



RISEN SAVIOR
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TRADITIONAL WORSHIP
SUNDAY, JULY 20th, 2025

WORSHIP TIMES
Traditional 8:00 am & 11:00 am
South Building

Contemporary 9:30 am
North Building

Communion is celebrated on the 1st, 3rd and 5th
Sunday of each month, and every Sunday at 11:00 am

WELCOME TO RISEN SAVIOR

We're glad you're here! Our mission is to engage all generations to be passionate followers of our Risen Savior, Jesus. We've designed our worship service to highlight what God has done for us through His son, Jesus, and allow us an opportunity to respond with praise!

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

Lord Enthroned in Heavenly Splendor arr. L. Shackley

On Eagle's Wings arr. M. Hayes

O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing arr. M. Hayes

Ruth Meyer – Piano

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

RINGING OF THE BELLS

INVOCATION

📖 In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

🗣️ Amen.

OPENING HYMN

"From All That Dwells Below the Skies"

Lutheran Service Book p. 816 vs. 1-3

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

📖 If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

C But if we confess our sins, God, Who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

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

L Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

C Most Merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

L Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of the Word I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE

"Sing Praise to God, the Highest Good"

Lutheran Service Book p. 819 vs. 1, 3, 5

THE GREETING

L The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

THE PRAYER OF THE DAY

📖 Almighty God, Whose blessed Son was led by the Spirit to be tempted by Satan; come quickly to help us who are assaulted by many temptations; and, as You know the weaknesses of each of us, let each one find You mighty to save; through Jesus Christ Your Son our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever

🙏 Amen.

CHOIR ANTHEM “Look at The World” J. Rutter (8:00)

Richard Gibson, Choir Director; Bill Bade, Piano

*Look at the world, ev’rything all around us;
Look at the world, and marvel ev’ry day.
Look at the world; so many joys and wonders,
So many miracles along our way.
Praise to Thee, O Lord, for all creation,
Give us thankful hearts, that we may see:
All the gifts we share, and ev’ry blessing,
All things come of Thee.
Look at the earth bringing forth fruit and flower;
Look at the sky, the sunshine and the rain;
Look at the hills, look at the trees and mountains,
Valley and flowing river, field and plain:
Think of the spring, think of the warmth of summer
Bringing the harvest before the winter’s cold.
Ev’rything grows, ev’rything has a season,
Till it is gathered to the Father’s fold:
Ev’ry good gift, all that we need and cherish
Comes from the Lord in token of His love;
We are His hands, stewards of all His bounty;
His is the earth, and His the heav’n above:*

SPECIAL MUSIC “Look at The World” J. Rutter (11:00)

Richard Gibson, Vocalist; Bill Bade, Piano

FIRST READING

I Corinthians 10:1-5, 11-13

VERSE

Lutheran Service Book, p. 156

*Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia, alleluia.*

GOSPEL READING

Luke 12:8-12

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HYMN OF THE DAY

“Jesus! And It Shall Ever Be”

MESSAGE: Lies We Tell Ourselves:

God Will Never Give You More Than You Can Handle

Pastor Ron Burcham

OFFERTORY

“Create in Me”

OFFERTORY PRAYER

☞ Almighty God, Heavenly Father, we bring these offerings that Your Church might grow and thrive, embracing all people who are struggling in difficult circumstances and decisions. Grant them peace and comfort in Your unfailing love through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

☞ **Amen.**

SPECIAL MUSIC

“How Firm a Foundation” *arr. Hayes and Gaspard*
Ruthann Meyer – Piano; Bill Bade - Organ

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

- ☞ Lord, in Your mercy,
- ☞ **hear our prayer.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE PREFACE

(Please Stand)

- ☞ The Lord be with you.
- ☞ **And also with you.**
- ☞ Lift up your hearts.
- ☞ **We lift them to the Lord.**
- ☞ Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- ☞ **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**
- ☞ It is truly good, right and salutary...

SANCTUS

Lutheran Service Book p. 161

*Holy, holy, holy Lord God of pow'r and might:
Heaven and earth are full of Your glory.
Hosanna. Hosanna. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.*

COMMUNION STATEMENT

The Lord's Supper, or Communion, is a Biblical event, given by Jesus for the strengthening of our faith and the forgiveness of our sins (*Matthew 26*). We invite all baptized Christians, who believe in Jesus Christ as their savior, desire forgiveness of their sins, and believe that the body and blood are truly present in, with, and under the bread and wine to receive the Lord's Supper with us. If you are unsure of what you believe, or have questions, please speak to one of our Pastors.

Children who have not gone through instruction or confirmation may come forward to receive a blessing. Please cross your arms so the server knows that you are not communing.

Grape juice is available in the center cups and is clear in color.
Gluten free wafers are available; please ask your server.

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

SHARING OF THE PEACE

L The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you.

AGNUS DEI

Lutheran Service Book, p.163

*Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world;
have mercy on us.*

*Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world;
have mercy on us.*

*Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world;
grant us peace.*

WORSHIP DURING COMMUNION

“Jesus Christ, Our Blessed Savior”

Lutheran Service Book p. 627 vs. 1-10

“O Jesus, Blessed Lord, to Thee”

Lutheran Service Book p. 632 vs. 1-2

POST COMMUNION BLESSING

BENEDICTION

L 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.

C Amen.

SENDING HYMN

“Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing”

Lutheran Service Book p. 924 vs. 1-3

**Lies We Tell Ourselves:
God Will Never Give You More Than You Can Handle
July 20th, 2025
I Corinthians 10:1-5, 11-13 Luke 12:8-12**

...sermon notes