



Easter 2

April 26 & 27, 2025



CHILDREN'S WORSHIP



NAME:

Follow Along!

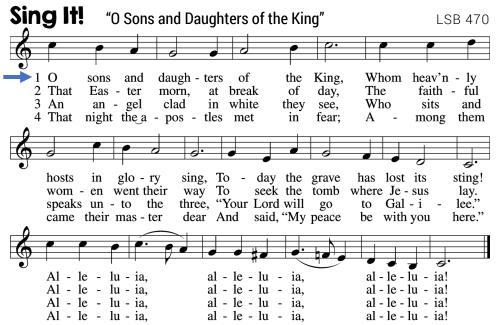
Divine Service Setting One

Page 151 in the Lutheran Service Book

Say It!

Jesus came and stood among them and said to them,
"Peace be with you."

John 20:19b



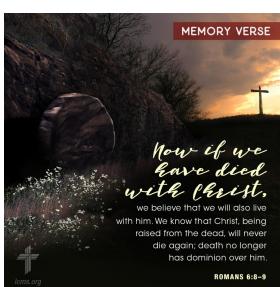
Tally It!!

How many times does Pastor mention the word

RISEN

in church today?

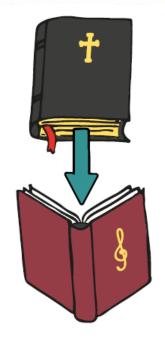






What are "rites"?

No, "rites" are not the opposite of "wrongs," though it might sound that way. In the church, rites are the words and texts of the Divine Services and Prayer Offices. Almost all of the rites in our hymnal are straight from the Bible.



Why do we use rites?

Rites make up a majority of our worship services. These rites are the written words of our God as they have been given to us in the Bible. In these rites we hear the voice of our Savior, Jesus, proclaiming with His own words His victory over sin, death and the power of the devil. He is giving to us the forgiveness of sins which He won for us when He died on the cross and rose again at Easter. There is nothing better than for Christ's church to worship using such wonderful rites!



Parents: Before or after the Divine Service, discuss the meaning of "rites" with your child. At home, choose portions of the Divine Service and study the purpose of the rites used. Encourage your children to recognize the importance of a worship life grounded in God's Word and Sacraments, which the rites of our hymnal provide. Be sure to ask your pastor if you have any questions.



SOMETHING to DRAW who haven't seen Him

Jesus blessed people but still believe in Him.



2nd Sunday of Easter



Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you." John 20:19

NAME:

HIDDEN MESSAGE

TODAY'S GOSPEL

John 20:19-31

In today's Gospel, Jesus said something special to His disciples three times. Circle every third letter in the puzzle and print them on the lines below. Then divide them into words to find out what Jesus said.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Try to fit words from today's Gospel into the crossword puzzle. (If you need help, use the word list.)

The disciples were hiding in a (9 across) room because they were afraid of the (7 down). Suddenly, Jesus was with them. Jesus said, "(5 down) be with you. Receive the Holy (4 across)." They were (8 across). But (6 down) was not there. He didn't (2 across) the others had (1 down) Jesus. A week later, Jesus came again. Thomas saw Jesus' (10 across) and side. He said, "My (3 down) and my

