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Emmanuel Lutheran
CHURCH & SCHOOL
ASHEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

Sunday April 27, 2025

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

8:30am Traditional Worship

11:00am Blended Worship

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Our Vision:

*Fully Engaged, Biblically Passionate,
Driven to Serve*

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, April 28
7:00pm Southside Bible Group (Baldwin home)

Tuesday, April 29

Wednesday, April 30
12:00pm Midweek Worship Service (30 mins.)

Thursday, May 1
2:00pm Space Utilization Committee Meeting
6:00pm Parish Admin. Meeting (narthex)

Friday, May 2
6:00pm Church Pickleball (gym)

Saturday, May 3
7:30am Men's Breakfast Group (First Watch)
4:30pm Saturday Small Group (Pursley home)

Sunday, May 4
8:30am Traditional/Liturgical Worship Service
9:45am Adult Sunday School Class (Fellow. Hall)
9:45am Kid's Sunday School (room# 017)
9:45am Youth Confirmation Class (conf. room)
11:00am Blended Worship Service
Post-Service Prayer Ministry (altar)
Food Pantry is **OPEN, 1-3pm.**
5:00pm High School Youth Group

Church Staff:
Senior Pastor: Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Skopak
Director of Christian Education: Alexi Lundquist
Parish Administrator: Dirk Wilmoth
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Church Office Administrator: Leigh Horsley
Hospitality Ministry : Shirley Parker
P/W Music and Tech Director: Heather Meulenberg
Organist: Lula Meulenberg
Digital Media Coordinator: Peter Linton

School K-8
School Principal: Mark Edmiston
School Admin. Assistant: Shari Reaves
Assistant Principal: Denise Ball
Director of Admissions: Emily Leatherwood
Kindergarten: Kim Noel & Jamie Wertham
First Grade: Rachel Graves & Mackenzie Knapp
Second Grade: Mindy Stackhouse
Third Grade: Kiara Studer
Fourth Grade: Chelsey Towery
Fifth Grade: Emily Lundquist
MS Science/Social Studies: Steve Lehrer
MS Math: Jenelle Lanham
Floating Aid, 2nd-4th grades: Cathy Whittemore
PE/Athletic Director: Jennifer Jenkins "Coach J"
K-8 Art: Tammy Reilly
Music & Spanish: A.L. Brown
Cafeteria: Mackenzie Knapp
Maintenance: Dale Emory

Early Childhood Education:
Director: Nicole Loria
Admin Assist: Carolyn Mashburn
Kitchen/Cook: Kristen Warren and Mikaela Bennett
Younger Infants: Neesie Castillo & Paula Jones
Older Infants: Becky Swatzell & Daja Harper
Toddlers 1: Lindsey Smathers & Ivy Robles
Toddlers 2: Katie Dorn & Amy Bair (moved to PS2 in August)
PS2: Chris Smith (until August) & Christy Credle
PS3: Mallory Swaney & Amanda Shepherd
PS3/4: Robin Rutherford & DeAsia Little
PreK-1: Madison Peach & Cleo Green
PreK-2: Faith Noell & Crystal McCormick
Floating Aid: Felicia Norton
Permanent Sub: Bella Harper

Previous Week's Offerings
General Offering Received: \$ 13,383.61
Building Funds Received: \$ 600.30
***Weekly Offering Budget:** \$ (12,817.31)*

"Death and the Grave and the Skies"

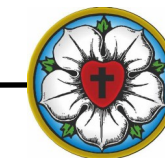


Upcoming Week—Member Celebrations!
Birthdays: 4/28 Wayne Samuel;
4/29 Theodora Hastings; 4/30 Kathy Gillespie; 5/1 Ed DeBerry, George Banjak;
5/2 Kiara Studer

Previous Week Services' Attendance & Stats

Attendance	Online
8:30am: 161 11am: 113	Website: 57
Midweek Noon: N/A	FB: 14

ELC Grab n Go Sunday Food Pantry
Sunday 4/13:
Cars: 73 People: 321 87: 139



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Sunday—April 27th, 2025

9:45am Classes:

- Adult Sunday School Class (Fellowship Hall,)
- Kid's Sunday School (room# 017)
- Youth Confirmation Class (conference room)

Directly after second service:

- Prayer Support Ministry
- The Food Pantry is OPEN, 1-3pm

Today's Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God by:

Patti & CJ Reece—in memory of George Van Valen
Jan Gibney— in loving memory of her beloved husband, Bill



Today's Servers	8:30am	11:00am
Elder	Susan Roby	Joel Helms
Acolyte	Abraham Allen	Ivana Lopez
Ushers	Bob Allen & David Meyer	Joel Helms & Ed Deberry
Lector	Jenelle Lanham	Deb DeBerry
Communion	Susan Roby & Neil Pursley	Tracey Carpenter & Doug Piercy

Prayer Support Team:
Joel & Jeanine Helms

Sound & Tech Crew:
8:30am: Heather M. & Peter L.
11:00am: Justin P. & Bryce G.

Altar Guild:
8:30am: Stephanie Hanson
11:00am: Edith Walker

Offering Counters:
Joel & Jeanine Helms

June Groh would like to thank you for all your prayers and texts, love & support she has received abundantly from our congregation this past week. She said “God is Healing Her!” You might just see her at church today ❤️



MEN'S BREAKFAST

Prayer, Fellowship, & Food

1st Saturday of the month at 7:30am
@ First Watch
281 Long Shoals Rd in Asheville
Contact Scott Hausman for more info



Grab & Go Food Pantry

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC TODAY!!

2nd & 4th Sundays, 1-3pm

We would love more volunteers!

Help needed some Wednesday afternoons,
Friday mornings, & 2 Sunday afternoons!

If interested, email churchoffice@elcsmail.org



GET FOOD PANTRY
TEXT UPDATES!
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Adult Sunday School Class

starting April 27th, 9:45am in the Fellowship Hall

Join Pastor Gillespie for an engaging survey of the Book of Ephesians. We will explore the major theological themes, discover practical life applications, and find encouragement in the timeless truths of God's Word.

Don't miss this opportunity to strengthen your faith, deepen your understanding of Scripture, and grow alongside fellow believers.

Sacred Communion Values

As baptized Christians, having received instruction in the Holy Sacrament; our precious Savior and Lord Jesus Christ invites us to His Holy Meal in which we receive the forgiveness of sins and the strengthening of our faith. Before we receive the Holy Sacrament, we should:

- Examine our relationship with God & others according to the Ten Commandments;
- Truly repent of our sins and seek forgiveness in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord;
- Faithfully believe God's Word which teaches us that in, with, and under the bread and wine we receive the true body and blood of our Savior and Lord Jesus Christ;
- By the working of the Holy Spirit through Word and Sacrament, commit our life as a redeemed disciple of Jesus Christ through thought, word, and deed.





Emmanuel Lutheran Prayer List The Week of April 27, 2025

These are people in need of prayers this week. "Lord Jesus we commend into Your hands the needs of people that go through challenges of many kinds. You know their joys, troubles, illnesses, and fears. We now commend them to You.

"Prayers are continual; for good Health, swift Healing & Favor— for the afflicted, their families, and friends:

- ◇ **Ken Treadway Hernia surgery on Thursday 4/24**
- ◇ **Nancy Hutchins (G. Bailey, friend) Lost her husband last year; Her breast cancer has returned and diagnosed as terminal.**
- ◇ **Elsie Lankford (S. Preutt, mother) COPD; oxygen has worsened.**
- ◇ **Kendida Gordon's parents - Mother has breast cancer; chemotherapy. Father w/ testing regarding dementia/Alzheimer's/extensive blood work.**
- ◇ **June Groh—mild heart attack on 4/12; few stents & now home!**
- ◇ **Marilyn Weaver (C. Smith, mother) - long time Emmanuel member; has been moved to hospice inpatient center in Florida**
- **Ann Downs (K.Emory, mother) In hospice care, stomach cancer.**
- **Rhonda Maskell (A. Maskell, mother-in-law) Having surgery on her stomach in the upcoming weeks.**
- **Pastor Mark Spelzhausen (J. Gibney, friend) cancer in lymphnode; radiation, & chemo treatment.**
- **Tyrone Ayres (S. Edwards, friend) Pancreatic Cancer**
- **Lynn White (S. Edwards, cousin) Colon cancer**

Healing Reflections:

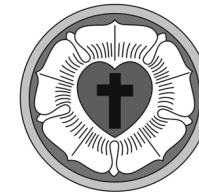
Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, the apostle Peter wrote, "He Himself bore our sins in His body on the tree, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; by His wounds you have been healed." In Isaiah 53, Jesus' future life on earth was foretold in the clearest of terms, to include his eventual torture and death: "But He was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was upon Him, and by His wounds (stripes) we are healed" (Isaiah 53:5; 1 Peter 2:24). *"Lord Jesus, thank you for the sacrifice you made on the cross, for it is by your stripes that we are healed. I ask for your healing touch upon my body, mind, and spirit. May your power flow into me, and may I experience the restoration you have promised. In your name, I pray. Amen."*

Prayers for those with long-term illnesses & conditions:

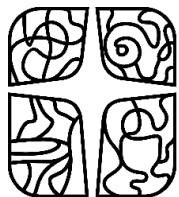
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| ◇ Marilyn Weaver | Donna Logeman (E.Lundquist, mother) |
| ◇ Dale Pioch | Ann Downs (K. Emory, mother) |
| ◇ Peg Hardesty | Rev. Kyle Mietzner (S. Bruckner, nephew) |
| ◇ Pete Rauschenplat | Ann Melious (McCarthy family) |
| ◇ Steve Taylor | Carol Harris (S.Ude's friend) |
| ◇ Ken Treadway | Robin Worley (J.Kearley's friend) |
| ◇ Lorenzo Lopez | Antonia Simpson (L.Meulenberg's friend) |
| ◇ Mary Hufnagle | Virginia Lopez (E. Lopez, mother) |
| ◇ Jim Clark | Chris Alstrin (L.Schulhof, friend) |
| ◇ Sharon Pruett | Jennie Buckner (C.Cline's neighbor) |
| ◇ Marilyn Saylor | Elsie Lankford (S. Pruett's mother) |
| ◇ Diana Hempel | Mike Lemmons (J. Groh) |
| ◇ Emily Nieting | Don Maskell (A. Maskell) |
| ◇ Cynthia Cline | Jamie Leyva (C. Leyva, daughter in law)) |
| ◇ Helen Cline | Ron Riddle (B. King, friend) |
| ◇ Marjorie Locke | Rev. Mark Spelzhausen (J. Gibney, friend) |
| ◇ Mike Walker | Ann Downs (K. Emory, mother) |
| ◇ Julia Kearley | Erin Y. (J. Thomas, friend) |
| ◇ C.J. Reece | Mike Lemmons (J.Groh, friend) |
| ◇ Mike Fastenau | Ralph Ector, Jr & Snr (S.Edwards, family) |
| ◇ Ray Bailey | Tyrone Ayres (S. Edwards, friend) |
| | Lynn White (S. Edwards, cousin) |
| | Nancy Hutchins (G. Bailey, friend) |

PRAYERS FOR OUR HOMEBOUND MEMBER BROTHERS & SISTERS:

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| ◇ K. Ray Bailey | ◇ Carol Cook | ◇ Diana & Isabelle Hempel |
| ◇ Teenie Smathers | ◇ Marjorie Locke | ◇ Andre & Lori Benson |
| ◇ Marilyn Saylor | ◇ Helen Cline | |



Emmanuel Lutheran Church is a praying community!
We believe the promise of God regarding His Word. Our new prayer request cards are located on the bottom of our new attendance cards in the sanctuary on the back on the pews. You may also call or email your request to the church office at anytime!



WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INVOCATION

Pastor: The Lord is risen! Alleluia!

People: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Pastor: In the Name of God, the Father.

People: I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

Pastor: In the Name of God, the Son.

People: I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

Pastor: In the Name of God, the Holy Spirit.

People: I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

People: Amen.

PRAYER FOR THE DAY

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION "Confession Song" (words by Pastor Rabon; melody to Hymn 752)

(VERSE 1)

Lord, I have come to worship yet I know
My hands are not as clean as they should be.
My words have not brought comfort to my neighbor;
My lips have spoken words most carelessly.
My feet have taken me down paths of darkness
And I'm ashamed of what I'm sure you see.

(CHORUS)

**In You I rest, in You I found my hope. In You I trust, You never let me go.
I place my life within Your hands alone; Be still my soul.**

(VERSE 2)

I ask forgiveness in my time of sin.
I know that only You can grant release.
And in this moment You know my intention
Is but to honor You who brings me peace.
Your love has brought me to this hour of worship;
Please cleanse my heart and let me praise You now.

(SING CHORUS)

(ENDING)

Be still my soul. Be still my soul.

WORD OF FORGIVENESS

EASTER PRAISE "He's Risen, He's risen" *Hymn# 480 vv. 1, 2, 3, 5*

- 1 He's risen, He's risen, Christ Jesus, the Lord;
He opened death's prison, the incarnate, true Word.
Break forth, hosts of heaven, in jubilant song
And earth, sea, and mountain their praises prolong.
- 2 The foe was triumphant when on Calvary
The Lord of creation was nailed to the tree.
In Satan's domain did the hosts shout and jeer,
For Jesus was slain, whom the evil ones fear.
- 3 But short was their triumph; the Savior arose,
And death, hell, and Satan He vanquished, His foes.
The conquering Lord lifts His banner on high;
He lives, yes, He lives, and will nevermore die.
- 5 Then sing your hosannas and raise your glad voice;
Proclaim the blest tidings that all may rejoice.
Laud, honor, and praise to the Lamb that was slain:
With Father and Spirit He ever shall reign.

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FIRST LESSON *Acts 5:12-20*

¹² Now many signs and wonders were regularly done among the people by the hands of the apostles. And they were all together in Solomon's Portico. ¹³ None of the rest dared join them, but the people held them in high esteem. ¹⁴ And more than ever believers were added to the Lord, multitudes of both men and women, ¹⁵ so that they even carried out the sick into the streets and laid them on cots and mats, that as Peter came by at least his shadow might fall on some of them. ¹⁶ The people also gathered from the towns around Jerusalem, bringing the sick and those afflicted with unclean spirits, and they were all healed. ¹⁷ But the high priest rose up, and all who were with him (that is, the party of the Sadducees), and filled with jealousy ¹⁸ they arrested the apostles and put them in the public prison. ¹⁹ But during the night an angel of the Lord opened the prison doors and brought them out, and said, ²⁰ "Go and stand in the temple and speak to the people all the words of this Life."

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SECOND LESSON

Revelation 1:4-18

⁴ John to the seven churches that are in Asia: Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, ⁵ and from Jesus Christ the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of kings on earth. To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood ⁶ and made us a kingdom, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. ⁷ Behold, he is coming with the clouds, and every eye will see him, even those who pierced him, and all tribes of the earth will wail^[a] on account of him. Even so. Amen. ⁸ "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, "who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty." ⁹ I, John, your brother and partner in the tribulation and the kingdom and the patient endurance that are in Jesus, was on the island called Patmos on account of the word of God and the testimony of Jesus. ¹⁰ I was in the Spirit on the Lord's day, and I heard behind me a loud voice like a trumpet ¹¹ saying, "Write what you see in a book and send it to the seven churches, to Ephesus and to Smyrna and to Pergamum and to Thyatira and to Sardis and to Philadelphia and to Laodicea." ¹² Then I turned to see the voice that was speaking to me, and on turning I saw seven golden lampstands, ¹³ and in the midst of the lampstands one like a son of man, clothed with a long robe and with a golden sash around his chest. ¹⁴ The hairs of his head were white, like white wool, like snow. His eyes were like a flame of fire, ¹⁵ his feet were like burnished bronze, refined in a furnace, and his voice was like the roar of many waters. ¹⁶ In his right hand he held seven stars, from his mouth came a sharp two-edged sword, and his face was like the sun shining in full strength. ¹⁷ When I saw him, I fell at his feet as though dead. But he laid his right hand on me, saying, "Fear not, I am the first and the last, ¹⁸ and the living one. I died, and behold I am alive forevermore, and I have the keys of Death and Hades.

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL HYMN "O Sons and Daughters of the King " *Hymn# 471 v.6*

6 "My piercèd side, O Thomas, see,
And look upon My hands, My feet;
Not faithless but believing be."
Alleluia!

HOLY GOSPEL *John 20:1-8*

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the twentieth chapter.

People: Glory to You, O Lord.

Now on the first day of the week Mary Magdalene came to the tomb early, while it was still dark, and saw that the stone had been taken away from the tomb. ²So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him." ³So Peter went out with the other disciple, and they were going toward the tomb. ⁴Both of them were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. ⁵And stooping to look in, he saw the linen cloths lying there, but he did not go in. ⁶Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen cloths lying there, ⁷and the face cloth, which had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen cloths but folded up in a place by itself. ⁸Then the other disciple, who had reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed;

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to You, O Christ.

GOSPEL HYMN "O Sons and Daughters of the King " *Hymn# 471 vv. 7, 8*

7 No longer Thomas then denied;
He saw the feet, the hands, the side;
"You are my Lord and God!" he cried. Alleluia!

8 How blest are they who have not seen
And yet whose faith has constant been,
For they eternal life shall win. Alleluia!

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON SONG "He Arose"

(VERSE 1)

Low in the grave He lay - Jesus my Savior,
Waiting the coming day - Jesus my Lord!

(REFRAIN)

Up from the grave He arose
With a mighty triumph o'er His foes.
He arose a victor from the dark domain,
And He lives forever with His saints to reign.
He arose! He arose! Hallelujah! Christ arose!

(VERSE 2)

Vainly they watch His bed - Jesus my Savior,
Vainly they seal the dead - Jesus my Lord!

(REFRAIN)

Death cannot keep his prey - Jesus my Savior,
He tore the bars away - Jesus my Lord.

(REFRAIN)

SERMON: "Death and the Grave and the Skies"

- Outline:*
- I. Low Sunday
 - II. Silent Saturday
 - III. The Grave
 - IV. Lazarus is Dead
 - V. One "if" and Two "buts"
 - VI. The Skies

OFFERING

OFFERTORY SONG "Because He lives"

(VERSE 1)

God sent His Son, they called Him Jesus,
He came to love, heal, and forgive;
He lived and died to buy my pardon
An empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives.

(CHORUS)

**Because He lives, I can face tomorrow
Because He lives, all fear is gone,
Because I know who holds the future,
And life is worth the living just because He lives.**

(VERSE 2)

How sweet to hold a new born baby,
And feel the pride and joy he gives;
But greater still the calm assurance,
This child can face uncertain days because He lives.

(VERSE 3)

And then one day I'll cross the river;
I'll fight life's final war with pain,
And then as death gives way to victory,
I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He lives.

(SING CHORUS TWICE)

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

LORD'S PRAYER

Pastor: Our Father

People: who art in heaven,

Pastor: Our Father

People: hallowed be Thy Name,

Pastor: Our Father

People: Thy kingdom come,

Pastor: Our Father

People: Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven,

Pastor: Our Father

People: give us this day our daily bread,

Pastor: Our Father

People: forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us,

Pastor: Our Father

People: lead us not into temptation

Pastor: Our Father

People: but deliver us from evil,

ALL: for Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

COMMUNION HYMN "Just As I Am" Hymn# 570 v.1,5

1 Just as I am, without one plea
But that Thy blood was shed for me
And that Thou bidd'st me come to Thee,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

5 Just as I am, Thou wilt receive,
Wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve;
Because Thy promise I believe,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come. Text: Public domain

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People: Amen.

THE DISTRIBUTION

- 1** I know that my Redeemer lives;
What comfort this sweet sentence gives!
He lives, He lives, who once was dead;
He lives, my ever-living head.
- 2** He lives triumphant from the grave;
He lives eternally to save;
He lives all-glorious in the sky;
He lives exalted there on high.
- 3** He lives to bless me with His love;
He lives to plead for me above;
He lives my hungry soul to feed;
He lives to help in time of need.
- 4** He lives to grant me rich supply;
He lives to guide me with His eye;
He lives to comfort me when faint;
He lives to hear my soul's complaint.
- 5** He lives to silence all my fears;
He lives to wipe away my tears;
He lives to calm my troubled heart;
He lives all blessings to impart.
- 6** He lives, my kind, wise, heav'nly friend;
He lives and loves me to the end;
He lives, and while He lives, I'll sing;
He lives, my Prophet, Priest, and King.
- 7** He lives and grants me daily breath;
He lives, and I shall conquer death;
He lives my mansion to prepare;
He lives to bring me safely there.
- 8** He lives, all glory to His name!
He lives, my Jesus, still the same;
Oh, the sweet joy this sentence gives:
I know that my Redeemer lives!

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"Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing" *LSB 475*

- 1 Good Christian friends, rejoice and sing!
Now is the triumph of our King!
To all the world glad news we bring:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
- 2 The Lord of life is ris'n this day;
Bring flow'rs of song to strew His way;
Let all the world rejoice and say:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
- 3 Praise we in songs of victory
That love, that life which cannot die,
And sing with hearts uplifted high:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

- 4 Your name we bless, O risen Lord,
And sing today with one accord
The life laid down, the life restored:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

BENEDICTION

People: Amen.

CLOSING HYMN "Crown Him With Many Crowns" *Hymn# 525 v.1,4,5*

- 1 Crown Him with many crowns,
The Lamb upon His throne;
Hark how the heav'nly anthem drowns
All music but its own.
Awake, my soul, and sing
Of Him who died for thee,
And hail Him as thy matchless king
Through all eternity.
- 4 Crown Him the Lord of life,
Who triumphed o'er the grave
And rose victorious in the strife
For those He came to save.
His glories now we sing,
Who died and rose on high,
Who died eternal life to bring
And lives that death may die.
- 5 Crown Him the Lord of heav'n,
Enthroned in worlds above,
Crown Him the king to whom is giv'n
The wondrous name of Love.
Crown Him with many crowns
As thrones before Him fall;
Crown Him, ye kings, with many crowns,
For He is king of all.

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SENDING

Pastor: The Lord is risen! Alleluia!

People: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!