

MOUNT ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
**"Mount Zion's mission is to fulfill God's purpose through
 worshipping, witnessing, welcoming, caring, praying & sharing our
 gifts & talents."**

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3rd Sunday of Easter **April 14, 2024**

The gospel for the third Sunday of Easter is always one in which the risen Christ shares food with the disciples, meals that are the Easter template for the meal we share each Sunday. In today's gospel, Jesus both shares the disciples' food and shows them the meaning of his suffering, death, and resurrection through the scriptures, the two main elements of our Sunday worship.

+ We Gather for Worship +

Greeting

Thanksgiving for BaptismELW pg. 97

Gathering Song: "That Easter Day with Joy Was Bright"..... ELW # 384

Hymn of Praise: "Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest" ...ELW pg. 213

Prayer of the Day

P: The Lord be with you. **C: And also with you.**

P: Let us pray:

Almighty God, with joy we celebrate the day of our Lord's resurrection. By the grace of Christ among us, enable us to show the power of the resurrection in all that we say and do, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

+ We Hear God's Word +

First Reading..... Acts 3:12-19

L: The word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

Psalm Reading..... Psalm 4

Second Reading 1 John 3:1-7

L: The word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation: "Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?" ELW pg. 216

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke 24th Chapter.

C: Glory to you, O God.

Gospel..... Luke 24:36b-48

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Children's Time

SermonPastor Daryle Niedermayer

+ We Respond to the Word +

Hymn of the Day: "As We Gather at Your Table" ELW # 522

Apostles' Creed ELW pg.217

Prayers of Intercession..... ELW pg.218

Sharing of the Peace..... ELW pg.218

Canticle of Thanksgiving "Salvation belongs to our God" ELW pg.219

Thanksgiving for the Word ELW pg.220

Lord's Prayer "Our Father in heaven" ELW pg.221

+ We Are Sent Forth to Serve +

Announcements

Blessing "The Lord bless you and keep you" ELW pg.221

Sending Hymn: "The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done" ELW # 366

Dismissal:

P: Go in peace. Share the good news. **C: Thanks be to God.**