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Compline



MONDAY, APRIL 28, 2025 | 8:30 P.M. CHAPEL OF THE RESURRECTION

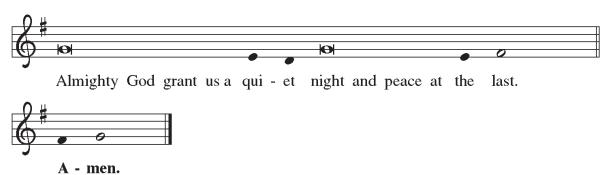
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In memory of Lorraine S. Brugh

The assembly is invited to sing or to speak the **bold** text throughout.

Stand at the sound of the bell.

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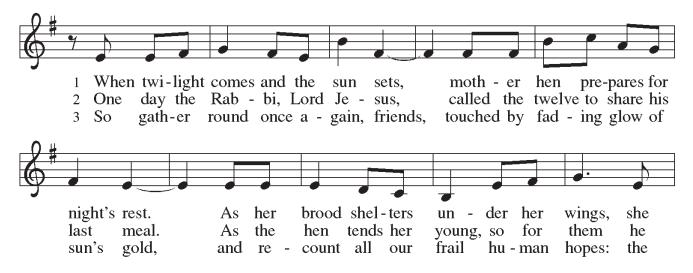


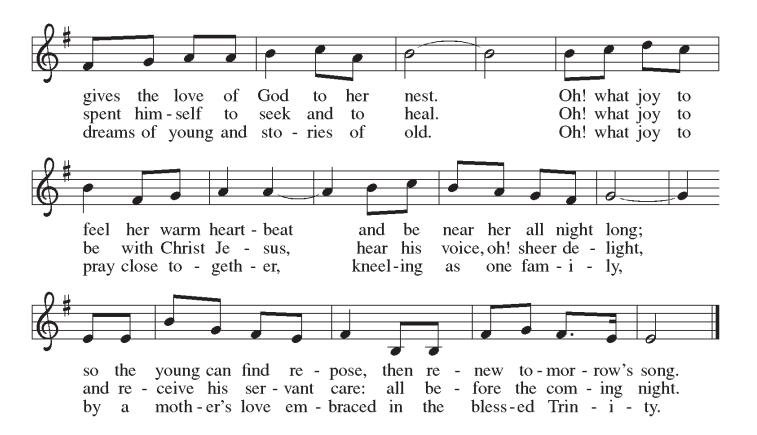


and at night your song is with me, a prayer to the God of my life.

NIGHT HYMN

"When Twilight Comes" *All sing.*





CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

Holy and gracious God, I confess that I have sinned against you this day. Some of my sins I knowthe thoughts and words and deeds of which I am ashamedbut some is known only to you. In the name of Jesus Christ I ask forgiveness. Deliver and restore me, that I may rest in peace.

By the mercy of God we are united with Jesus Christ, in whom we are forgiven. We rest now in the peace of Christ and rise in the morning to serve. Sit.

PSALM 4

Chanted responsively.

- ¹Answer me when I call, O God, defender I of my cause; you set me free when I was in distress; have mercy on me and I hear my prayer.
- ²"You mortals, how long will you dishon- | or my glory; how long will you love illusions and seek | after lies?"
- ³ Know that the Lord does wonders | for the faithful; the Lord will hear me | when | call.
- ⁴Tremble, then, and | do not sin; speak to your heart in silence up- | on your bed.
- ⁵Offer the appointed | sacrifices, and put your trust | in the Lord.
- ⁶ Many are saying, "Who will show us | any good?" Let the light of your face shine upon | us, O Lord.
- ⁷ You have put gladness | in my heart, more than when grain and | wine abound. ⁸ In peace, I will lie | down and sleep; for you alone, O Lord, make me | rest secure.

Silence for reflection follows the psalm.

PSALM PRAYER

Let us pray.

O God, source of deliverance and help, do not let our hearts be troubled, but fill us with such confidence and joy that we may sleep in your peace and rise in your light; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

Stand.

SEASON HYMN

"Christ Is Living" All sing in Spanish or English.





- 2 Que si Cristo no viviera, vana fuera nuestra fe; mas se cumple su promesa: "Porque vivo, viveréis." Si_en Adán entró la muerte, por Jesús la vida entró; no temáis, el triunfo_es vuestro: ¡El Señor resucitó!
- 3 Si_es verdad que de la muerte el pecado es aguijón, no temáis pues Jesucristo nos da vida y salvación. Gracias demos al Dios Padre que nos da seguridad, que quien cree en Jesucristo vive por la_eternidad.

READING: ROMANS 6:3-5

Do you not know that all of us who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? Therefore we were buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we also might walk in newness of life. For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his.

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

Silence for reflection follows the reading.

RESPONSORY



MUSICAL REFLECTION

"Komm, Jesu, Komm" - J.S. Bach Choir sings.

Verses:

Komm, Jesu, komm, mein Leib ist müde, die Kraft verschwindt je mehr und mehr, ich sehne mich nach deinem Friede; der saure Weg wird mir zu schwer! Komm, komm, ich will mich dir ergeben, du bist der rechte Weg, die Wahrheit und das Leben.

Drum schließ ich mich in deine Hände und sage, Welt, zu guter Nacht!
Eilt gleich mein Lebenslauf zu Ende, ist doch der Geist wohl angebracht.
Er soll bei seinem Schöpfer schweben, weil Jesus ist und bleibt der wahre Weg zum Leben.

Silence follows the musical reflection.

Translation:

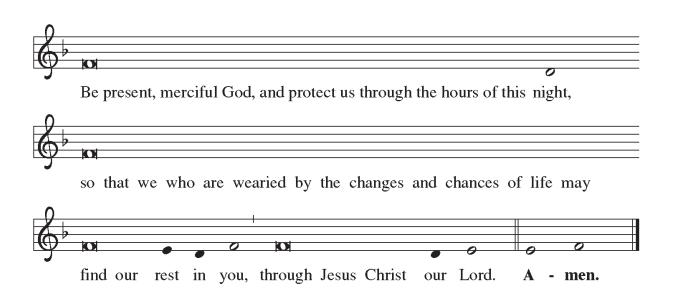
Come, Jesus, come, my body is weary, my strength wanes more and more, I long for your peace; the sour path becomes too difficult for me! Come, come, I will yield myself to you, you are the true path, truth and life.

Therefore I enclose myself in your hands and say goodnight to you, world! Even though my lifetime rushes to its end, my spirit is nevertheless prepared. It shall float with its Savior, since Jesus is and remains the true path to life.

Stand.

PRAYERS





THE LORD'S PRAYER





GOSPEL CANTICLE



BLESSING



Now in peace I will lie down and sleep; you alone, O God, make me se - cure.



PEACE

The greeting of peace may be shared by all.

CLOSING HYMN

"May God Bless Us and Keep Us" All sing in Swahili or English.



Serving the Institute in Worship Today

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The Chapel of the Resurrection is built on the traditional homelands of several indigenous peoples, most notably the Potawatomi (Bodéwadmik) Nation. The land was ceded by Potawatomi leaders to the U.S. federal authorities on October 26, 1832, as part of the Treaty of Tippecanoe. We meet in this place indebted to this forced generosity. Some of the indigenous population successfully resisted removal. Members of the Pokagon Band of Potawatomi (Pokégnek Bodéwadmik) established a sovereign government in Dowagiac, Michigan, and continue to live, work, and worship as our neighbors.

Remembering Dr. Lorraine S. Brugh



Lorraine S. Brugh was director of the Institute of Liturgical Studies from 2004 to 2017. Her service to the Institute was above and beyond her service as a faculty member. In 1997, Lorraine joined the faculty of Valparaiso University where, across 22 years, she served as University Organist, Director of Chapel Music and conductor of Kantorei, Kruse Organ Fellow, Professor of Music, and Resident Director of the University's Study Center in Cambridge. She taught courses in organ, musicianship, and church music at Valparaiso University and as a faculty member at the Lutheran Summer Music Academy and Festival, where she developed a three-year church music curriculum based on the cycles of the Revised Common Lectionary. She was also an integral member of the proposal and editorial teams that produced the Evangelical Lutheran Worship hymnals used in ELCA services across the globe.

Her paper, "Where Do We Go from Here," traces the history of liturgical renewal and charts a vision for the future based on the twin values of integrity and community. Lorraine encourages us to ask:

How can our liturgy head us in a truthful way? ... What is it that still bears truth to our assemblies today that we have inherited from our forebears? Then, at the same time, in the same liturgy, with the same assembly, what are the words of truth from our own time and place that we need to add so that our liturgies head us toward truth? It is an awesome privilege to put words into the mouths of our assemblies... In the complexity of our lives, the liturgy calls us back to what is true, just, and lovely. Finding those things again may be among the hardest things we do, for the simple is often difficult to achieve. In our lives the simple may be so overgrown, we can't even find it. Except that there is this body that continues to rehearse these truths in spite of us, for us and the world. That is our way, and truth, and life.

We offer deep gratitude for Lorraine's legacy, carried on by several generations who have been privileged to learn from her and serve with her. From church musicians who seek to lead assembly song with contextual understanding and cultural sensitivity to former students in varied areas of study who continue to sing in their local church choirs, many have been formed by her work. All of us carry into our vocations the influence of Lorraine's courage, empathy, and curiosity, which reminds us that when we sing, we join our voices with every one of God's children around the globe.



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