

THE GREEN SHEET

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Introit

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and again a little while, and you will see me.

I will extol you, my God and King,
and bless your name forever and ever.

Every day I will bless you
and praise your name forever and ever.

The Lord is gracious and merciful,
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord,
and all your saints shall bless you!

My mouth will speak the praise of the Lord,
and let all flesh bless his holy name forever and ever.

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;**

**as it was in the beginning,
is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

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Collect of the Day

O God, You make the minds of Your faithful to be of one will. Grant that we may love what You have commanded and desire what You promise, that among the many changes of this world our hearts may be fixed where true joys are found; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Gradual

adapt. from Matthew 28:7; Hebrews 2:7; Psalm 8:6

Christ has risen from the dead.

[God the Father] has crowned him with glory and honor.

He has given him dominion over the works of his hands;
he has put all things under his feet.

Learn by Heart:

Romans 6:9; John 14:23

Alleluia. We know that Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. Alleluia. If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him. Alleluia.

Readings for Next Sunday: Acts 10:34-48; Psalm 98; 1 John 5:1-8; John 15:9-17

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Psalm 145:1-2, 8, 10, 21; antiphon: John 16:16

Congregation at Prayer and Devotions for the Week

INVOCATION

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MEDITATION: Psalm 150. Note that all psalms of thanks are nothing but promises for the poor, troubled conscience, saying as much as this: God is gracious and gladly forgives all sins and will give all comfort, so that we may find all blessings and comfort in Him...All in one, it (Psalm 150) proclaims God's grace and teaches us to trust and believe in Him. *Prayer:* Lord our God, we yield to You most hearty thanks for the Book of Psalms...Grant that the reading of them may not be in vain. Let it make a lasting impression on our hearts, that we may be strengthened in faith, and settled in our hope. Keep us steadfast in Jesus Christ until we enter into the inheritance of the saints in light. Amen. (LSB 797:1) (Excerpt from Reading the Psalms with Luther)

LEARN BY HEART: Bible Verse (front page)

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W 5/1: Leviticus 23:23-44; Luke 12:35-53

TH 5/2: Leviticus 24:1-23; *Leviticus 25:1-55*; Luke 12:54-13:17

F 5/3: Leviticus 26:1-20; Luke 13:18-35

SA 5/4: Leviticus 26:21-33, 39-44; *Numbers 1:1-2:34*; Luke 14:1-24

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- Pray for all who are suffering
 - that those wandering from the Body of Christ would return to receive His gifts of grace and mercy
 - Pray that we are all hungry for the Word of God.
 - Pray for our congregation: that we would continue to worship and fellowship with one another

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