





**No. "Christ the Lord is Risen Today!"**  
(Red Praise) **No. 231**



**Communion**



**Prayers of the Pastor and the People with Praise and Thanksgiving**

*share briefly names & situations to lift to God in prayer  
– we know God is more than able to hold  
all we offer & God knows the details!*

Lord in Your mercy...**Hear our prayer**

**Blessing**



**"Halle, Halle, Halle-lujah (X3)  
Hallelujah, Hal-le-lu-jah!"**

**Personal Milestones**  
**April 6- Nathan Marx**  
**April 7 – Tom Billott**

**Prayer Concerns**

Prayer family: **Joe and Heather Darrow**

Prayer young person: **Jace Decker**

Prayer theme for young adults: **faith**

All medical professionals, emergency responders & those serving in hospitals, nursing homes & care facilities

Military folks & family - the USA & all those in leadership  
S-VE School Board members, administrators, teachers & others

North Spencer Christian Academy

Church Finances

Renovation House

Finance Committee

North Van Etten Church

**Communion Liturgy:**

**Eat this Bread** \*Communaute de Taize, adapted by Robert J. Batastini (1984)

*Eat this bread, drink this cup, Come to me and never be hungry. Eat this bread, drink this cup, Trust in me and you will not thirst.*

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!**

(prayer of thanksgiving & praise -- ending with the **LORD's prayer**)

...he took bread & after giving thanks to God he broke it & gave it to his disciples saying,

**"Take, eat. This is my body given for you.  
Do this in remembrance of me."**

And in the same way Jesus took the cup, saying:

**"This cup is the new covenant sealed in my blood, shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this in remembrance of me."**

*All who trust in Jesus Christ as Lord are welcome. As you receive the sacrament of communion consider the grace of what Jesus has done for us all and how much God loves you. After all receive, we pray:*

**God, thank You for accepting us as living members of Your Son & our Savior Jesus Christ. Thank you for feeding us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his body and blood. Send us into the world in peace, granting us strength and courage to love and serve You with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord.**

**3-fold Amen. (Amen, Amen, Amen!)**

Some of the flowers for today's service are given in memory of:  
Emmons family members by Ray and Lori Maratea

**“Christ Arose”** Robert Lowry

1 Low in the grave he lay, Jesus my Savior,  
waiting the coming day, Jesus my Lord!

Refrain:

Up from the grave he arose;  
with a mighty triumph o'er his foes;  
he arose a victor from the dark domain,  
and he lives forever, with his saints to reign.  
He arose! He arose! Hallelujah! Christ arose!

2 Vainly they watch his bed, Jesus my Savior,  
vainly they seal the dead, Jesus my Lord! [Refrain]

3 Death cannot keep its prey, Jesus my Savior;  
he tore the bars away, Jesus my Lord! [Refrain]

**“Christ the Lord is Risen Today”** Charles Wesley

1 Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia!  
Earth and heaven in chorus say, Alleluia!  
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!  
Sing, ye heavens, and earth reply, Alleluia!

2 Lives again our glorious King, Alleluia!  
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!  
Once he died our souls to save, Alleluia!  
Where's thy victory, boasting grave? Alleluia!

3 Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia!  
Fought the fight, the battle won, Alleluia!  
Death in vain forbids him rise, Alleluia!  
Christ has opened paradise, Alleluia!

4 Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia!  
Following our exalted Head, Alleluia!  
Made like him, like him we rise, Alleluia!  
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Alleluia!