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.

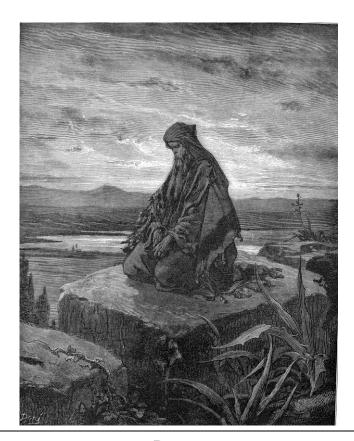
## A Prayer after Communion

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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Rogate May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022

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"Most assuredly, I say to you, whatever you ask the Father in My name He will give you." St. John 16:23

### The Order of Divine Service

| The Prelude The Ringing of the Stand  | "Dir, Dir, Jehovah"<br>Bell          | Hans Arnold Metzger   |  |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
| The Hymn '  | 'Jehovah, Let Me Now Adore The       | re" TLH 21            |  |  |
| (The Pastor silently prays Psalm 24 while the congregation joins in silent self-examination and reflection on God's Commandments. Prayers are located on back cover.) |                                      |                       |  |  |
| The Invocat   | ion and Address                      | TLH p. 15             |  |  |
| Versicles   | (All may kneel)                      | TLH p. 15             |  |  |
|   | and Absolution                       | TLH p. 16             |  |  |
| Stand (if kneeling)   |                                      | 1211 p. 10            |  |  |
| The Introit   | (Tone 5)                             | INSERT                |  |  |
| The Gloria Patri  | (10.000)                             | TLH p. 16             |  |  |
| The Kyrie   |                                      | TLH p. 17             |  |  |
| The Gloria in Excel   | sis                                  | TLH p. 17-19          |  |  |
| The Salutation  | 515                                  | TLH p. 19             |  |  |
| The Collect for the   | Dav                                  | INSERT                |  |  |
| The Collect for the Feast of the Resurrection of our Lord   |                                      |                       |  |  |
| Sit   |                                      | 2014                  |  |  |
| The Epistle   |                                      | James 1:22-27         |  |  |
| The Gradual   |                                      | INSERT                |  |  |
| The Triple Halleluja  | ah (First Setting)                   | TLH p. 20             |  |  |
| Stand   | (= 1.21.2111.3)                      | F·                    |  |  |
| The Holy Gospel   |                                      | St. John 16:23b-30    |  |  |
| The Nicene Creed  | (Bow at the words "And was me        | ade man.) TLH p. 22   |  |  |
| Sit   | ,                                    | / 1                   |  |  |
| The Hymn  | "Our Father, Thou in Heaven A        | lbove" TLH 458        |  |  |
| The Sermon  | Ask, And You Will Receive            |                       |  |  |
| Stand   |                                      |                       |  |  |
| The Offertory   |                                      | TLH p. 22-23          |  |  |
| The General Prayer  | •                                    | ASBH p. 21-22         |  |  |
| Sit (An Alms Ba   | sin is located next to the bulletins | for any Offerings)    |  |  |
| The Hymn "W   | Thy Should Cross and Trial Griev     | <i>e Me</i> " TLH 523 |  |  |
| Stand   |                                      |                       |  |  |
| The Exhortation   |                                      | ASBH p. 23            |  |  |
| The Lavabo  |                                      | ASBH p. 24            |  |  |

(The Pastor washes his hands while silently praying Psalm 26. The congregation joins in silent prayer reflecting upon the Sacrament they are about to receive. Prayers are located on back cover.)

| The Preface        |                                       | TLH p. 24-25         |
|--------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------|
| The Proper Preface | e                                     | TLH p. 25            |
| The Sanctus and B  | enedictus                             | TLH p. 26            |
| The Lord's Prayer  |                                       | TLH p. 27            |
| The Verba Domini   | (All may bow when the Pastor genuflec | <i>ts)</i> TLH p. 27 |
| The Pax Domini     | (All may bow and cross themselves)    | TLH p. 27            |
| The Agnus Dei      | (All may kneel)                       | TLH p. 28            |
| Sit                |                                       |                      |
| The Distribution   | (Prayers are located on back cover    | .)                   |
| The Hymn           | "An Awe-full Mystery Is Here"         | TLH 304              |
| Stand              |                                       |                      |
| The Nunc Dimittis  |                                       | TLH p. 29-30         |
| The Thanksgiving   | and Collect                           | TLH p. 30-31         |
| The Hymn           | "Who Trusts in God, a Strong Abode"   | TLH 437              |
| The Salutation     |                                       | TLH p. 31            |
| The Benedicamus    |                                       | TLH p. 31            |
| The Benediction ar | nd Triple Amen                        | TLH p. 31            |
| Sit                |                                       |                      |
| The Postlude       | "Vater Unser" M                       | ichael Praetorius    |

### **Recitation of the Catechism**

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism & Questions 405-411 (Resurrection and Eternal Life, pages 116-117).

#### Announcements

ASBH = Augustana Service Book and Hymnal. It is the name of the upcoming ELDoNA hymnal currently in development.

 $\Delta$ —indicates a hymn ending in a Doxological stanza; please stand.

### May 26th—The Festival of the Ascension of our Lord

**Epistle:** Acts 1:1-11 **Gospel:** St. Mark 16:14-20

May 29<sup>th</sup>—Exaudi

**Epistle:** 1 Peter 4:7b-11 **Gospel:** St. John 15:26—16:4

### **In Our Prayers:**

- For all those who are sick or infirmed, especially, Peggy Holder, Jo Kope, Betty Ramsey, Brandon Dennie, Nellie Noegel, Katie, Dan, Judy Horn, Patricia Bachand, Mike Miller, Barbara Miller, Matthew Scholten, Rev. Mark Mueller, John Burton, Paul Meadows, Barb Eisold, Vince Bost, Janice Heitener, Ray Heitener, Martin Kope, Sally Kope, William Noegel, Bruce Carter, Ed Payne, James Hagen, Jacob McCreary, Rev. Ernest Bernet, Tracy Griffin, Doug DiBiase, and Vito Gerardi.
- For our bishop, the Rt. Rev. James D. Heiser.
- For the parishes served by our diocese, and those in our international fellowship, especially, *St. Boniface Ev. Lutheran Church, Niles, MI*; and her pastor, the *Rev. John Rutowicz*.
- For our seminary, St. Ignatius Lutheran Theological Seminary.
- For our seminarians, Ben Henson and Jacob Henson.
- For our catechumens, especially *Nikolas Likourentzos*.
- For the moral and spiritual support of those involved with our mission in Knoxville, TN, especially, *Ana Heiser*, *Nikolas Likourentzos*, *Deacon Smithey*, *Sherrill Smithey*, *Bobby Eisold*, *Barb Eisold*, and *Bob Eisold*.
- For those struggling with addiction, especially, *Thomas Allred* and *John Monahan*.
- For all those who serve in the military, especially, *Nicholas Silva*.
- For peace in Ukraine.
- For those near death.
- For those celebrating a birthday this week, especially *Vince Bost*.
- For those celebrating an anniversary this week.
- For those traveling this week.

#### **Announcements**

## Daily Readings for the Week after Rogate

| -               | Morning                       | Evening          |
|-----------------|-------------------------------|------------------|
| Today:          | Rev. 22; St. John 17:1-19     | Leviticus 1;     |
| -               |                               | Romans 8:24-28   |
| Monday:         | Leviticus 2; St. John 10:1-5  | Leviticus 3;     |
| -               |                               | Amos 9:8-15      |
| <b>Tuesday:</b> | Leviticus 4; St. John 10:6-10 | Leviticus 5;     |
|                 |                               | Isaiah 4:2-6     |
| Wednesday:      | Leviticus 6; Matt. 28:16-20   | Leviticus 7;     |
|                 |                               | Isaiah 29:18-24  |
| Thursday:       | Lev. 8; St. Luke 24:46-53     | Leviticus 9;     |
|                 |                               | Ephesians 1:3-14 |
| Friday:         | Lev. 10; St. Luke 24:50-53    | Leviticus 11;    |
|                 |                               | Micah 7:7-13     |
| Saturday:       | Leviticus 12; Acts 1:12-26    | Leviticus 13;    |
|                 |                               | Micah 7:14-20    |

## Praying the Psalter Daily in Matins and Vespers:

|            | Morning                   | Evening                  |
|------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| Today:     | Psalms 143, 107           | Psalms 124, 108-111      |
| Monday:    | Psalms 70, 112-115        | Psalms 70, 116-118       |
| Tuesday:   | Psalms 70, 119:1-40       | Psalms 70, 119:41-88     |
| Wednesday: | Psalms 70, 119:89-128 Ps. | 24, 68, 148, 119:129-176 |
| Thursday:  | Psalms 8, 21, 47, 120-125 | Ps. 24, 68, 148, 126-132 |
| Friday:    | Psalms 8, 21, 47, 133-135 | Ps. 24, 68, 148, 136-139 |
| Saturday:  | Psalms 8, 21, 47, 140-141 | Psalms 97, 142-143       |

### **Book of Concord Readings for the Week:**

Monday: The Apology to the Augsburg Confession, XXI.40—XXII.8 Tuesday: The Apology to the Augsburg Confession, XXII.9—XXIII.4 Wednesday: The Apology to the Augsburg Confession, XXIII.5-13 Thursday: The Apology to the Augsburg Confession, XXIII.14-27 Friday: The Apology to the Augsburg Confession, XXIII.28-42

## **Reciting the Catechism Daily:**

Sunday: The Ten Commandments

**Monday:** The Apostles' Creed, The Lord's Prayer

Tuesday: Holy Baptism, The Office of the Keys and Confession

Wednesday: The Sacrament of the Altar

Thursday: The Prayers Friday: The Table of Duties

Saturday: Christian Questions with Their Answers

Hymns for the Week:

**Morning:** TLH 458—"Our Father, Thou in Heaven Above" **Evening:** TLH 523—"Why Should Cross and Trial Grieve Me"

Calendar for Week after Rogate

**Today: Rogate—White** 

10:00 a.m. Divine Service & Bible class 3:00 p.m. Divine Service in Augusta, GA Vince Bost's birthday.

Monday: Rogation Monday—Violet Tuesday: Rogation Tuesday—Violet

Wednesday: Rogation Wednesday—Violet

7:00 p.m. Divine Service and Bible Class in Fort Myers,

FL (Pastor Henson)

Thursday: The Festival of the Ascension of our Lord—White

6:30 p.m. Private confession 7:00 p.m. Divine Service

**Friday:** Seminary Spring Quarter Ends

**Saturday:** No Events Scheduled **Next Sunday: Exaudi—White** 

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

#### The Lutheran Herald

The May 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. There are also printed copies in the back of the nave for your use and distribution.

#### Ask the Pastor

The Rev. Joshua Sullivan of Holy Cross Ev. Luth. Church, Kerrville, TX puts out weekly videos dealing with a wide range of theological topics. Please check them out and subscribe to be notified when a new one is published at http://www.youtube.com/user/ATPHolyCross.

### **ELDoNA Family Camp 2022**

St. Patrick Ev. Lutheran Church, Chipley, FL will be hosting the 2022 ELDoNA Family Camp the week of July 25<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup>, 2022. The campers will be housed and accommodated at Surfside Christian Retreat Center in Panama City Beach, FL. Their website is surfsideretreat.org if you want to see more information. The cost for the entire week will be \$156 per person plus \$30 for food per person.

### An Excerpt from Luther's Writings

"The Lord points out here five things necessary to constitute true prayer. The first is God's promise, which is the chief thing and is the foundation and power of all prayers. ... The second requisite of true prayer, following that of God's promise, is faith—that we believe the promise is true, and do not doubt that God will give what He promises. ... The third requisite of true prayer is, that one must name definitely something that he brings to God or for which he prays; as for strong faith, for love, for peace, and for the comfort of his neighbor. ... The fourth element in true prayer is that we must desire, or wish that the petition be granted, which is nothing but asking; ... The fifth requisite of true prayer is, that we ask in the Name of Christ. This is nothing more than that we come before God in the faith of Christ and comfort ourselves with the sure confidence that He is our Mediator, through Whom all things are given to us." From Martin Luther's Sermon in the Church Postil for Rogate Sunday.

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

**Today—Rogate** 

**Epistle:** James 1:22-27 **Gospel:** St. John 16:23b-30

May 23<sup>rd</sup>—Rogation Monday

**Epistle:** James 5:16-20 **Gospel:** St. Luke 11:5-13

May 24<sup>th</sup>—Rogation Tuesday

**Epistle:** James 5:16-20 **Gospel:** St. Luke 11:5-13

May 25th—Rogation Wednesday

**Epistle:** James 5:16-20 **Gospel:** St. Luke 11:5-13

#### **ROGATE**

### May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022



## **Introit (Chanted by Pastor)**

P: WITH A || voice of singing, declare, pro- | claim | this, \* Utter it to the end of the earth. | Al- | le- | lu- | ia!

P: || "The Lord has redeemed His servant | Ja- | cob!" \* Alleluia! | Al- | le- | lu- | ia! (Isaiah 48:20b)

P: || Make a joyful shout to God, all the | earth! | - \* Sing out the honor of His name; Make | His | praise | glo- | rious. (Psalm 66:1-2)

# C: GLORIA PATRI (From Hymnal; Sung by Congregation)

P: || With a voice of singing, declare, pro- | claim | this, \*
Utter it to the end of the earth. | Al- | le- | lu- | ia!

P: || "The Lord has redeemed His servant | Ja- | cob!" \* Alleluia! | Al- | le- | lu- | ia! (Isaiah 48:20b)

#### Collect

O God, from Whom all good things do come: Grant to us Thy humble servants, that by Thy holy inspiration we may think those things that be right and by Thy merciful guiding may perform the same; through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever One God, world without end.



## **Gradual (Chanted by Pastor)**

P: || Alleluia! Alleluia! It was necessary for the Christ to suffer and to rise from the | dead | \*

And to enter in- | to | His | glo- | ry.

 $\parallel$  Alleluia! I came forth from the Father and have come into the  $\mid$  world.  $\mid$  - \*

Again, I leave the world and go to the Father. | Al- | le- | lu- | ia! (St. Luke 24:46b paraphrase; St. John 16:28)

#### James 1:22-27

<sup>22</sup> But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves. <sup>23</sup> For if anyone is a hearer of the word and not a doer, he is like a man observing his natural face in a mirror; <sup>24</sup> for he observes himself, goes away, and immediately forgets what kind of man he was. <sup>25</sup> But he who looks into the perfect law of liberty and continues in it, and is not a forgetful hearer but a doer of the work, this one will be blessed in what he does. <sup>26</sup> If anyone among you thinks he is religious, and does not bridle his tongue but deceives his own heart, this one's religion is useless. <sup>27</sup> Pure and undefiled religion before God and the Father is this: to visit orphans and widows in their trouble, and to keep oneself unspotted from the world.

#### St. John 16:23b-30

<sup>23b</sup> "Most assuredly, I say to you, whatever you ask the Father in My name He will give vou. <sup>24</sup> Until now you have asked nothing in My name. Ask, and you will receive, that your joy may be full. <sup>25</sup> These things I have spoken to you in figurative language; but the time is coming when I will no longer speak to you in figurative language, but I will tell you plainly about the Father. <sup>26</sup> In that day you will ask in My name, and I do not say to you that I shall pray the Father for you; <sup>27</sup> for the Father Himself loves you, because you have loved Me, and have believed that I came forth from God. <sup>28</sup> I came forth from the Father and have come into the world. Again, I leave the world and go to the Father." <sup>29</sup> His disciples said to Him, "See, now You are speaking plainly, and using no figure of speech! 30 Now we are sure that You know all things, and have no need that anyone should question You. By this we believe that You came forth from God."