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Resurrection of Our Lord — March 31, 2013

Empowered by the Holy Spirit, Emanuel’s mission is to witness to the good news of salvation through Christ to individuals, the community and the world through discipleship and service.



LBW—Lutheran Book of Worship WOV—With One Voice

*** Please stand if you are able**

PRELUDE..... (7:00) *I Will Rise* -Macee Glick, dance
(10:30) *Benedictus* -Marcus Mt.Castle & Seth Tonjes

Ringing of the Bell

(10:30) *I Will Rise* -Mt.Castle family, Macee Glick, dance

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*** CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

P Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, the fountain of living water, the rock who gave us birth, our light and our salvation.

C Amen.

P Let us come into the light, the revealing and healing light of God.

God of grace and glory,

C you have brought us through the night of sin into the light of Jesus' resurrection. Yet our lives are still shadowed by sin. Make us alive in Christ, O God. Make us new as you make all things new. Rescue us from evil and the gloom of sin, renew us in grace, and restore us to living in your holiness, through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord. Amen.

P Rejoice with all creation around God's throne! The light of the risen Christ puts to flight all evil deeds, washes away sin, restores innocence to the fallen, casts out hate, brings peace, and humbles earthly pride. Jesus Christ loves you and frees you from your sins by his blood. To him be glory and dominion forever and ever!

C Amen

*** HYMN** *Jesus Christ Is Risen Today*. **LBW # 151**

(10:30) Sunday School mini-musical

I've Been Redeemed

Jesus Is Alive

There Is Power

Every Promise in the Book

He Is Lord (congregation please join with the children when indicated)

He is Lord, he is Lord,

He is risen from the dead and he is Lord.

Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess,

That Jesus Christ is Lord.

(sing twice)

*** GREETING**

P Alleluia! Christ is risen!

C Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

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

C And also with you.

*** PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P O God, you gave your only Son to suffer death on the cross for our redemption, and by his glorious resurrection you delivered us from the power of death. Make us die every day to sin, so that we may live with him forever in the joy of the resurrection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen

FIRST READING: Acts 10:34–43

³⁴Then Peter began to speak to them: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, ³⁵but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. ³⁶You know the message he sent to the people of Israel,

preaching peace by Jesus Christ — he is Lord of all. ³⁷That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: ³⁸how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he

went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. ³⁹We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; ⁴⁰but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, ⁴¹not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. ⁴²He

commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. ⁴³All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

- A The Word of the Lord.
- C **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 118:1–2, 14–24

Give thanks to the LORD, for ¹he is good;* his mercy en- ¹dures forever.

²**Let Israel ¹now proclaim,***

"His mercy en- ¹dures forever."

¹⁴The LORD is my strength ¹and my song,* and he has become ¹my salvation.

¹⁵**There is a sound of exulta- ¹tion and victory* in the tents ¹of the righteous:**

¹⁶"The right hand of the ¹LORD has triumphed!*

The right hand of the LORD is exalted!

The right hand of the ¹LORD has triumphed!"

¹⁷**I shall not ¹die, but live,***

and declare the works ¹of the LORD.

¹⁸The LORD has pun- ¹ished me sorely,* but he did not hand me o- ¹ver to death.

¹⁹**Open for me the ¹gates of righteousness;***

I will enter them; I will offer thanks ¹to the LORD.

²⁰"This is the gate ¹of the LORD;*

he who is right- ¹eous may enter."

²¹**I will give thanks to you, for you ¹answered me***

and have become ¹my salvation.

²²The same stone which the build- ¹ers rejected* has become the chief ¹cornerstone.

²³**This is ¹the LORD's doing,***

and it is marvelous ¹in our eyes.

²⁴On this day the ¹LORD has acted;* we will rejoice and be ¹glad in it.

SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 15:19–26

¹⁹If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied.

²⁰But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. ²¹For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; ²²for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. ²³But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his

coming those who belong to Christ.

²⁴Then comes the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, after he has destroyed every ruler and every authority and power. ²⁵For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. ²⁶The last enemy to be destroyed is death.

A The Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

*** GOSPEL: Luke 24:1-12**



But on the first day of the week, at early dawn, they came to the tomb, taking the spices that they had prepared. ²They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, ³but when they went in, they did not find the body. ⁴While they were perplexed about this, suddenly two men in dazzling clothes stood beside them. ⁵The women were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, "Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen. ⁶Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, ⁷that the Son of Man must be

handed over to sinners, and be crucified, and on the third day rise again." ⁸Then they remembered his words, ⁹and returning from the tomb, they told all this to the eleven and to all the rest. ¹⁰Now it was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the other women with them who told this to the apostles. ¹¹But these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. ¹²But Peter got up and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; then he went home, amazed at what had happened.



(10:30) **Special Music:** *God Knew Your Name*

BAPTISM OF LILITH MARIE CASTELLO DUNN (beginning on page 10)

CHILDREN'S SERMON

(7:00) **HYMN.** *Come, Christians Join to Sing.* **(printed next page)**

(10:30) **HYMN.** *Borning Cry.* **WOV # 770**

SERMON

* HYMN. *Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen.* **WOV # 674**

(7:00 only) * **NICENE CREED**

C We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven; by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen

THE PRAYERS (*please be seated*)

A Gathered around Christ crucified and risen, let us pray for the whole people of God, the earth, and all who cry out for healing.

Brief silence.

A Awaken the church, that it may boldly proclaim the new creation we celebrate on this resurrection day. Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

A Raise up political and civic leaders who will bring forth a springtime of care for the poor and those most vulnerable among us. Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

A Deepen our reverence for the earth and all its creatures, that we may marvel at your works and rejoice at each new day. Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

A Be known to us as we eat and drink at your table, that we may live as the risen body of Christ in the world. Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

A We give thanks for all the saints who have proclaimed the resurrection through their words, music, and art. May your creative Spirit renew our lives with your beauty and

grace. Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

Other petitions.

P Draw to your heart all those weighed down by grief, illness, or anxiety; those absent or forgotten; and those homebound or hospitalized (*especially*); that the light of Christ may shine upon them with hope. Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

P Hear us according to your steadfast love, O God, and in your great compassion bring us to resurrection and rebirth in Jesus Christ our Lord.

C Amen

***PEACE**

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you.

TITHES AND OFFERINGS (7:00) *Hear the Bells Ring* -Choir and bells
(10:30) *Victory*

OFFERTORY (*please remain seated*)

☩ This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le-lu-ia,
al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia. ☩ For the Lamb who was
slain has be-gun his reign. Al-le-lu-ia.
☩ This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God.
Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

***OFFERTORY PRAYER**

A Blessed are you, O God, ruler of heaven and earth. Day by day you shower us with blessings. As you have raised us to new life in Christ, give us glad and generous hearts, ready to praise you and to respond to those in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C Amen.

***EUCHARISTIC PRAYER**

***LORD’S PRAYER**

P Lord, remember us in your kingdom, and teach us to pray:

C **Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

(7:00) **HOLY COMMUNION**

- Largo* -Jessica Yunker
- Easter Song* -Morgan Ashbaugh
- Morning Light* -Madison Ashbaugh
- The Lamb* -Choir
- In the Garden* -Bell Choir
- Special Music -Alison Storch
- Mighty to Save* -Living Spirit
- Benedictus* -Marcus Mt.Castle, Seth Tonjes

(10:30) **HOLY COMMUNION**

- Spring Showers* -Alyssa Kruse
- The Lamb* -Ryan Kruse

BLESSING

P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C Amen

*** POST-COMMUNION PRAYER**

A We give you thanks, O God, that you make your home with us, bringing heaven to earth in this holy meal. Fill us with your Spirit as we go from here, that we may wipe away tears, tend to those in mourning and pain, seek the healing of the nations, and bring to earth the presence of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C Amen

*** BENEDICTION**

(7:00) *Hallelujah Chorus* -choir

(10:30) * **HYMN.** *Thine Is the Glory.* **LBW # 145**

*** DISMISSAL**

A Alleluia. Go in peace. Share the good news.

C **Thanks be to God. Alleluia.**

POSTLUDE *Hallelujah Chorus*

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(10:30) **BAPTISM OF LILITH MARIE CASTELLO DUNN**

PRESENTATION

P In Holy Baptism our gracious heavenly Father liberates us from sin and death by joining us to the death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. We are born children of a fallen humanity; in the waters of Baptism we are reborn children of God and inheritors of eternal life. By water and the Holy Spirit we are made members of the Church which is the body of Christ. As we live with him and with his people, we grow in faith, love, and obedience to the will of God.

Parents and Sponsors: I present **Lilith Marie Castello Dunn** to receive the Sacrament of Holy Baptism.

P In Christian love you have presented this child for Holy Baptism. You should, therefore, faithfully bring her to the services of God's house, and teach her the Lord's Prayer, the Creed, and the Ten Commandments. As she grows in years, you should place in her hands the Holy Scriptures and provide for her instruction in the Christian faith, that, living in the covenant of her Baptism and in communion with the Church, she may lead a godly life until the day of Jesus Christ. Do you promise to fulfill these obligations?

Parents and Sponsors: I do.

THANKSGIVING

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C It is right to give him thanks and praise.

P Holy God, mighty Lord, gracious Father: We give you thanks, for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters and you created heaven and earth.

By the gift of water you nourish and sustain us and all living things. By the waters of the flood you condemned the wicked and saved those whom you had chosen, Noah and his family. You led Israel by the pillar of cloud and fire through the sea, out of slavery into the freedom of the promised land. In the waters of the Jordan your Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Spirit. By the baptism of his own death and resurrection your beloved Son has set us free from the bondage to sin and death, and has opened the way to the joy and freedom of everlasting life. He made water a sign of the kingdom and of cleansing and rebirth. In obedience to his command, we make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Pour out your Holy Spirit, so that she who is here baptized may be given new life. Wash away the sin of her who is cleansed by this water and bring her forth as an inheritor of your glorious kingdom.

To you be given praise and honor and worship through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

C Amen

RENUNCIATION AND PROFESSION

P I ask you to profess your faith in Christ Jesus, reject sin, and confess the faith of the Church, the faith in which we baptize.

P Do you renounce all the forces of evil, the devil, and all his empty promises?

Parents and Sponsors: I do.

P Do you believe in God the Father?

C I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

P Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

C I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

P Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

C I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

BAPTISM

P **Lilith Marie Castello Dunn**, I baptize you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

LAYING ON OF HANDS

P God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, we give you thanks for freeing your sons and daughters from the power of sin and for raising them up to a new life through this holy sacrament. Pour your Holy Spirit upon **Lilith**: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord, the spirit of joy in your presence.

C Amen

SIGNING WITH THE CROSS

P **Lilith**, child of God, you have been sealed by the Holy Spirit and marked with the cross of Christ forever. Amen

GIVING OF THE LIGHT

A Let your light so shine before others that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.

PRAYER FOR PARENTS

P O God, the giver of all life, look with kindness upon **Kevin** and **Rachel**. Let them ever rejoice in the gift you have given them. Make them teachers and examples of righteousness for their children. Strengthen them in their own Baptism so they may share eternally with their children the salvation you have given them, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C **Amen**

WELCOME

A Through Baptism God has made this new sister a member of the priesthood we all share in Christ Jesus, that we may proclaim the praise of God and bear his creative and redeeming Word to all the world.

C **We welcome you into the Lord's family. We receive you as a fellow member of the body of Christ, child of the same heavenly Father, and worker with us in the kingdom of God.**

(service continues with the Children's Sermon on page 5)

Our 10:30 service will be broadcast on WNDH 103.1 FM during the month of April.

Altar flowers

Flowers are given to the glory of God and in honor of Taryn Conklin by Grandma & Grandpa Davis "just because".

Baptism

Being brought to Jesus in Holy Baptism this morning is Lilith Marie, daughter of Kevin & Rachel Castello Dunn. Lily's sponsors are Jim Castello and Earl Dunn.

Closed

The church office will be closed tomorrow.

Coming Alive

Coming Alive, the county-wide exercise challenge of the United Way, will be starting mid-April. We would like to encourage everyone to get out and exercise. Registration forms are available from Judy Hoffman or the church office and must be turned in by APRIL 3!

Please note:

There will be NO Catechism classes on Wednesday or Bible Study on Thursday morning this week!

Women of the Church

A WELCA General Meeting will be held on Thursday, April 4, at 7:30 p.m. Ron Meyers, who has traveled to various countries to help distribute eye glasses on behalf of the Lion's Club, will present the program. Plans for the Conference WELCA Assembly to be held at Emanuel on Saturday, April 13, will be finalized. The Miriam Circle is the hostess circle. Plan to attend and bring someone with you.

Youth Art/Good Friday

The youth of Emanuel did a special art presentation on Good Friday, and their work is on display in the overflow area. The canvasses will be silently auctioned with 100% of the proceeds going to "Together We Can Make a Difference." There is an auction sheet near each item on which to put your name, phone number, and bid amount. The last Sunday to bid will be April 28.

Summer Camp

For anyone registering for Camp this summer, there are scholarships funds available to help with the cost of your attending. The amount will depend on how many apply. Application forms are on the bulletin board across from the office and can be turned in to Nanette Schwab, Julie Kohout or the church office. To register for camp go to www.lomocamps.org/summer.

Blood Drive

The Lutheran Home at Napoleon will be hosting a Blood Drive on Friday, April 5, 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. To schedule an appointment, please call 419-592-1688 or visit redcrossblood.org and enter sponsor code: LUTHERANHOMENAPOLEON. This event is sponsored by the Lutheran Home at Napoleon and The American Red Cross.

Women of the Church

Emanuel is hosting the Maumee Valley Conference of Women Spring Assembly on Saturday, April 13, 2013, from 8:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Our theme is "Together We Can..." with Pastor Castello delivering devotions and communion and Kelli Burkhardt of "Together We Can Make a Difference" being the featured speaker. Worship music will be provided by Angela Tonjes and the Emanubells. Continental breakfast and lunch will be provided. Registration is \$6.00 and due by April 8. Registration forms are available on the bulletin board by the north door entrance. All women of our church are members of WELCA and are encouraged to attend.

This Week

Monday		Church Office Closed
Wednesday	3:15 p.m.	After School Club
	--	NO Catechism
	5:00 p.m.	Soul Food
	6:00 p.m.	Emanubells
	6:30 p.m.	Choir
	7:30 p.m.	Living Spirit
Thursday	--	NO Bible Study
	7:30 p.m.	WELCA General Meeting

Save your bulletins

If you come to the early service and take your Sunday bulletin home just to throw it away, please consider leaving it here at the church in case extra bulletins are needed at the late service. (If, however, you take your bulletin home to refer to during the week, please continue doing so!)

Caring Corner — Lutheran Home "craft department"

Word find puzzle books	Emery boards
Crossword puzzles	Nail polish remover
Card stock paper (seasonal colors such as green yellow, etc.)	Nail polish (muted shades)
Glue Sticks	Pocket size kleenex
	Note pads (2/3 inch spiral bound)

Serving Today

Pastor James L. Castello
Worship & Music Coordinator & Organist - Angela Tonjes
Trumpets - 7:00 Tom Jenny & Dave Schwab 10:30 Mike and Laura Kruse
Assistant - 7:00 Andrea Rohrs 10:30 Ron Meyers
Sound Board - 7:00 Eric & Nick Rohrs 10:30 Kevin Good
Acolytes - 7:00 Charlee Glick & Keegan Schroeder
10:30 Alex Andrews & Seth Tonjes
Ushers - 7:00 Lee Weirauch, Dave Schwab, Leo Clausen, Kevin Gerken
10:30 Alan Storch, Norm Bostelman, Terry Walther, Tom Jenny
Altar Guild - Lauren Helberg & Andrea Hoffman
Prayer Chain Co-ordinator - Carol Castello (419-592-0847) or cjcast@yahoo.com

Statistics

3/20 attendance 87 Offerings \$ 598.00
3/24 attendance 123 + 144 (167) Offerings \$5,079.13 (includes \$200 Bldg Fd; \$7 Wrld Hng; \$306 Easter flowers; \$215 Lent) Simply Giving (3/18-3/24) \$130 General; \$20 Bldg Fd

Sound person needed

A sound board operator is needed for the 8:00 worship service for the month of May. Please sign up on the bulletin board in the narthex or talk to Jack Robbins or Maxine Eickhoff if you would be willing to volunteer.