. Louis, Missouri, Rev. Matthew Clark, 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.
Harold, grandfather of Michael Wilke—ongoing recovery.
Aaron Rutt, son of Douglas Rutt—complications from heart surgery.
Greg Rathke, SMP student—recovering from heart surgery.
Ryan Barnett—recovering from surgery.
John Huss—recovering from surgery.
John Szupica, EIIT student/vicar—hospitalized.
Robert Vieker, father of Jon Vieker—recovering from surgery.
Gillian Bond—ongoing recovery.
Samuel Wondemu—ongoing recovery.
Joy Nyanchama Ananda, daughter of David Ananda Osachi— Bell’s Palsy.
Chickie Wilke, grandmother of Michael Wilke—ongoing recovery.
Alvin Fritsche, father of Joel Fritsche—ongoing recovery.
Ken Fritsche, brother of Joel Fritsche—recovering from cancer surgery.
Gijsbertus van Hattem, father of Sofia van Hattem—hospitalized.
Doug Small, friend of the Simmons family—hospitalized.
Brent Baumann, uncle of Julie Baumann—in hospice care.
Jeanette and Judy, grandmothers—in hospice care.
Luke Onken—recovering from infection.