

KING OF GLORY LUTHERAN CHURCH

April 12, 2026

Second Sunday of Easter



PRELUDE

Chiming of the Hours - Bell Choir

Welcome/Bonjour Bienvenue

Welcome Info

-Remind online congregation members to gather items for worship

- candle, -celebratory (communion) food (cracker, bread, juice, water, whatever you have) - bulletin from our website: koglutheran.org

-Let us know you worshipped with us! Leave a comment on our social media, or email our church office at kglory@koglutheran.org

Please find the Red folder in your pews, write your name and pass it down the row. If you are a visitor please indicate that on the form and for those who would like more information please let us know on the form.

Land Acknowledgement (ACLU of Northern California)

Our congregation honors those people who cared for this land way before this church was built. We honor those tribes who call this land their ancestral homelands: Shoshone-Bannock, Cayuse, Umatilla, Walla Walla and the Northern Paiute tribes. We recognize and honor all the indigenous peoples who have and continue to call this land their home.

GATHERING

Confession & Forgiveness:

We are humans, sinful in nature, but beloved children of God. We pause for reflection so that we can confront all the ways in which we fail to love God and our neighbor. Together we confess in the presence of God and one another:

Jesus, you instructed us to focus on “loving God and loving our neighbors”. We start our days with great intentions and then we stumble and slip into judging others, resenting those who don’t agree with us and we covet what others have. We count on the help of God, the Holy Spirit and Jesus to help us to focus our thoughts and actions on loving our God and loving our neighbors. Keep us walking on the path with you. AMEN

The gift of forgiveness is given to us all by our loving God.

Thanks be to God, Amen.

Gathering Hymn **ELW 367** **Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds**

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1 Now all the vault of heav'n re - sounds
 2 E - ter - nal is the gift he brings,
 3 Oh, fill us, Lord, with daunt - less love;
 4 A - dor - ing prais - es now we bring



in praise of love that still a - bounds: "Christ has
 there - fore our heart with rap - ture sings: "Christ has
 set heart and will on things a - bove that we
 and with the heav'n - ly bless - ed sing: "Christ has



tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!" Sing, choirs of
 tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!" Now still he
 con - quer through your tri - umph; grant grace suf -
 tri - umphed! Al - le - lu - ia!" Be to the

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an - gels, loud and clear! Re - peat their song of glo - ry
 comes to give us life and by his pres - ence stills all
 fi - cient for life's day that by our lives we tru - ly
 Fa - ther, and our Lord, to Spir - it blest, most ho - ly



here: "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"
 strife. "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"
 say: "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"
 God, all the glo - ry, nev - er end - ing!



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Pastoral Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

Hymn of Praise

Now the Feast



Refrain



Now the feast and cel - e - bra - tion,



all of cre - a - tion sings for joy

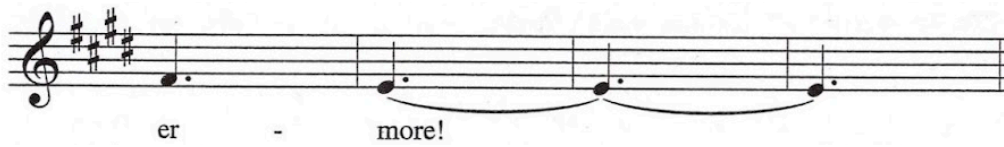


to the God of life and love and

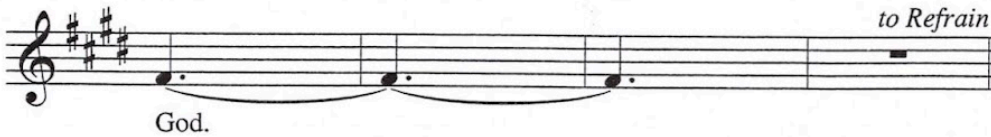
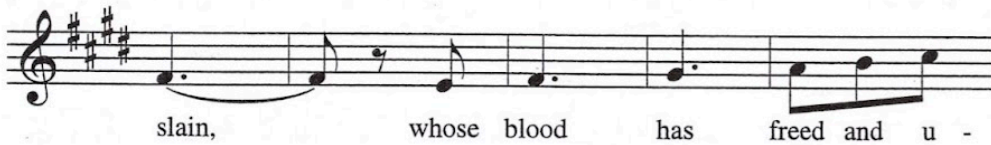


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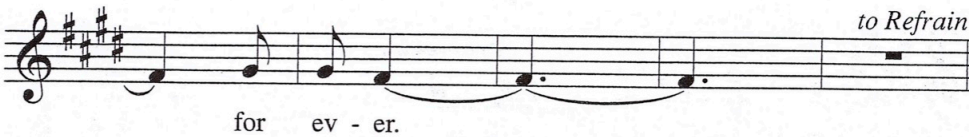
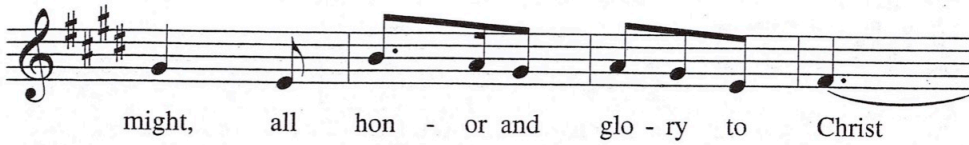
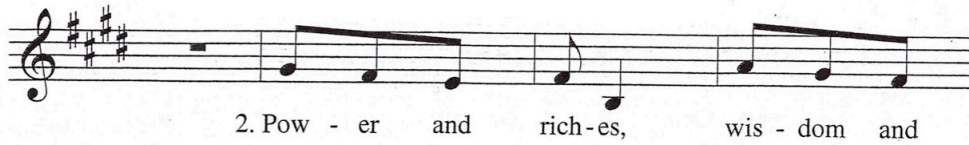
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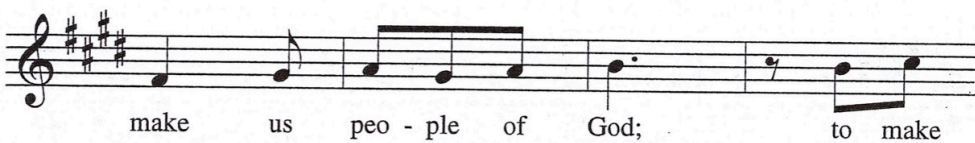
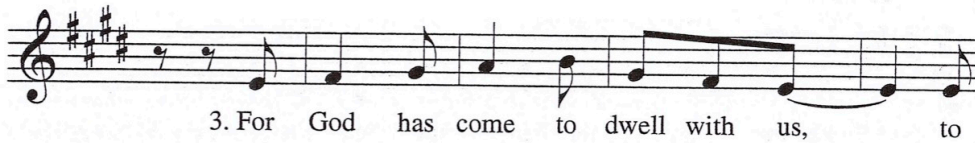
Verse 1



Verse 2



Verse 3



Prayer of the Day

L: The Lord Be with You

C: And also with You

L: Together Let us Pray:

Almighty and eternal God, you are the strength of those who believe and the hope of those who doubt. May we, who have not seen, have faith in you and receive the fullness of Christ's blessing, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.**WORD****Acts 2:14a, 22-32 (NSRSVUE)**

¹⁴ But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them,

²² "Fellow Israelites, listen to what I have to say: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with deeds of power, wonders, and signs that God did through him among you, as you yourselves know— ²³ this man, handed over to you according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of those outside the law. ²⁴ But God raised him up, having released him from the agony of death, because it was impossible for him to be held in its power. ²⁵ For David says concerning him,

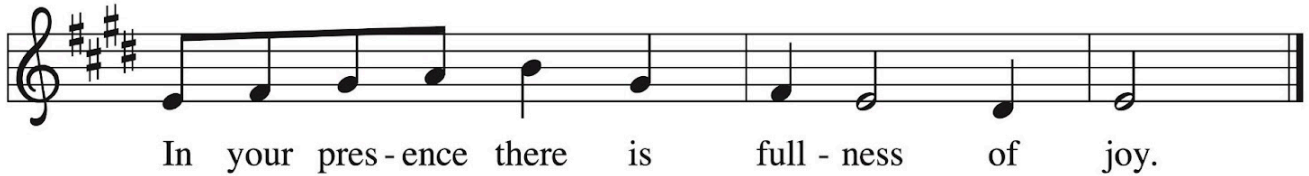
'I saw the Lord always before me, for he is at my right hand so that I will not be shaken; ²⁶ therefore my heart was glad, and my tongue rejoiced; moreover, my flesh will live in hope. ²⁷ For you will not abandon my soul to Hades or let your Holy One experience corruption. ²⁸ You have made known to me the ways of life; you will make me full of gladness with your presence.' ²⁹ "Fellow Israelites, I may say to you confidently of our ancestor David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. ³⁰ Since he was a prophet, he knew that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would put one of his descendants on his throne. ³¹ Foreseeing this, David spoke of the resurrection of the Messiah, saying, 'He was not abandoned to Hades, nor did his flesh experience corruption.'
³² "This Jesus God raised up, and of that all of us are witnesses.

L: Word of God, Word of Life

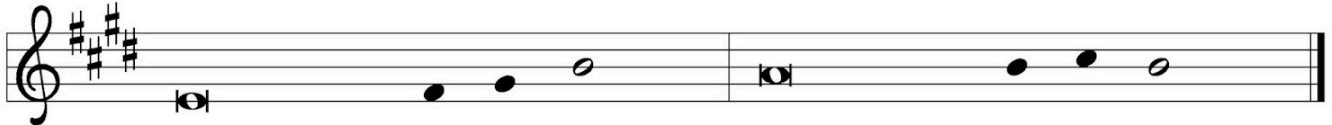
C: Thanks be to God

Psalm 16

Refrain:



Psalm tone:



Protect me, o God, for I take refuge in you;

I have said to the Lord, "You are my Lord, my good above all other".

All my delight is in the godly that are in the land,

Upon those who are noble among the people.

But those who run after other gods

Shall have their troubles multiplied.

I will not pour out drink offerings to such gods;

Never take their names up on my lips. R.

O LORD, you are my portion and my cup,

It is you who uphold my lot.

My boundaries enclose a pleasant land,

Indeed, I have a rich inheritance.

I will bless the LORD who gives me counsel;

My heart teaches me night after night.

I have set the LORD always before me;

Because God is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken. R

My heart, therefore is glad, and my spirit rejoices,

My body also shall rest in hope.

For you will not abandon me to the grave,

Nor let your holy one see the pit'

You will show me the path of life

In your presence there is fullness of joy, and in your right hand are

pleasures forevermore." R

1 Peter 1:3-9 (NSRSVUE)

³ Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead ⁴ and into an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, ⁵ who are being protected by the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. ⁶ In this you rejoice, even if now for a little while you have had to suffer various trials, ⁷ so that the genuineness of your faith—being more precious than gold that, though perishable, is tested by fire—may be found to result in praise and glory and honor when Jesus Christ is revealed. ⁸ Although you have not seen him, you love him, and even though you do not see him now, you believe in him and rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy, ⁹ for you are receiving the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

L: Word of God, Word of Life

C: Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, Now the Feast



Al-le-lu - ia, al-le-lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we
go? You have the words of e - ter - nal
life. Al - le - lu - ia!

Optional Repeat

Gospel: John 20:19-31 **(NRSVUE)**

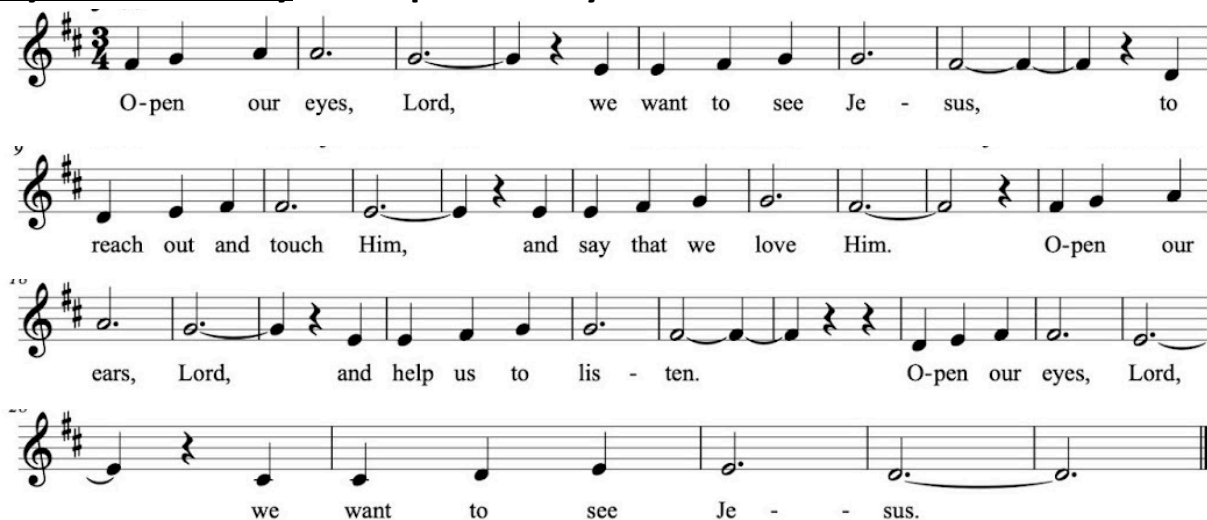
¹⁹ When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors were locked where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." ²⁰ After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. ²¹ Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." ²² When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³ If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained." ²⁴ But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵ So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe." ²⁶ A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." ²⁷ Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe." ²⁸ Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" ²⁹ Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe." ³⁰ Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples that are not written in this book. ³¹ But these are written so that you may continue to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

L: This is the Holy Gospel

C: Alleluia! Praise be to God! Alleluia!

Kids Message**Sermon**

Hymn of the Day Open Our Eyes W&P 113



O-pen our eyes, Lord, we want to see Je - sus, to
 reach out and touch Him, and say that we love Him. O-pen our
 ears, Lord, and help us to lis - ten. O-pen our eyes, Lord,
 we want to see Je - - sus.

Installation of Lay Council Members

Pastor: You have been entrusted with rights and responsibilities that affect all of us and the ministry we hold dear. As leaders of this congregation, we ask for your commitment to the values and mission we share in Christ:

Do you promise to be faithful to the gospel of Jesus in the governance of this church?

We will and we ask God to help us.

Will you notice and nurture the gifts, questions, and ideas of the people you represent in this role?

We will, and we ask God to help us.

Will you communicate with proactive and faithful transparency for the sake of the whole congregation?

We will, and we ask God to help us.

Will you acknowledge the unknown and unknowable about being the church, practicing honesty, humility, and courage in times of change?

We will, and we ask God to help us.

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Do you promise to discern and do what is right, even when it disrupts our status quo, and especially when it asks something difficult of us for the sake of our neighbor?

We will, and we ask God to help us.

People of God, do you promise to support our council and committee leaders with your blessing and prayers?

Congregation: **We will, and we ask God to help us.**

Let us pray,

Equipping God, give us new eyes to see your vision and ears to hear your plan for this community of faith. When we lead and serve with confidence in your bold grace, our labor is not in vain. Bless each of these leaders with courage and kindness, patience and tenacity, good humor and great hope, so that together we are able to do immeasurably more than we could have asked for or imagined on our own. **AMEN**

Blessing: Lay hands on these leaders

Pastor: May God fill your hands and heart with work that is real.

We bless your vocations: your home, your work, your relationships, and all the ways you serve.

May God give you the strength and passion to lead well through thick and thin.

We bless your successes and failures: all the ways you try, create, and explore in the name of Christ.

May God root you in wisdom and faith and Sabbath rest.

We bless your leadership and your self-care:

May this work refresh and inspire you. **AMEN**

("Speak it Plan: words for worship and life together" By Meta Herrick Carlson pg. 157-159)

Affirmation of Faith*Brandon A Cox*

**We believe in one God, the Almighty,
 Creator of heaven and earth,
 Source of all life and all love.**

**We believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son,
 Fully God, fully human, Savior of the world,
 The risen King of kings. We believe in the Holy Spirit,
 The very breath and power of God,
 Sustainer of our life in Christ.**

**We believe in the church, Christ's body,
 God's family for the spiritually homeless,
 Called to be Love and Light,
 To show mercy and pursue justice,
 To proclaim the Good News of Christ,
 To work for the common good of humanity. **Amen.****

Prayers of Intercession

Christ is risen and Christ will come again. Living in this time between His rising and His returning, let us pray for the church, the world, and all those in need.

A brief silence.

Almighty God, you give life to the dead and call into existence things that do not exist. Breathe your Spirit upon us, that our faith may be renewed day by day.

Merciful God,
hear us, we pray.

Maker of heaven and earth, your mercies are new every morning. Give us reverence and awe for all living things. As green blades rise through the warm earth this season, we rejoice in your promise that we, too, will one day rise.

Merciful God,
hear us, we pray.

Risen One, your love transcends all barricades as you bid your disciples peace. In you, all creation is reconciled to God. Reconcile us also to one another. Turn our hearts and all hearts toward love of neighbor. Where there is conflict between people, and between nations, grant peace with justice.

Merciful God,
hear us, we pray.

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God of truth, our faith is trust, not certainty. As Thomas doubted, so we sometimes doubt. We wonder if this news of resurrection is too good to be true. We wonder if, after all, it is only an idle tale – we still see evil pretending it has won. Draw us near to you in our doubt, and bless us with trust. Make us blessed so that, not seeing, we may still believe. Show Your wounded self to all who in this world are wounded. Reveal Yourself to them and heal them.

Merciful God,

hear us, we pray.

Giver of joy, let this assembly be a place of genuine love and mutual affection. Let the love between us overflow into the wider community so that others will know that You are love. We pray for visitors and guests in worship today, for members who have drifted away from worship, for people who like us sometimes doubt, and for people who are served by and lead King of Glory's many ministries within and outside our walls, that they may hear the good news and find fullness of joy in our midst.

Merciful God,

hear us, we pray.

We lift up to you now the deep and silent desires of our hearts:

(silence)

Merciful God,

hear us, we pray

Eternal One, we give thanks for Dietrich Bonhoeffer and for all the saints who were faithful unto death and have joined the church triumphant. Inspire us by their witness and bring us with them into your glorious presence.

Merciful God,

hear us, we pray.

God of resurrection power, use us and these prayers to proclaim the good news of new life to all the world, through Jesus Christ, our risen Savior.

Amen.

Sharing of the Peace

The peace of the Lord be with you all

And Also with you.

MEAL**Offering -****Offertory Song **As the Grains of Wheat V1,** **Now the Feast****

Refrain

As the grains of wheat once scat-tered on the hill were
gath-ered in-to one to be-come our bread; so may all your peo-ple from
all the ends of earth be gath-ered in - to one in you.

1 As this cup of bless-ing is shared with-in our midst,
2 Let this be a fore-taste of all that is to come when

Refrain
may we share the pres-ence of your love.
all cre - a - tion shares this feast with you.

Offering Prayer

Together, Let us pray:

Merciful God,

accept these gifts, gathered to give you glory.

You have set a table before us, a glimpse of that great day

when we will hunger and thirst no more.

Nourish us with the body and blood of Jesus,

that goodness and mercy may follow us

and bless the world you love.

In the name of Jesus,

Amen.

Great Thanksgiving

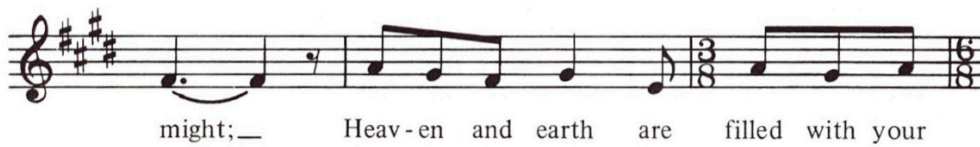
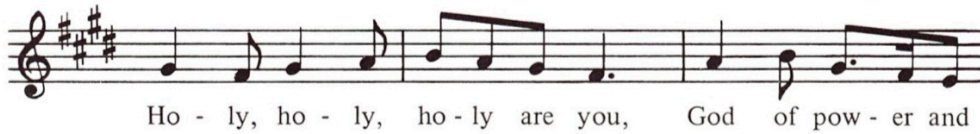
The Lord be with you

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 our thanks and praise**Holy, Holy, Holy****Now The Feast**

Eucharistic Prayer

(Catholic Diocese of Manchester, New Hampshire)

God, because you love us, you gave us this great and beautiful world. Because you have great love for us, you sent us your son, Jesus. Because Jesus came to live among us we can see that he was sent to be the friend of children and adults, and of the poor and wealthy alike. Jesus came to show us how we can love you, O God, by loving each other.

In the night that Jesus was turned in to the authorities, Jesus was at supper with his disciples. Jesus took the bread, blessed it and broke it and said, "Take and eat, this is my body given for you. Eat this bread and remember me." When supper was ended, Jesus took the cup that was filled with wine, he gave thanks, gave it to his friends, and said: "Drink of this and remember me."

Each time that we eat of this meal, we remember the love, compassion, forgiveness and healing that you give us Jesus. **AMEN**

LORD'S PRAYER

(Matthew 6:9-13 MSG)

**Our Father in heaven,
Reveal who you are.
Set the world right;
Do what's best— as above, so below.
Keep us alive with three square meals.
Keep us forgiven with you
and forgiving others.
Keep us safe from ourselves
and the Devil.
You're in charge!
You can do anything you want!
You're ablaze in beauty!
Yes. Yes. Yes. **AMEN****

AMEN

Notre Pere

**Notre Père, qui es aux cieux,
Que ton nom soit sanctifié,
Que ton règne vienne,
Que ta volonté soit faite sur la terre
comme au ciel.
Donne-nous aujourd'hui notre pain de
ce jour.
Pardonne-nous nos offenses
Comme nous pardonnons aussi à ceux
qui nous ont offensés.
Et ne nous laisses pas entrer en
tentation,
mais délivre-nous du mal.
Car c'est à toi qu'appartiennent le règne,
la puissance et la gloire, aux siècles des
siècles.
Amen**

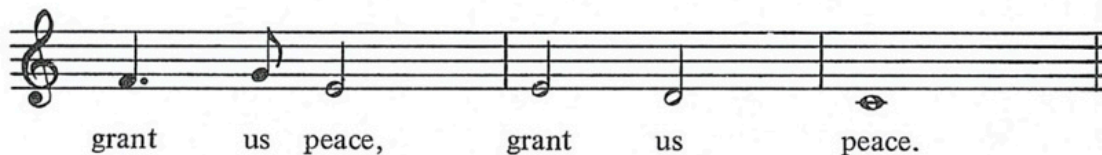
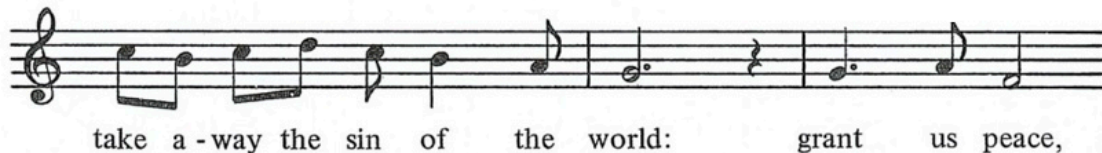
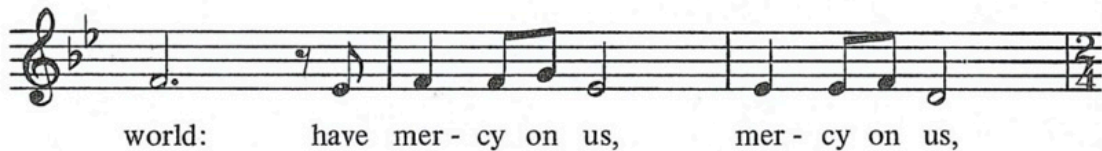
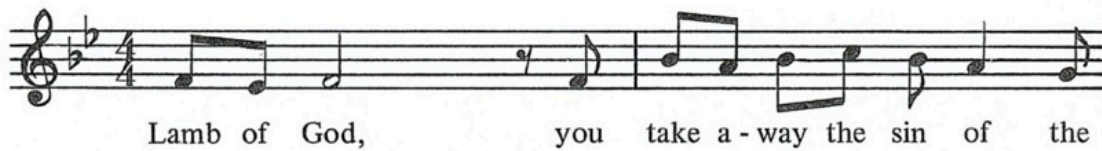
Invitation to the Table

Pastor: At this table, God meets us in our hunger—not just for bread and wine, but for mercy, strength, and belonging. This is food for the journey, a gift of grace for people learning to trust God one step at a time. Come, for all is ready, and there is enough for everyone.

There are two communion stations for bread and wine. If gluten free, please ask for a GF wafer. Dip your bread into the wine (red) or grape juice (white), whatever makes you most comfortable. All are welcome to participate in Communion.

Lamb of God

Now the Feast



Additional invocations:

you break the chains of hatred and fear:
 you are the way of justice and peace:
 you are the way of mercy and love:

Post Communion Blessing

Prayer after Communion

Together, Let us pray.

Holy One,

through this meal you have made your home among us and are making all things new. Send us now to speak peace to anxious hearts, to love our enemies, and to bring your healing to the nations.

In the name of Jesus,

Amen.

Announcements

Benediction

God Almighty, who is the beginning and the end,

Jesus Christ, the firstborn of the dead,

and the Holy Spirit, our advocate and peace,

✠ bless you now and forever.

Amen.

Sending Hymn I Bless You[†]



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Dismissal

Go in Peace, Live by the Spirit.

Thanks be to God!

Allez en paix, vivez par l'Esprit.

Dieu soit loué.

Postlude

Worship Volunteers:

Greeters: Gabrielle Applequist, Augustine Taigam

Ushers: Heidi Gainan, Shirley Dodson

Lector: Marilyn Falk

Assisting Minister: Joel Tompkins

Children's Message: Katie Vaage

Prayers: Anne Palma

AV Pilots: Lisa Kenyon, Lisa Kraft

Band: Philip Miller, KJ Miller, Sam Alessi, Jorgen Vaage



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Announcements

Sunday, April 12th 2026

Home Communion Ministers Wanted! Find out more TODAY!!

We are looking to revitalize our homebound visitation and communion team! Contact Pastor Mark or the church office if you'd be interested in serving in this ministry. We are planning a short meeting after worship today, April 12, for all those who have questions about serving.

Call Process Update

Your Call Committee plans to have a first draft of our 2026 Ministry Site Profile ready for review by the Council this month! This is essentially our congregation's resume which, when finished, will go to our Northwest Intermountain Synod office for review and dissemination to ELCA pastors who our synod leaders believe are appropriate candidates to be considered as our next spiritual leader. As a reminder, your Call Committee is composed of Becky Newberry, Lisa Kenyon, Andi Lau, Dan Price, Ian Tompkins, Klaus Lau and Todd Kraft. We will continue to keep you updated as significant milestones in the process are achieved..

ELCA Youth Gathering is Coming up!

Are you looking for a FUN week to worship and grow in your faith with thousands of other youth from around the country in June 2027? To participate in the ELCA Youth Gathering, MYLE and the tAble next summer, you must be in eighth to 12th grade at time of registration (fall 2026). Fundraising opportunities for those that are interested in attending will be provided. We will share the basic information with youth and their parents on Sunday, April 19th after service at 11:30 in the library. Questions call or email Katie Vaage 208-573-5630

WELCA Spring Luncheon

Ladies Spring Luncheon Saturday, May 9th at 11:45 am - 3pm

Guest Speaker: Local Author, June D. Peterson (Christian Fiction) We encourage dressing up as your favorite character of a book Ticket Sales start April 12th - Cost \$15

Office Closed Wednesday, 4/15

Our church office will be closed on Wednesday April 15. You can leave a voicemail or send an email during the day, however our admin's access will be limited. Mary will return to the office on 4/16.

Sandwich Sunday Update from Val Bridges

We want to give the congregation plenty of notice on our decision regarding Sandwich Sunday Ministry. Our last Sandwich Sunday will be May 10th. Starting In June, another couple or two persons will need to take over managing that Ministry. We have been in the position for over 15 years and have really enjoyed how rewarding it is to participate in this important service to the Boise Rescue Mission. It definitely needs to continue. We are traveling a fair amount in the next year, and we have not had any success finding fill-in ministers. To find out more about the responsibilities of Sandwich Sunday, contact our church office or Val Bridges.

Monthly Contemporary Service

Kuna United Methodist Church has a contemporary worship service the last Sunday of the month. Worship begins at 4:00 PM! (260 W 4th St, Kuna, ID 83634) Many of our King of Glory band members participate alongside musicians from other communities. Upcoming dates: April 26 and May 31. We will take a break for June, July, and August and resume in September. Sing a new song with us!

Adult Education April 12 and 19: Intro to the Gospel of John

Join Mary Riedl as we explore the Gospel of John. Discover how it is different from the other Gospels, and discuss how its language has impacted Christianity and the world – for good and otherwise. After worship in the Bethlehem Room.

Plant Starts Wanted!

We are looking for plant starts to fill in some areas in our beds! Maybe you need to thin some plants from your garden? We will be accepting Oregon Grape and Lavendar starts during the month of April. You can place them on the island near the NORTH shed. If you have questions you can contact Doneta or the church office.

UPCOMING MONTHLY EVENTS



Sandwich Sunday, TODAY April 12th

We need leaders! Contact Val if you are interested in ensuring Sandwich Sundays continues after May 10. We always need deli meat, sliced cheese, and soft butter. Join us after worship to assemble sandwiches! Questions contact Val Bridges 208-440-1029.



OWL's- Tuesday, April 21st 11:30 AM

Casa Mexico, Five Mile & Fairview Road. We'd love for you to join us

Food on the 4th – April 26th!

Please find your reusable food bags, fill them, and bring them back to church! We have been able to give over 100 pounds of food per month thanks to you and our Life Ahead group!



Free Meal - Saturday, April 25th 28th

Menu: Ham & au gratin potatoes, Dessert & more!

To help serve and clean up please come at 11:30am.

All are invited to enjoy this meal served from 12:00pm-1:30pm



Camp Registration is Open!

It's time to think about registering for camp at Luther Heights! Check out their website www.lutherheights.org for information about program dates – or check our weekly email. Please note that they have a new (easier?) registration system this year! Not sure about sending kids to camp alone? Try out family camp! They fill up fast, so register early. Did you know that camp isn't just for kids?! There are retreats for people of all ages! Not looking for a faith based retreat? They have those, too! Come to camp to fly fish, join in the musical fun (all abilities welcome!), and MORE!

Prayer Request

Our faithful New American members would like, once again, for you to pray for losses they have suffered recently. Isabelle's 11 year old nephew died suddenly after a short illness. Isabelle is Samson's wife. Also, the father of Joël's sister-in-law passed away. Both deaths were in the Central African Republic. In such tragedies, their family and friends come together to celebrate life and mourn their deaths. They appreciate your prayers and your support.

MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS...

More details and additional announcements can be found online at our website,

<https://www.koglutheran.org/>

or by joining our email list.

Church Office In-Person Hours: Mon-Thurs 9AM – 3PM.

Available via email Fridays 9AM – 3PM

