

# Wittenberg Lutheran Church

711 W Elm St., Norwood Young America, Minnesota 55368

Worship: 9:30 AM

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**Cantate, Fourth Sunday after Easter**

**April 24, 2016**

## Order of Service

*Divine Service, Rite Two, Evangelical Lutheran Hymnary, p. 60*

**Opening Hymn, 6** — *Alleluia! Let Praises Ring*

### Introit

*Antiphon, Psalm 98:1–2*

O sing to the Lord a new song, Alleluia: For the Lord has done marvelous things, Alleluia: In the sight of the nations He has revealed His righteousness, Alleluia, Alleluia.

*Psalm 98:1, 3–4*

– His right | hand ánd His hóly arm \*

– have | gained Hím the víctory.

– He has | remébered His mércy \*

and His faithfulness to | the hóuse of Ísrael.

– All | the énds of the éarth \*

have seen the | salvátion óf our God.

Shout joyful- | ly tó the Lord, áll the earth,\*

break forth in song, | rejóice, and sing práises.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to | the Hóly Spírit.

As it was in the beginning, is now, | and éver sháll be,

world with- | óut end. Ámen.

*Repeat Antiphon*

**The Kyrie** — *I, p. 63*

**The Gloria**

**The Collect**

Lord God, heavenly Father, who through Your Son promised us Your Holy Spirit, that He should convince the world of sin, of righteousness, and of judgment: We beseech You, enlighten our hearts, that we may confess our sins, through faith in Christ obtain everlasting righteousness, and in all our trials and temptations retain this consolation, that Christ is Lord over the devil and death, and all things, and that He will graciously deliver us out of all our afflictions, and make us forever partakers of eternal salvation, through the same,

Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one true God, now and forever. Amen.

**Old Testament Lesson**

Isaiah 12:1–6

*Gods anger is turned away*

**Gradual** — *Psalm 118:6*

Alleluia.\*

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The right hand of the Lord | is exálted; \*

the right hand of the Lord does valiantly. | Al-le---lúia.

**Epistle Lesson**

James 1:16–21

*Brought forth by the word of truth*

**Verse** — *Romans 6:9*

Christ, having been raised | fróm the dead, díes no more. \*

Death no longer has dominion over Him. | Allelúia.

**Alleluia**

**Gospel Lesson**

John 16:5–15

*The Spirit of Truth*

**The Nicene Creed**

**Chief Hymn, 378** — *Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice*

**Sermon**

**The Offertory**

**The Prayer of the Church, page 48**

## The Service of Holy Communion

**Exhortation to the Communicants** (page 77)

**The Preface** (page 72)

**The Sanctus**

**Lord's Prayer**

**Words of Institution**

**The Agnus Dei**

**The Distribution**

**Nunc Dimittis**

**Collect**

**Hymn of Thanks, 416** — *Blest Is the Man, Forever Blest*

**Benediction**

**Closing Hymn, 582** — *God of Mercy, God of Grace*

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WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS in the name of Jesus Christ! Wittenberg Lutheran Church confesses and practices the doctrine of Holy Scripture, as we have received it restored unto us by Luther, and confirmed in the public confessions of our Church, the Book of Concord, 1580. If you have any questions about the Lutheran faith, or about our congregation, please direct them to Pastor Diers.

*Giving thanks to God always, Who has chosen us for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and belief in the truth.*

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