Faith Lutheran Church Brantford 5th Sunday of Easter, May 7, 2023 at 10.30 am



REDress, Washington, DC

Gathering

WELCOME and Land Acknowledgement:

THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM (*Water is poured into the Font*)

God you are the fountain of life: **refresh us.** God you are the cleansing spring: **heal us.** God you are the well from which we drink and never thirst again: **fill us. AMEN**

GATHERING SONG: # 531 The Trumpets Sound, the Angels Sing

GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

PRAYER FOR THE DAY

FIRST READING Acts 16:23-34 Word of God, Word of Life...Thanks Be to God

PSALM 98 (read Responsively)

Sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things; his right hand and his holy arm have worked salvation for him. The Lord has made his salvation known and revealed his righteousness to the nations. He has remembered his love and his faithfulness to Israel; all the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God. Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth, burst into jubilant song with music; make music to the LORD with the harp, with the harp and the sound of singing, with trumpets and the blast of the ram's hornshout for joy before the LORD, the King. Let the sea resound, and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it. Let the rivers clap their hands, let the mountains sing together for joy; let them sing before the LORD, for he comes to judge the earth. He will judge the world in righteousness and the peoples with equity.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION 172 Halle, Halle Hallelujah

Halle, halle, hallelujah, halle, halle, hallelujah, halle, halle, hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah. **GOSPEL** Mark 10:46-52 The holy gospel according to Mark, chapter 10 ... **Glory to you, o Lord** The Gospel of the Lord...**Praise to you O Christ**

HYMN: 715, 1-3.5 Christ Be Our Light

SERMON: Pastor Dani

HYMN 843, 1-3 Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness

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PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

OFFERTORY 528 Come and Fill Our Hearts with your Peace (3x or until the offering plates are brought to the front.)

Come and fill our hearts with your peace. You alone, O Lord, are holy. Come and fill our hearts with your peace. Alleluia.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you. And also with you. Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

DISTRIBUTION

BLESSING

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

BENEDICTION

SENDING HYMN 798. 1.3.4 Will you Come and Follow Me

DISMISSAL -

You are the body of Christ raised up for the world. Go in peace. Share the good news. Alleluia! Thanks be to God.

GOD SAVE THE KING

God save our gracious King, Long live our noble King, God save the King! Send him victorious, Happy and glorious, Long to reign over us, God save the King!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY'S DUTY ELDER is Jane Weeden

TODAY WE ARE PRAYING FOR:

Luke Splettstoesser	Grace Mueller	Otto Philipp
Patty Davis	Jennifer Cherewka	Scott Hagglund
Stephen Kovacs	Gladys Souliere	Florence Smith
Eberhard Poelzl	Adam Brown	Marlene Sams and Ruby
The Ibrahim Family who are currently visiting in Sudan		

WEDNESDAY MAY 10 - FOOD PANTRY AT 9 am

WEDNESDAY MAY 10 – PARISH COUNCIL at 7 pm