Welcome to worship!

April 28, 2024 Fifth Sunday of Easter



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Pastoral Staff

Rev. Mark Kvale, Rev. Becky Goche Ministers: All Baptized Members

Today's Worship Leaders

Production Leader: Jarod Griswold

Musicians: Trevor DuPey Worship Assistants:

8:30 - Nathan Brudos, Caleb Farmer, Vicki Hatleli, Maddie Sweeney, Mike Schnitzius, Laura Eber, Karen Guptill, Julie Kriewald, Debra Daehn Zellmer, Lisa Weston

10:45 - Sophie Dickinson, Ellie Falkenberry, Chuck & Doris Rislow, Kirsten Gabriel, John Roof



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ELW - red hymnal | ACS - purple hymnal

GATHERING

Prelude & Welcome to Worship

Gathering Hymn ACS #957 | Take Me to the Water

Sacrament of Holy Baptism (8:30)

Thanksgiving for Baptism (10:45)

Greetina

Prayer of the Day

Kyrie ACS #1051 | For the Troubles and Sufferings (10:45)

WORD

Young People's Message | Pastor Mark Kvale

Lessons | Acts 8:26-40, 1 John 4:7-21

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel | John 15:1-8

Sermon | Pastor Mark Kvale

Hymn of the Day ELW #403 | Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song

Affirmation of Baptism (10:45)

Prayers of The People

Peace

MEAL

Offering

Offering Prayer

Great Thanksaivina

Holy, Holy, Holy

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

Invitation & Distribution of Communion

Lamb of God

Communion Hymns
ELW #359 Where Charity and Love Prevail | ELW #770 Give Me Jesus
Blessing
Prayer After Communion

SENDING

Announcements
Benediction/Blessing
Sending Song ELW #881 | Let All Things Now Living
Dismissal & Postlude

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WELCOME TO THIS SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION. Lutherans believe that Christ, the Incarnate Word of God, is truly present in the Lord's Supper and that in this meal of the baptized children of God our Lord gives forgiveness of sins, life and salvation. All who seek the mercy and grace of God in this Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus are welcome to the Lord's Table.

WORSHIP SERVICES | Saturdays at 5:00pm, and Sundays at 8:30 & 10:45am. **STAFFED NURSERY** | Available on Sunday mornings and Wednesday evenings. **EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES** | School year at 9:45am on Sundays, throughout the week for all ages.



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OUR MISSION STATEMENT: In Christ, we welcome, worship and work in the world.

OUR WELCOME STATEMENT: The faith community of English Lutheran Church is rooted in Christ and committed to living life generously.

We celebrate diversity of sexual orientation, gender identity, race, ethnicity, age, economic status, marital status, physical or mental ability.

We are united in the Holy Spirit as we embrace our differences. We welcome all as we strive to be a community equipped for God's mission in the world.

We invite you to join us as we seek to promote racial equity, social and economic justice, and care for our environment.

Wherever you are on your faith journey, there is a place for you here.

ARTHUR MICHAEL BRUESS, son of Carson and Megan, will be received into the Christian Church in the Sacrament of Holy Baptism at the 8:30 service today. Arthur's sponsors are Casey Kriewald and Spencer Bruess. Welcome to our church community, Arthur!

ALTAR FLOWERS are given in honor of our 2024 Confirmation Class: Luke Adams, Aiden Beier, Kaitlyn Borge, Alivia Dickinson, Alexa Duncanson, Isaac Gabriel, Ireland Johnson, Evelyn McCoy, Olivia Passehl, Lydia Rislow, Madelyn Young

CONGRATULATIONS to our students receiving their First Communion at our 8:30 worship service this weekend, Claire & Simon Ailabouni.