



# ORDER OF SERVICE

**Fifth Sunday of Easter**

**May 2, 2021 - 9:30 am**

**Organist – Marilyn Wahlstrom**

**Vocal Soloist – Mary Gregory**

**Baritone Horn – Gloria Peterson**

**Prelude – Gavotte from Symphony No. 4 – William Boyce/Anton Vedeski**

**Welcome**

**Thanksgiving for Baptism**

**Gathering Hymn - We Know That Christ Is Raised - ELW 449**

**Prayer of the Day**

**Children's Message**

**First Reading: Acts 8:26-40**

**Second Reading: 1 John 4:7-21** L: Word of God. Word of Life. **C: Thanks be to God.**

**Special Music - The Call – Ralph Vaughan Williams** Soloist – Mary Gregory

**Gospel: John 15:1-8** The Holy Gospel According to John. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

**Gospel Reading**

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**Sermon: Pastor Nate Toso**

**Hymn of the Day - Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen! – ELW 377**

**Apostles' Creed**

**Prayers of the People** L: Lord, in your mercy. **C: Hear our prayer.**

**Offering - Air on a G String – Johann Sebastian Bach / arr. Ronald Dishingier**

**Offering Prayer**

**Words of Institution**

**Lord's Prayer**

**Communion - Now the Green Blade Rises – ELW 379**

**Post-communion Prayer and Blessing**

**Announcements**

**Sending Hymn - Christ Is Alive! Let Christians Sing - ELW 389**

**Dismissal** L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

**Postlude – We Know That Christ Is Raised – Charles V. Stanford/Robert Hobby**