

**Communion Practice:** We believe that Christ is truly present in Holy Communion and, as we try to be faithful to Christ in the serving of this Sacrament, we ask that everyone be examined and instructed by the Pastor before receiving Holy Communion. All confirmed members of this parish, who have been regularly examined by the Pastor, are welcome to partake of the Holy Eucharist today. We also welcome the members who are in good standing of any of the parishes served by the Bishop, Pastors, and Deacons of The Evangelical Lutheran Diocese of North America (ELDoNA), and who have spoken to the Pastor prior to the service. Members of other Lutheran parishes or other denominations are kindly asked to refrain from communing today. The Pastor would be glad to make an appointment with anyone to discuss our teachings and/or our parish.

#### **A Prayer upon Entering Church**

Almighty, Ever-Living God, grant that I may gladly hear Thy Word and that all my worship may be acceptable unto Thee; through Jesus Christ, my Lord. Amen.

#### **A Prayer before Communion**

Dear Savior, upon Thy gracious invitation I come to Thine Altar. Let me find favor in Thine eyes that I may approach Thy Table in true faith and receive the Sacrament to the salvation of my soul. Amen.

#### **A Prayer after Communion**

O Thou blessed Savior Jesus Christ, Who hast given Thyself to me in this holy Sacrament, keep me in Thy faith and favor; as Thou livest in me, let me also live in Thee. May Thy holy Body and Blood preserve me in the true faith unto everlasting life. Amen.

#### **A Prayer at the Close of the Service**

Grant, I beseech Thee, Almighty God, that the Word which I have heard this day may through Thy grace be so engrafted in my heart that I may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit; through Jesus Christ, my Lord. Amen.

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Jubilate  
April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2024

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*“A little while, and ye behold Me no more; and again a little while, and ye shall see Me.”*

*St. John 16:16*

## The Order of Divine Service

<b>The Prelude</b>	<i>“Kommt her zu mir”</i>	Henry V. Gerike
<b>The Ringing of the Bell</b>		
<b>The Hymn</b>	<i>“O Little Flock, Fear Not the Foe”</i>	TLH 263
<b>Silent Prayer</b>	<i>(Prayers are located on back cover)</i>	ASBH p. 7
<i>Stand</i>		
<b>The Invocation</b>		ASBH p. 7
<b>The Confession of Sins</b>		ASBH p. 8
<b>Versicles</b>	<i>(All may kneel)</i>	ASBH p. 8
<b>Confession and Absolution</b>		ASBH p. 8-9
<i>Stand (if kneeling)</i>		
<b>The Introit</b>	<i>(Congregation joins Pastor on Gloria Patri)</i>	ASBH p. 86
<b>The Kyrie</b>		ASBH p. 10
<b>The Gloria in Excelsis</b>		ASBH p. 10-13
<b>The Salutation</b>		ASBH p. 13
<b>The Collect for the Day</b>		ASBH p. 86
<b>Collect Amen</b>		ASBH p. 14
<i>Sit</i>		
<b>The Epistle</b>		1 Peter 2:11-20
<b>The Gradual</b>		ASBH p. 86
<i>Stand</i>		
<b>The Triple Hallelujah</b>	<i>(First Setting)</i>	ASBH p. 14
<b>The Gospel</b>		St. John 16:16-23a
<b>The Creed</b>	<i>(All may bow at the words “And was made man.”)</i>	ASBH p. 17
<i>Sit</i>		
<b>The Hymn</b>	<i>“Zion Mourns in Fear and Anguish”</i>	ASBH 32
<b>The Sermon</b>	<i>A Little While</i>	
<i>Stand</i>		
<b>The Offertory</b>		ASBH p. 18-19
	<i>(An Alms Basin is located next to the bulletins for any Offerings)</i>	
<b>The General Prayer</b>		ASBH p. 19-20
<b>The Lord’s Prayer</b>		ASBH p. 20
<i>Sit</i>		
<b>The Hymn</b>	<i>“If God Himself Be For Me”</i>	TLH 528
<b>The Lavabo</b>	<i>(During Hymn)</i>	ASBH p. 21
<i>Stand</i>		
<b>The Exhortation</b>		ASBH p. 21
<b>The Preface</b>		ASBH p. 22
<b>The Proper Preface</b>		ASBH p. 23-27
<b>The Sanctus and Benedictus</b>		ASBH p. 27-28
<b>The Lord’s Prayer</b>		ASBH p. 29
<b>The Verba Domini</b>	<i>(All may bow when the Pastor genuflects)</i>	ASBH p. 30
<b>The Pax Domini</b>	<i>(All may bow and cross themselves)</i>	ASBH p. 31

<b>The Agnus Dei</b>	<i>(All may kneel)</i>	ASBH p. 31-32
<i>Sit</i>		
<b>The Distribution</b>	<i>(Prayers are located on back cover)</i>	
<b>The Hymn</b>	<i>“Invited, Lord, by Boundless Grace”</i>	TLH 308
<i>Stand</i>		
<b>The Nunc Dimittis</b>		ASBH p. 33-35
<b>The Thanksgiving and Collect</b>		ASBH p. 35-36
<b>The Hymn</b>	<i>“Rejoice, My Heart, Be Glad and Sing”</i>	TLH 535
<b>The Salutation</b>		ASBH p. 36
<b>The Benedicamus</b>		ASBH p. 37
<b>The Benediction</b>		ASBH p. 37
<b>The Triple Amen</b>	<i>(First Setting)</i>	ASBH p. 37
<i>Sit</i>		
<b>The Postlude</b>	<i>“Ich singe dir”</i>	Sigvart A. Hofland

## Recitation of the Catechism

How One Should Be Taught to Pray (pages 27-29) & Questions 29-35 (Part I. The Ten Commandments. The First Table. The Third Commandment, pages 47-49).

## Announcements

*ASBH = Augustana Service Book and Hymnal: 2022 Supplement.*

*TLH = The Lutheran Hymnal*

## In Our Prayers:

- For all those who are sick or infirmed, especially, *Peggy Holder, Betty Ramsey, Brandon Dennie, Katie, Dan, Angelo, Kelly, Judy Horn, Mike Miller, Barbara Miller, Rev. Mark Mueller, Rev. Eric Stefanski, Paul Meadows, Vince Bost, Becky Phillips, Bill Kope, Martin Kope, Sally Kope, Bruce Carter, Rachel Epperson, Tammy Wilson, and Vito Gerardi.*
- For *those who knew Carol Laflay* who has been called to her eternal home.
- For our bishop, the *Rt. Rev. James D. Heiser.*
- For the parishes served by our diocese, and those in our international fellowship, especially, *St. Patrick Ev. Lutheran Church, Chipley, FL;* and her pastor, the *Rev. Brandon Warr.*
- For the moral and spiritual support of those involved with our mission in Knoxville, TN, *Nikolas and Ana Likourentzos; Deacon and Sherrill Smithey; Kenny Earickson;* and *Bobby, Barbara, and Bob Eisold.*
- For those struggling with addiction, especially *Thomas Allred, Brennan David, and John Monahan.*
- For all those who serve in the military, especially *Nicholas Silva.*
- For those celebrating a birthday this week.
- For those celebrating an anniversary this week, especially *Nikolas and Ana Likourentzos.*
- For those traveling this week, especially *Pastor Dulas.*

## Announcements

### Daily Readings for Week after Jubilate Sunday

	Morning	Evening
<b>Today:</b>	1 John 2; St. John 14:1-11	1 John 3; Hebrews 4:14-16
<b>Monday:</b>	1 John 4; St. John 6:60-71	1 John 5; Ezekiel 36:1-15
<b>Tuesday:</b>	2 John; St. John 7:1-13	3 John; Ezekiel 36:16-32
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Jude; St. John 7:14-24	Revelation 1; Ezekiel 36:33-38
<b>Thursday:</b>	Revelation 2; John 7:25-36	Revelation 3; Haggai 2:2-9
<b>Friday:</b>	Revelation 4; John 7:37-53	Revelation 5; Zechariah 2:1-13
<b>Saturday:</b>	Revelation 6; John 8:1-11	Revelation 7; Zechariah 11:1-17

### Praying the Psalter Daily in Matins and Vespers:

	Morning	Evening
<b>Today:</b>	Psalms 34, 105	Psalms 146, 106
<b>Monday:</b>	Psalms 34, 107	Psalms 146, 108-111
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Psalms 34, 112-115	Psalms 146, 116-118
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Psalms 34, 119:1-40	Psalms 146, 119:41-88
<b>Thursday:</b>	Psalms 34, 119:89-128	Psalms 146, 119-129-176
<b>Friday:</b>	Psalms 34, 120-125	Psalms 146, 126-132
<b>Saturday:</b>	Psalms 34, 133-135	Psalms 126, 136-139

### Book of Concord Readings for the Week:

<b>Monday:</b>	The Apology to the Augsburg Confession, XI.1-10
<b>Tuesday:</b>	The Apology to the Augsburg Confession, XII.1-27
<b>Wednesday:</b>	The Apology to the Augsburg Confession, XII.28-43
<b>Thursday:</b>	The Apology to the Augsburg Confession, XII.44-58
<b>Friday:</b>	The Apology to the Augsburg Confession, XII.59-67

### Reciting the Catechism Daily:

<b>Sunday:</b>	The Ten Commandments
<b>Monday:</b>	The Apostles' Creed, The Lord's Prayer
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Holy Baptism, The Office of the Keys and Confession
<b>Wednesday:</b>	The Sacrament of the Altar

**Thursday:** How One Should Be Taught to Pray

**Friday:** The Table of Duties

**Saturday:** Christian Questions with Their Answers

**Hymns for the Week:**

**Morning:** ASBH 32—"Zion Mourns in Fear and Anguish"

**Evening:** TLH 528—"If God Himself Be For Me"

**Calendar for the Week after Jubilate Sunday**

**Today: Jubilate—White**

10:00 a.m. Divine Service and Bible Class in Simpsonville,  
SC and Knoxville, TN (Deacon Smithey)

3:00 p.m. Divine Service in Augusta, GA

**Monday:** 5 p.m. Divine Service in Pawleys Island, SC

***Earth Day***

Nikolas and Ana Likourentzos' Anniversary

**Tuesday:** 5 p.m. Divine Service in Ormond Beach, FL

**Wednesday:** 7 p.m. Divine Service in Fort Myers, FL

**Thursday: The Festival of St. Mark, Evangelist**

**Friday:** No Events Scheduled

**Saturday:** No Events Scheduled

**Next Sunday: Cantate—White**

10:00 a.m. Divine Service and Bible Class in Simpsonville,  
SC

**An Excerpt from Luther's Writings**

"The first 'a little while' in that He says, 'A little while, and ye shall behold Me no more,' they could soon afterwards understand, when they saw that He was taken prisoner and put to death, but the second 'a little while' in that He says: 'And again a little while, and ye shall see Me,' that they could not understand, and we also cannot understand it. Yea and when He says: 'Because I go to the Father,' that they understand still less. Thus it also goes with us: although we know and hear that trials, misfortune and sorrow endure but a little while, yet we see that it constantly appears different than we believe. Then we despair and waver, and cannot be reconciled to it. We hear and we know very well that it shall not last very long, but how that result shall be accomplished we can never understand, as the disciples here cannot understand it." *From Martin Luther's Sermon in the Church Postil for Jubilate Sunday.*

**The Lutheran Herald**

The April issue of "The Lutheran Herald," the devotional booklet of the ELDoNA, is now available. It can be found on Facebook at: <http://tinyurl.com/LutheranHerald> and on the diocesan website: [eldona.org](http://eldona.org). There are also printed copies in the back of the nave for your use and distribution.

**To Read in Preparation for this week's Festivals:**

**Today—Jubilate**

**Epistle:**

1 Peter 2:11-20

**Gospel:**

St. John 16:16-23b

**April 25<sup>th</sup>—The Festival of St. Mark, Evangelist**

**Epistle:**

Ephesians 4:7-13

**Gospel:**

St. John 15:1-11

**April 28<sup>th</sup>—Cantate**

**Epistle:**

James 1:16-21

**Gospel:**

St. John 16:5-15