

# Worship Leader Edition

## Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 26, 2026

10:00 AM

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### GATHERING

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*Turn on Narthex speakers, keep on throughout worship.*

GATHERING MUSIC

“I Will Arise and Go to Jesus”  
*Bells of Praise*

*Matthew Compton*

WELCOME *by Jubilee*

### PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE

GATHERING SONG

“My Redeemer Lives”

*Reuben Morgan, arr. Mark Cole*

#### Verse

I know He rescued my soul  
His blood has covered my sin  
I believe, I believe  
My shame He's taken away  
My pain is healed in His name  
I believe, I believe

#### Pre-Chorus

I'll raise a banner  
'Cause my Lord  
Has conquered the grave

#### Chorus

My redeemer lives  
My redeemer lives  
My redeemer lives  
My redeemer lives

OPENING SONG

“Forever”

*Chris Thomlin, arr. Dan Galbraith*

#### Verse 1

Give thanks to the Lord  
Our God and King  
His love endures forever  
For He is good, He is above all things  
His love endures forever  
Sing praise, sing praise

#### Verse 2

With a mighty hand  
And outstretched arm  
His love endures forever  
For the life that's been reborn  
His love endures forever  
Sing praise, sing praise  
Sing praise, sing praise

#### Verse

#### Pre-Chorus

#### Chorus

#### Chorus

#### Bridge

You lift my burdens  
I'll rise with You  
I'm dancing on this mountain top  
To see Your kingdom come

#### Chorus

#### Chorus

#### Chorus 1

Forever God is faithful  
Forever God is strong  
Forever God is with us  
Forever  
Forever

#### Verse 3

From the rising to the setting sun  
His love endures forever  
By the grace of God  
We will carry on  
His love endures forever  
Sing praise, sing praise  
Sing praise, sing praise

#### Chorus 1

## Chorus 2

Forever you are faithful  
Forever you are strong  
Forever you are with us  
Forever  
Forever

## Ending

Forever  
Forever

## PRAYER OF THE DAY *{Front Center}* (Mollee Erickson)

L: Lord Jesus, thank you for the unconditional love you showed by your sacrifice on the cross to forgive our sins. Fill us with your grace to forgive others. Fill us with your compassion to love as you love. Fill us with the Holy Spirit so we may shine your light to God's glory.

**C: Amen.**

## SHARING OF THE PEACE *{Front Center}* (Mollee Erickson)

L: The peace of the Lord be with you all.

**C: And also with you.**

L: For all who are gathered, let us take a moment to welcome one another. For those of you online, please share a word of peace in the comment or chat.

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## WORD

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## PLEASE BE SEATED

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE *{On Floor Pulpit Side}* (Andrea)

## FIRST READING *{Lectern}* (Jodi Murphy)

Psalm 136:1-9, 23-26

L: <sup>1</sup>O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,

**C: for his steadfast love endures forever.**

L: <sup>2</sup>O give thanks to the God of gods,

**C: for his steadfast love endures forever.**

L: <sup>3</sup>O give thanks to the Lord of lords,

**C: for his steadfast love endures forever.**

L: <sup>4</sup>who alone does great wonders,

**C: for his steadfast love endures forever.**

L: <sup>5</sup>who by understanding made the heavens,

**C: for his steadfast love endures forever.**

L: <sup>6</sup>who spread out the earth on the waters,

**C: for his steadfast love endures forever.**

L: <sup>7</sup>who made the great lights,

**C: for his steadfast love endures forever.**

L: <sup>8</sup>the sun to rule over the day,

**C: for his steadfast love endures forever.**

L: <sup>9</sup>the moon and stars to rule over the night,

**C: for his steadfast love endures forever;**

L: <sup>23</sup>It is he who remembered us in our low estate,

**C: for his steadfast love endures forever.**

L: <sup>24</sup>and rescued us from our foes,

**C: for his steadfast love endures forever.**

L: <sup>25</sup>who gives food to all flesh,

**C: for his steadfast love endures forever.**

L: <sup>26</sup>O give thanks to the God of heaven,

**C: for his steadfast love endures forever.**

L: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

## PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE

THE HOLY GOSPEL (*Rob*)

John 21:1-14

After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and [Jesus] showed himself in this way. <sup>2</sup>Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. <sup>3</sup>Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We will go with you." They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. <sup>4</sup>Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. <sup>5</sup>Jesus said to them, "Children, you have no fish, have you?" They answered him, "No." <sup>6</sup>[Jesus] said to them, "Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some." So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. <sup>7</sup>That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!" When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the sea. <sup>8</sup>But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off. <sup>9</sup>When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. <sup>10</sup>Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish that you have just caught." <sup>11</sup>So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. <sup>12</sup>Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they knew it was the Lord. <sup>13</sup>Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. <sup>14</sup>This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

L: The Gospel of the Lord.

**C: Praise to You, O Christ.**

## PLEASE BE SEATED

MESSAGE {*Front Center*}

*Pastor Rob Norris-Weber*

**ASSISTANT SAY: "PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE"**

THE APOSTLES' CREED {*Front Center*} (*Mollee Erickson*)

*Screen*

**C: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**ASSISTANT SAY: "PLEASE BE SEATED FOR THE PRAYERS"**

THE PRAYERS {*Front Center*} (*Mollee Erickson*)

*Screen*

*After each petition:*

L: Lord, in your mercy.

**C: Hear our prayer.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER (*Mollee Erickson*)

*Screen*

**C: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your Kingdom come: your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the Kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.**

TIME OF REFLECTION AND RESPONSE (*Mollee Erickson*)

*Screen*

L: In this time of reflection and response you are invited to fill out your welcome card. Share any reflections, questions, or prayers on the back. Also, take this time to prepare your offering. For those gathered the collection plates are in the front and back. For those online please go to our website [stlukesbloomington.org](http://stlukesbloomington.org) and there is a link to give at the bottom of every page. Enjoy this time.

MUSIC

"Prelude on Thaxted"  
*Bells of Praise*

*Michael Helman*

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SENDING

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OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE + MINISTRIES *(Rob)*

**PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE**

BENEDICTION *(Rob)*

L: May God fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you may abound in hope by the power of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

SENDING SONG

“God is on the Move”

*Cliff Williams, Ian Eskelin,  
Mikey Howard, & Tony Wood*

**Verse 1**

Anytime a heart turns from darkness to light  
Anytime temptation comes and someone stands to fight  
Anytime somebody lives to serve and not be served  
I know, I know, I know, I know

**Chorus**

God is on the move, on the move  
Hallelujah  
God is on the move  
In many mighty ways  
God is on the move, on the move  
Hallelujah  
God is on the move  
On the move today

**Verse 2**

Anytime in weakness someone falls upon their knees  
Or dares to speak the truth that sets us free  
Anytime the choice is made to stand upon the Word  
I know, I know, I know, I know

**Chorus**

**Bridge**

I see a generation standing on the truth  
In each and every nation, God is on the move

**Verse 3**

Anytime the Gospel stirs a searching soul  
And someone says, "Send me, here I go"  
I know, I know, I know, I know

**Chorus**

**Bridge**

DISMISSAL *(Rob)*

L: Go in peace. Christ is with you.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

*Screen*

REPRISE

***Altar Flowers Given Today:***

*Maddie Boyle*

*In memory of Gerry Boyle*

*Steve & Judy Ludwigson*

*In celebration of their 41<sup>st</sup> wedding anniversary*

*And Jayson's birthday*