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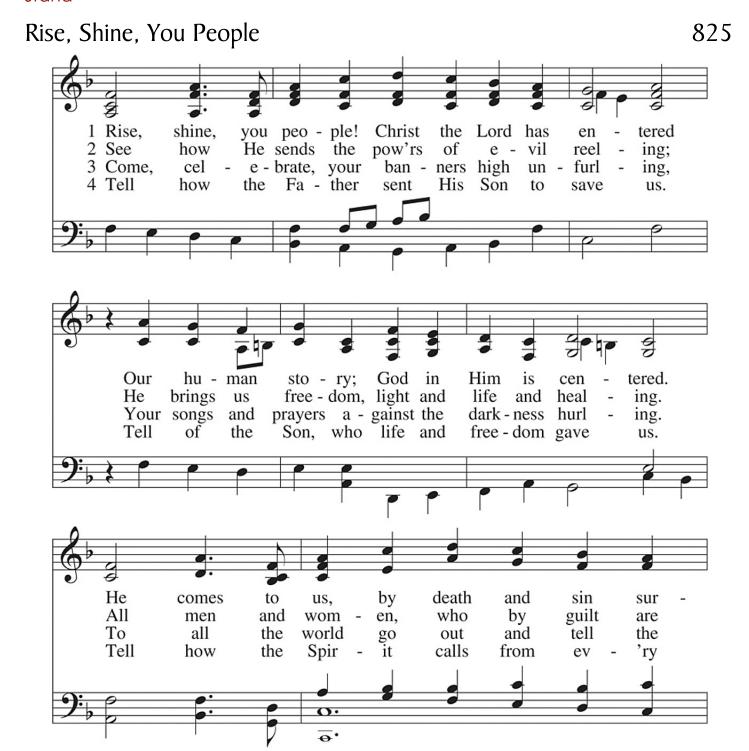


DIVINE SERVICE

Setting Five

A HYMN OF INVOCATION may be sung.

Stand





CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

The sign of the cross + may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

- **P** In the name of the Father and of the

 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- **C** Amen. Matthew 28:19b; [18:20]
- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

 [Hebrews 10:22]
- P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- C who made heaven and earth.

Psalm 124:8

- P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- **C** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Psalm 32:5

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

The pastor faces the congregation:

- P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the
 → Son and of the Holy Spirit. [John 20:19-23]
- C Amen.

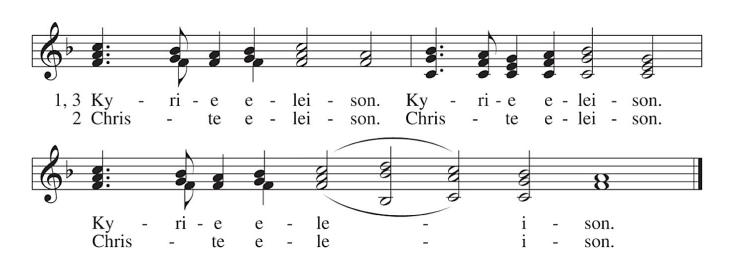
SERVICE OF THE WORD

INTROIT

Psalm 105:39-43; antiphon: v. 1

- P Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples!
- **C** He spread a cloud for a covering, and fire to give light by night.
- P They asked, and he brought quail, and gave them bread from heaven in abundance.
- **C** He opened the rock, and water gushed out; it flowed through the desert like a river.
- P For he remembered his holy promise, and Abraham, his servant.
- So he brought his people out with joy, his chosen ones with singing.
- ALL Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.
 - P Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples!







GLORIA IN EXCELSIS ~ Glory Be to God the Father (to the tune of) 924



SALUTATION and COLLECT OF THE DAY

- P The Lord be with you.
- 2 Timothy 4:22 C And also with you.
- P Let us pray.

The Collect of the Day is spoken.

- P Heavenly Father, though we do not deserve Your goodness, still You provide for all our needs of body and soul. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may acknowledge Your gifts, give thanks for all Your benefits, and serve You in willing obedience; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C Amen.

Sit

OLD TESTAMENT ~ Isaiah 55:1–5

¹ "Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. ² Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy? Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food. ³ Incline your ear, and come to me; hear, that your soul may live; and I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David. ⁴Behold, I made him a witness to the peoples, a leader and commander for the peoples. ⁵ Behold, you shall call a nation that you do not know, and a nation that did not know you shall run to you, because of the LORD your God, and of the Holy One of Israel, for he has glorified you.

- **P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL Romans 11:33, 36

Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways! For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be glory forever. Amen.

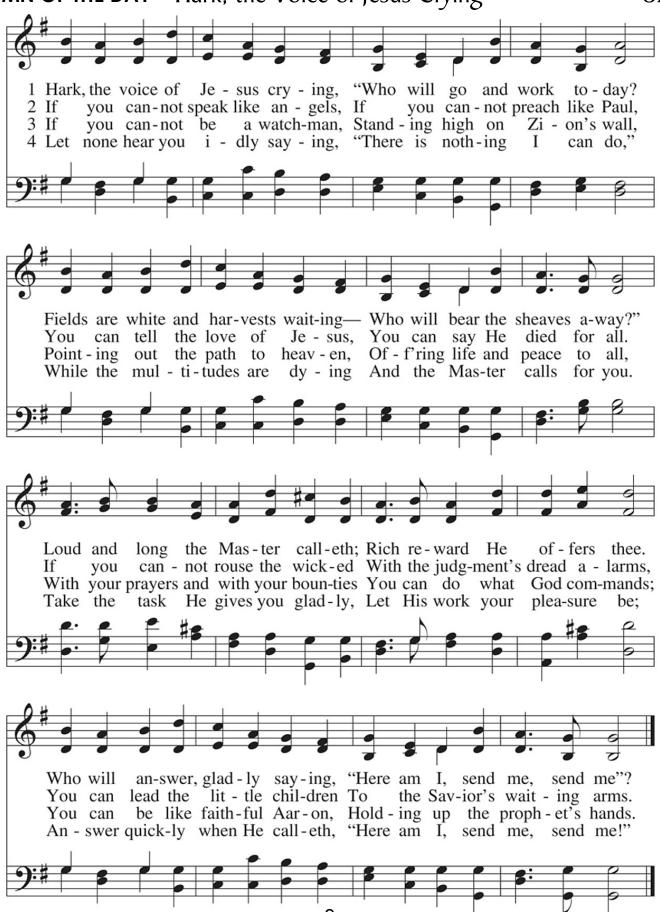
EPISTLE ~ Romans 9:1–13

¹ I am speaking the truth in Christ—I am not lying; my conscience bears me witness in the Holy Spirit—² that I have great sorrow and unceasing anguish in my heart. ³ For I could wish that I myself were accursed and cut off from Christ for the sake of my brothers, my kinsmen according to the flesh. ⁴ They are Israelites, and to them belong the adoption, the glory, the covenants, the giving of the law, the worship, and the promises. ⁵ To them belong the patriarchs, and from their race, according to the flesh, is the Christ, who is God over all, blessed forever. Amen.

⁶ But it is not as though the word of God has failed. For not all who are descended from Israel belong to Israel, ⁷ and not all are children of Abraham because they are his offspring, but "Through Isaac shall your offspring be named." ⁸ This means that it is not the children of the flesh who are the children of God, but the children of the promise are counted as offspring. ⁹ For this is what the promise said: "About this time next year I will return, and Sarah shall have a son." ¹⁰ And not only so, but also when Rebekah had conceived children by one man, our forefather Isaac, ¹¹ though they were not yet born and had done nothing either good or bad—in order that God's purpose of election might continue, not because of works but because of him who calls— ¹² she was told, "The older will serve the younger." ¹³ As it is written, "Jacob I loved, but Esau I hated."

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.





Stand

HOLY GOSPEL ~ Matthew 14:13–21

- P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fourteenth chapter.
- **G**lory to You, O Lord.

13 Now when Jesus heard this, he withdrew from there in a boat to a desolate place by himself. But when the crowds heard it, they followed him on foot from the towns. ¹⁴ When he went ashore he saw a great crowd, and he had compassion on them and healed their sick. ¹⁵ Now when it was evening, the disciples came to him and said, "This is a desolate place, and the day is now over; send the crowds away to go into the villages and buy food for themselves." ¹⁶ But Jesus said, "They need not go away; you give them something to eat." ¹⁷ They said to him, "We have only five loaves here and two fish." ¹⁸ And he said, "Bring them here to me." ¹⁹ Then he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass, and taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven and said a blessing. Then he broke the loaves and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds. ²⁰ And they all ate and were satisfied. And they took up twelve baskets full of the broken pieces left over. ²¹ And those who ate were about five thousand men, besides women and children.

- **P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- C Praise to You, O Christ.



CREED ~ We All Believe in One True God

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Sit

SERMON ~ "The Compassion of Christ"

Matthew 14:13-21

Stand

- The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep our hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

 Philippians 4:7
- C Amen.

Sit

OFFERING

The Service at the Park continues on page 20.

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

P The Lord be with you.

2 Timothy 4:22

- C And also with you.
- P Lift up your hearts.

[Colossians 3:1]

- **C** We lift them up to the Lord.
- P Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

[Psalm 136]

C It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

The Proper Preface appropriate to the day or season is spoken:

- **P** It is truly good, right and salutary . . . one God, now and forever.
- C Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

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 Matthew 6:9-13

P In the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, at His command, and with His own words, we receive His testament:

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

Matthew 26:26-28; Mark 14:22-24 Luke 22:19-20; 1 Corinthians 11:23-25

- P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My + body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."
- In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My + blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

SANCTUS ~ Holy, Holy, Holy

Isaiah 6:3: Matthew 21:9



ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth C Ho - lv, a - dored:



Heav'n and earth with full ac-claim shout the glo-ry of Your name.





Sabaoth (SAH-bay-oath) is Hebrew for "heavenly hosts." Hosanna is a Hebrew word of praise meaning "save us now."

PAX DOMINI

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

John 20:19

C Amen.



Sit

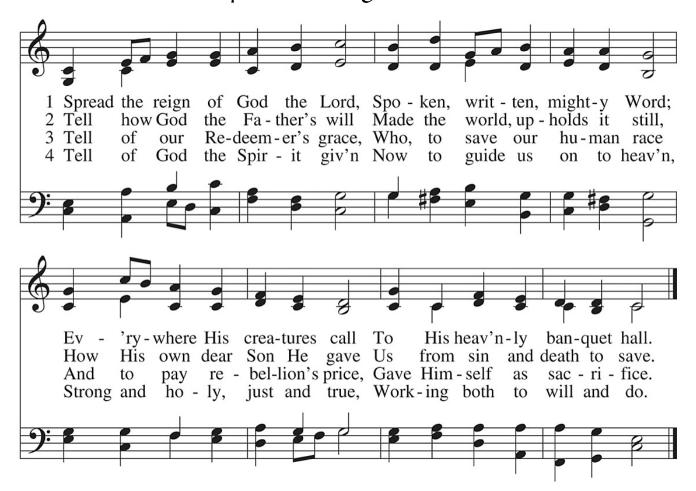
DISTRIBUTION

- P Take and eat, this is the true body of our Lord Jesus Christ, given into death for your sins.
- C Amen.

- P Take and drink, this is the true blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, poured out for you for the forgiveness of your sins.
- C Amen.

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS ~ Spread the Reign of God the Lord

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- 5 Enter, mighty Word, the field; Ripe the promise of its yield. But the reapers, oh, how few For the work there is to do!
- 6 Lord of harvest, great and kind, Rouse to action heart and mind; Let the gath'ring nations all See Your light and heed Your call.





Stand

- P The true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you steadfast in the one true Faith unto life everlasting. Depart

 → in peace.
- C Amen.

POST-COMMUNION HYMN ~ In Peace and Joy I Now Depart

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- 1 In peace and joy I now de-part Since God so wills it.
- 2 Christ Je sus brought this gift to me, My faith ful Sav ior,
- 3 You sent the peo ple of the earth Their great sal va tion; 4 Christ is the hope and sav-ing light Of those in blind ness;



Se - rene and con - fi - dent heart: Still - ness fills it. my Whom You have made my eyes Your fa Byvor. see in - vi - ta - tion sum-mons forth Ev -'ry na tion guides and com-forts those in His kind - ness. night By



For the Lord has prom-ised me That death is but a slum - ber. Now I know He is my life, My friend when I am dy - ing. By Your ho - ly, pre - cious Word, In ev - 'ry place re - sound-ing. For Your peo - ple Is - ra - el In Him find joy and glo - ry.

POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

- Me give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, Our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C Amen.

BENEDICAMUS

A Let us bless the Lord.

[Psalm 103:1]

C Thanks be to God.

BENEDICTION Numbers 6:24-26

The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
 The Lord look upon you with favor and

→ give you peace.

Numbers 6:24-26

C Amen.

Sit

The Closing Hymn is on page 21.

+ Soli Deo Gloria +

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The Service at the Park continues here:

LORD'S PRAYER

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

Matthew 6:9-13

COLLECT FOR GRACE

- P The Lord be with you.
- C And also with you.
- P Let us pray.
 - O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, You have safely brought us to the beginning of this day. Defend us in the same with Your mighty power and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger, but that all our doings, being ordered by Your governance, may be righteous in Your sight; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C Amen.
- P Let us bless the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.

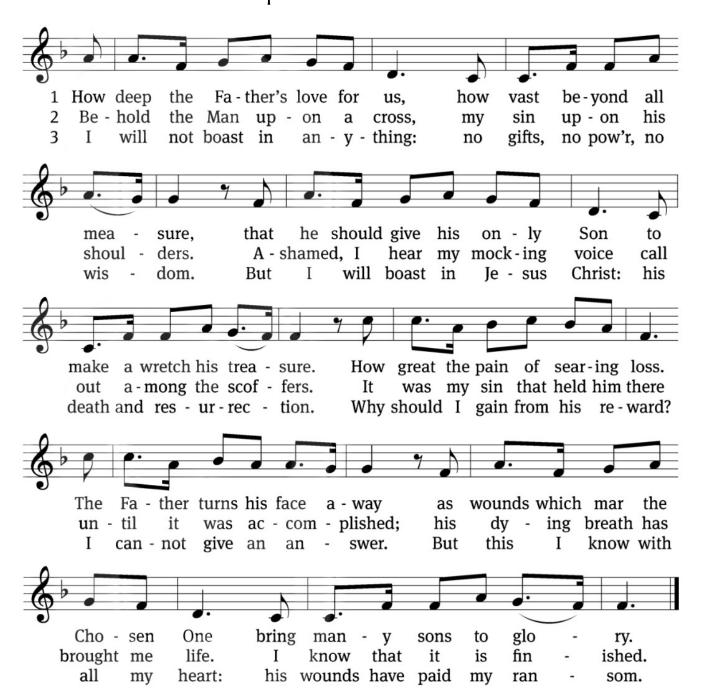
BENEDICTION

- P The grace of our Lord

 → Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- C Amen.

CLOSING HYMN ~ How Deep the Father's Love for Us

Stuart Townend



FOR Rev. Steven and Martha Mahlburg Strategic Mission Developer/Pastor Serving the Lord in Sri Lanka



Rev. Steven and Martha Mahlburg serve the Lord through The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS) as missionaries in Sri Lanka. Steven partners with the Ceylon Evangelical Lutheran Church (CELC) in Sri Lanka to share the hope we have in Jesus Christ. He provides administrative support, Christian education and mentoring for the pastors,

evangelists and laypeople of the CELC. He travels to the CELC congregations around Sri Lanka to encourage a bold witness to Jesus Christ. Steven also assists Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Colombo by conducting the English service, teaching Sunday School and providing English-language pastoral care. In addition, Steven supports the regional director as a manager for other missionaries in the Asia region.

Steven grew up in the suburbs of Detroit. He earned a bachelor's degree from Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant, Mich., in 1991, and his Master of Divinity from Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, in 1995. He served for 20 years as a parish pastor before beginning his service as an international missionary. Steven enjoys reading, the performing arts, camping and the outdoors.

Martha also grew up in the Detroit suburbs and earned a bachelor's degree from Central Michigan University. Martha's hobbies include reading, cross-stitching and watching movies. Steven and Martha enjoy spending time with their five children — Autumn, Liberty, Skye, Rose and Duncan.

Pray for the Mahlburg family as they serve in Sri Lanka. Ask God to give them strength and wisdom to find the opportunities among the challenges of serving in Sri Lanka. Pray for the spread of the Gospel throughout all of Sri Lanka. Pray the Lord will raise up young men to become pastors in the CELC.

BIRTHDAYS: Steven – Jan. 27, Martha – Dec. 11, Autumn – Sept. 13, Liberty – July 15, Skye – May 29, Rose – March 19, Duncan – July 24

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