



THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church, Tempe

April 4th, 2021

On this day the Lord has acted! On the first day of the week God began creation, transforming darkness into light. On this, the "eighth day" of the week, Jesus Christ was raised from the dead. We celebrate this new creation in the waters of baptism and in the feast of victory. With great joy we celebrate this day of days, even as we begin the great fifty days of Easter. Filled with hope, we go forth to share the news that Christ is risen!

RINGING OF THE BELLS

SOLO **“Were You There?”** (8 a.m.) Debby Bergman;
(10 a.m.) Marshann Donahue & Donna Evans

PLEASE RISE

OPENING HYMN

“LSB 465 – Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds”

- 1 Now all the vault of heav’n resounds In praise of love that still abounds: “Christ has triumphed! He is living!”
Sing, choirs of angels, loud and clear! Repeat their song of glory here: “Christ has triumphed! Christ has triumphed!”
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**
- 2 Eternal is the gift He brings, Therefore our heart with rapture sings: “Christ has triumphed! He is living!” Now still He comes to give us life And by His presence stills all strife.
Christ has triumphed! He is living! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**
- 3 O fill us, Lord, with dauntless love; Set heart and will on things above That we conquer through Your triumph;
Grant grace sufficient for life’s day That by our lives we truly say: “Christ has triumphed! He is living!” Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**
- 4 Adoring praises now we bring And with the heavn’ly blessed sing: “Christ has triumphed! Alleluia!” Be to the Father and our Lord, To Spirit blest, most holy God, All the glory, never ending! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

INVOCATION

P In the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P Christ is Risen!

C He is Risen indeed! Alleluia!

P He is not there!

C Look at the place where they laid Him!

P He is risen, just as He said!

C Alleluia! Alleluia!

CONFESSION

P In the joy of the hope of Resurrection, let us confess our sins in the presence of God and one another:

Silence is kept for reflection.

C God of grace and glory, 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 In this is love, not that we loved God but that God loved us first and sent His Son, Jesus Christ to atone for our sins. In the name of Jesus Christ, and by His authority, I announce the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of † the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen!

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.

YOU MAY BE SEATED

PSALM RESPONSE: Psalm 16

P Preserve me, O God, for in you I take refuge.

C I say to the Lord, "You are my Lord; I have no good apart

from you.”

P As for the saints in the land, they are the excellent ones, in whom is all my delight.

C The sorrows of those who run after another god shall multiply; their drink offerings of blood I will not pour out or take their names on my lips.

P The Lord is my chosen portion and my cup; you hold my lot.

C The lines have fallen for me in pleasant places; indeed, I have a beautiful inheritance.

P I bless the Lord who gives me counsel; in the night also my heart instructs me.

C I have set the Lord always before me; because he is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.

P Therefore my heart is glad, and my whole being rejoices; my flesh also dwells secure.

C For you will not abandon my soul to Sheol, or let your holy one see corruption.

P You make known to me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

C 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.

KYRIE

P In Peace let us pray to the Lord

C Lord, have mercy

P For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the Unity of all let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mercy

P For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord

C Lord, have mercy

P Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

C Amen

Service of the Word

HYMN OF PRAISE “*LSB 489 – Hail Thee Festival Day*”

(Congregation joins on the refrain, Choir sings the stanzas)

**Refrain: Hail thee, festival day! Blest day to be hallowed
forever, Day when our Lord was raised, breaking the
kingdom of death.**

1 All the fair beauty of earth From the death of the winter
arising! Ev’ry good gift of the year Now with its master
returns: **Refrain.**

2 Rise from the grave now, O Lord, The author of life and
creation. Treading the pathway of death, New life You give
to us all: **Refrain.**

PLEASE RISE

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us pray together the prayer of the day.

C **Almighty God the Father, through Your Only-begotten Son,
Jesus Christ, You have overcome death and opened the
gate of everlasting life to us. Grant that we, who celebrate
with joy the day of our Lord’s resurrection, may be raised
from the death of sin by Your life-giving Spirit; through
Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and
the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

YOU MAY BE SEATED

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 25:6-9

6 On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all peoples
a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wine,
of rich food full of marrow, of aged wine well refined.

7 And he will swallow up on this mountain
the covering that is cast over all peoples,
the veil that is spread over all nations.

8 He will swallow up death forever;
and the Lord God will wipe away tears from all faces,
and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the
earth, for the Lord has spoken.

9 It will be said on that day,
“Behold, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might
save us. This is the Lord; we have waited for him; let us be
glad and rejoice in his salvation.”

P The Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

SPECIAL MUSIC

"Halle, Halle, Halle" -Caribbean Folk Song / Arr. Hal Hopson

EPISTLE

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

15 Now I would remind you, brothers, of the gospel I preached to
you, which you received, in which you stand, 2 and by which you
are being saved, if you hold fast to the word I preached to you—
unless you believed in vain. 3 For I delivered to you as of first
importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in
accordance with the Scriptures, 4 that he was buried, that he was
raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures, 5 and

that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. 6 Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have fallen asleep. 7 Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. 8 Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. 9 For I am the least of the apostles, unworthy to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. 10 But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me was not in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them, though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. 11 Whether then it was I or they, so we preach and so you believed.

P The Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL HYMN *“LSB 480 – He’s Risen, He’s Risen”*

- 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.**

- 4 O, where is your sting, death? We fear you no more;
Christ rose, and now open is fair Eden's door.
For all our transgressions His blood does atone;
Redeemed and forgiven, we now are His own.**
- 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.**

PLEASE RISE FOR THE READING OF THE HOLY GOSPEL

ALLELUIA AND VERSE

C Alleluia, Alleluia, Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia, Alleluia.

HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 16:1-8

P The Holy Gospel according to Mark the 16th Chapter.

C Glory to You, O Lord.

The Resurrection

16 When the Sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. 2 And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. 3 And they were saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance of the tomb?" 4 And looking up, they saw that the stone had been rolled back—it was very large. 5 And entering the tomb, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, dressed

in a white robe, and they were alarmed. 6 And he said to them, "Do not be alarmed. You seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen; he is not here. See the place where they laid him. 7 But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going before you to Galilee. There you will see him, just as he told you." 8 And they went out and fled from the tomb, for trembling and astonishment had seized them, and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

P This is the Gospel of our Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

NICENE CREED

C I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic

Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life † of the world to come. Amen.

YOU MAY BE SEATED

HYMN OF THE DAY “LSB 461 - I Know that My Redeemer Lives”

- 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!**

MESSAGE He has risen; He is not here – Mark 16:6

OFFERING

OFFERATORY HYMN “LSB 466 – Christ Has Arisen, Alleluia”

**1 Christ has arisen, alleluia. Rejoice and praise Him,
alleluia. For our Redeemer burst from the tomb,
Even from death, dispelling its gloom.**

Refrain

**Let us sing praise to Him with endless joy;
Death’s fearful sting He has come to destroy.
Our sin forgiving, alleluia!
Jesus is living, alleluia!**

**2 For three long days the grave did its worst Until its
strength by God was dispersed. He who gives life did
death undergo; And in its conquest His might did show.
Refrain**

- 3 The angel said to them, “Do not fear! You look for Jesus who is not here. See for yourselves the tomb is all bare; Only the grave cloths are lying there.” Refrain**
- 4 “Go spread the news: He’s not in the grave; He has arisen this world to save. Jesus’ redeeming labors are done; Even the battle with sin is won.” Refrain**
- 5 Christ has arisen; He sets us free; Alleluia, to Him praises be. Jesus is living! Let us all sing; He reigns triumphant, heavenly King. Refrain**

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

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

A brief silence.

P Awaken the church, that it may boldly proclaim the new creation we celebrate on this resurrection day. We pray for Pastors, ministers and all those who volunteer in your Church. Guide those who lead the flocks of Christians around the world, that they may be enlivened with Resurrection Joy! Lord, in your mercy,

C Hear our prayer.

P Raise up political and civic leaders who will bring forth a springtime of care for the poor and those most vulnerable among us. That they may lead with humble servant hearts. We pray for our President, members of Congress, our local leaders and all who work to govern our great nation. Lord, in your mercy,

C Hear our prayer.

P Draw to your heart all those weighed down by grief, illness, or anxiety; those absent or forgotten; and those homebound or hospitalized, we pray for all those know to us and those who suffer in silence; for those on our prayer list and those we now name on our lips and in our hearts (*pause*) that the Resurrection Joy of Christ may shine upon them with hope. Lord, in your mercy,

C Hear our prayer.

P Make yourself known to us as we eat and drink at your table, although we are not worthy to receive your grace, grant us faith that we may live as the risen body of Christ in the world. Lord, in your mercy,

C Hear our prayer.

P We give You thanks for all the saints who have proclaimed the resurrection through their lives of faith. We praise you for their witness to the Resurrection. Grant us grace to entrust them to You and the faith to know that we will be with them again one day because of Your resurrection power. 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.

YOU MAY BE SEATED.

Service of the Sacrament

PREFACE

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Lift up your hearts.

C We lift them to the Lord.

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C It is right to give Him thanks and praise

PROPER PREFACE

P It is truly good right and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God. And most especially are we bound to praise You on this day for the glorious resurrection of Your Son, Jesus Christ, the very Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us and bore the sins of the world. By His dying he has destroyed death, and by His rising again He has restored to us everlasting life. Therefore, with Mary Magdalene, Peter and John, and with all the witnesses of the resurrection, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify your glorious name, ever more praising You and singing

SANCTUS (LSB Pg. 161)

C Holy, holy, holy Lord God of power and might: Heaven and earth are full of Your Glory. Hosanna. Hosanna. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; † this is My body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me"

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: “Drink of it, all of you; † this cup is the new testament in My blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

PROCLAMATION OF CHRIST

P As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord’s death and His glorious resurrection until He comes.

C **Amen, Come, Lord Jesus.**

LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father who art in Heaven, Hallowed by 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.

AGNUS DEI (LSB Pg. 163)

C **Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; grant us peace.**

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

COMMUNION HYMNS

“LSB 633 – At the Lamb’s High Feast We Sing”

- 1 At the Lamb’s high feast we sing Praise to our victorious King, Who has washed us in the tide Flowing from His piercèd side. Alleluia!**
- 7 Easter triumph, Easter joy! This alone can sin destroy; From sin’s pow’r, Lord, set us free, Newborn souls in You to be. Alleluia!**
- 8 Father, who the crown shall give, Savior, by whose death we live, Spirit, guide through all our days: Three in One, Your name we praise. Alleluia!**

“LSB 525 – Crown Him with Many Crowns”

- 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.**
- 2 Crown Him the virgin’s Son, The God incarnate born, Whose arm those crimson trophies won Which now His brow adorn: Fruit of the mystic rose, Yet of that rose the stem, The root whence mercy ever flows, The babe of Bethlehem.**
- 3 Crown Him the Lord of love. Behold His hands and side, Rich wounds, yet visible above, In beauty glorified. No angels in the sky Can fully bear that sight, But downward bend their wond’ring eyes At mysteries so bright.**

- 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.**

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

P O God, in the paschal feast You have restored all creation.
Continue to send Your heavenly gifts upon Your people that we
may walk in perfect freedom serve You with willing obedience,
proclaim Your good news to all the ends of the earth, and be
faithful in Christ until we receive the crown of everlasting life;
through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You
and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

BLESSING

P May the Lord bless you and keep you, may the Lord make His
face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you. May the Lord
look upon you with favor and grant you † His peace.

C Amen.

CLOSING HYMN

“LSB 457 – Jesus Christ Is Risen Today”

- 1 Jesus Christ is ris’n today, Alleluia! Our triumphant holy day, Alleluia! Who did once upon the cross, Alleluia! Suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!**
- 2 Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia! Unto Christ, our heav’nly king, Alleluia! Who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia! Sinners to redeem and save. Alleluia!**
- 3 But the pains which He endured, Alleluia! Our salvation have procured; Alleluia! Now above the sky He’s king, Alleluia! Where the angels ever sing. Alleluia!**
- 4 Sing we to our God above, Alleluia! Praise eternal as His love; Alleluia! Praise Him, all ye heav’nly host, Alleluia! Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia!**

SENDING

P Christ is Risen!

C He is Risen indeed! Alleluia

P Go in peace, share the good news!

C Thanks be to God!

Easter Sunday

After the 10:00 a.m. service

You are welcome to take one of the live plants

At the end of the service

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SERVING US AT WORSHIP TODAY:

Officiant Preacher:	Rev. Tim Anderson
Organist/Director:	Ellen Brown
Song Leaders:	Debby & Doug Bergman
Horn:	Doug Bergman
Assisting Elder/Lector:	Skip McFadden
Reader for 8 a.m.:	Debby Bergman
Special Music:	The Beautiful Savior Choir
Greeters:	Marsha Beetham
Acolyte:	Joe Carlin
Altar Care:	Pat Carlin

Visitors, please sign (with a complete address) our **Guest Book** on the podium in the entryway before you leave and/or complete a **grey/cream “Worship Information” card** found in the pew in front of you. **Members** are also encouraged to complete a “Worship Information” card (you can update address and phone number, request a pastoral visit).

Everyone is invited to assemble in the parish hall / patio immediately following worship for coffee, punch, a bite to eat and what the Bible calls koinonia (fellowship!)

Pastor Tim Anderson is available to you for pastoral and spiritual needs (prayer support, hospital calls, counseling, private communion,

etc). He can be reached at the office Monday & Wednesday, 9 AM – 2 PM.

WE CAN ASSIST THOSE UNABLE TO HEAR WELL...We have 3 cordless headsets available to use in the pews. Just let an usher know and they will be happy to bring you one.

**Attendance for 3-28-21: Bible Study—5; Worship Service—39.
Income report for 3-28-21: Loose Plate \$290; Weekly Envelopes \$56;
Designated Gifts \$1116; Other \$; Total \$1462. Midweek 6 for 3-24-21:
Total \$280.**

THIS WEEK AT BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR

April 4, Sunday

NO - Adult Bible Study in Fellowship Hall

8 AM Easter Worship (outside)

9 AM Continental Breakfast in Fellowship Hall

10 AM The Resurrection of Our Lord Sunday Worship (inside)

(Also, being streamed on Facebook online)

April 5, Monday

9 AM-2 PM Pastor Tim Anderson in the office

April 6, Wednesday

9 AM-2 PM Pastor Anderson in the office

April 9, Friday

8 AM-12 PM Church & building cleaned

April 14, Sunday

10 AM The Second Sunday of Easter Worship – Casual Service

Prayer List: Prayer List: Those with cancer **Gerri Koski, Amina Kruck; Maebell Beard** preparing for an aorta valve replacement, Charlotte Grefe physical therapy for back problem; **Tim Jackson** having more surgeries; **Bobbie Littou** medical tests this week. Those who are recovering: **Dorothy**

McShee, Jane Boye, Chris Carlin, John McShee, Glenn Brown. Erica and Gerald Guzzi.

**FOR AT HOME WORSHIPERS WHO STILL VIEW SERVICES
ONLINE INSTRUCTIONS ARE BELOW:**

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE YOU CAN GO ONLINE & VIEW AT

- 1) Open a webpage browser (internet explorer, chrome, Firefox, etc.)**
- 2) Type or paste the following link into your address bar:
www.facebook.com/BeautifulSaviorLutheranChurchTempe/**
- 3) Option 1 - Scroll until you find a post that shows a “Live” feed titled for the Sunday service, or**
- 4) Option 2 - Click on the “Videos” button on the left-hand sidebar (ignore anything asking you to sign up or sign in to Facebook)**
- 5) Look for the video titled for the date of the Sunday service. Video stream will be live starting at or around 10am. If it does not show up, try refreshing the page. The video of the service will remain on the page if you would like to view it at a later time, or to replay it again at your discretion.**

Lutheran Hour Broadcast - KFNX RADIO (1100) @ 10 AM:

April 11 "What It Means to Be a Family" Guest Speaker: Pastor Gerard Bolling. Loving, caring, and sharing--it's what we do as God's family, His Church. (Acts 4:32-35)



HOLY COMMUNION. . .OUR UNDERSTANDING

It is the special joy of the baptized and instructed Christian to celebrate Christ in our very midst with the Sacrament of the Altar (Holy Communion). The Scripture clearly and carefully teaches that, in Holy Communion, the very Body and the very Blood of our Lord Jesus are really present in, with, and under the forms of bread and wine. It also teaches that “A man ought to examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without recognizing the body of the Lord (acknowledging the Real Presence of Jesus with the elements) eats and drinks judgment on himself.” (I Corinthians 11:28-29).

Communicants, then, are rightfully prepared and “worthy” when they:

- *are truly penitent of their sins;*
- *even now embrace Jesus as their Savior and recognize His Real Presence in the bread and the wine; and*
- *seek to amend their sinful lives, with the assistance of this Meal and the power of the Holy Spirit.*

If you have any further questions, please speak with the Pastor before the service.

Other notes on the distribution of Holy Communion:

- *1) Wine is the Biblical standard for all communicants. However, grape juice is in some glasses and available in the center of each tray for those who have an intolerance to alcohol.*
- *2) The Blood of Christ, in, with and under the wine, is served in individual glasses and common cup. Please choose you preference.*

3) Children and adults not instructed or confirmed are still encouraged to approach The Table to receive a blessing

