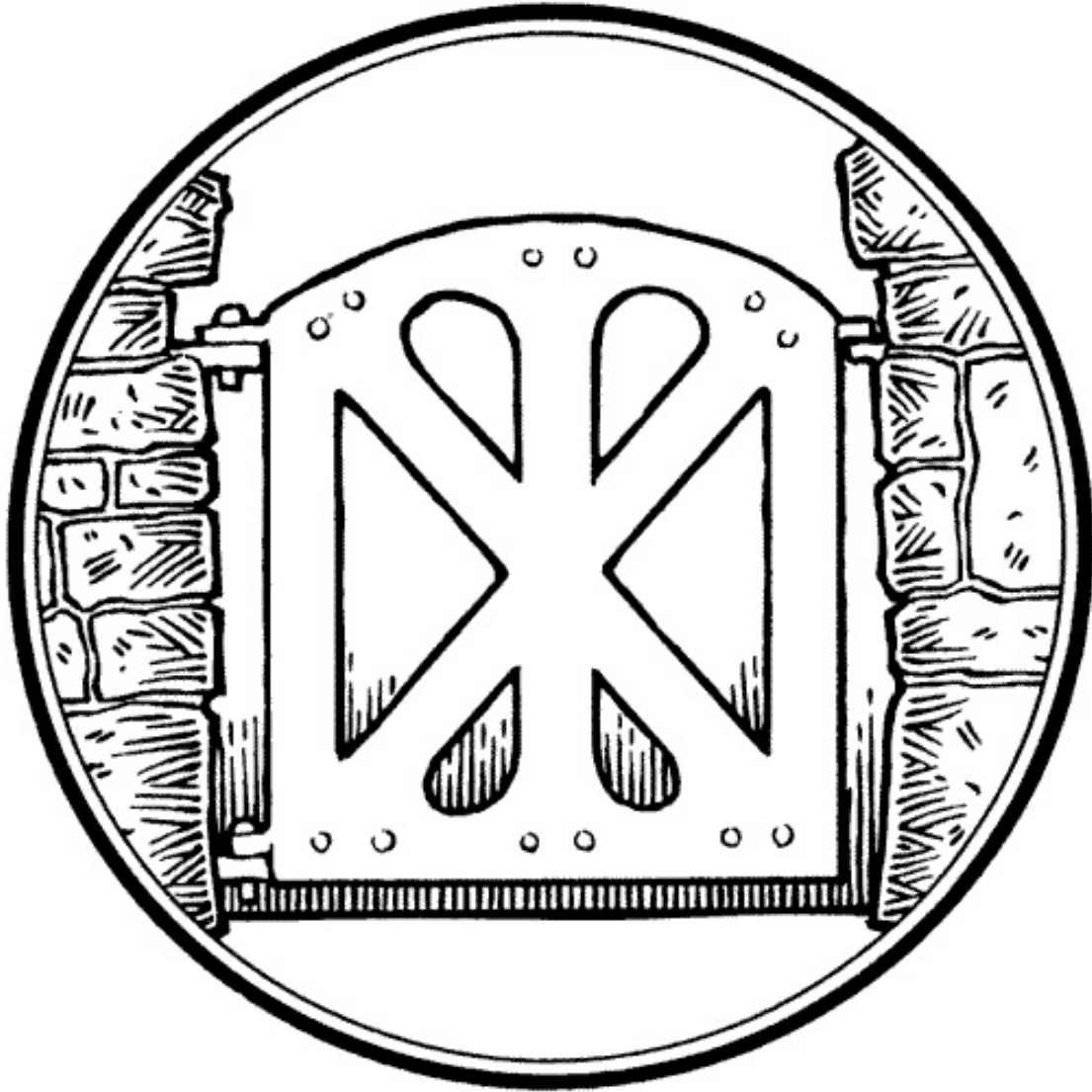


FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER  
*The Good Shepherd*



*“If anyone enters by Me, he will be saved.”*

John 10:9

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# Divine Service, Setting One

*Lutheran Service Book, Pages 151ff.*

**OUR LORD HAS DONE — AND STILL DOES — GREAT THINGS FOR US!** One of the greatest is His giving to us His own body and blood in Holy Communion. We ask guests who desire to commune to kindly speak with the pastor before the service. We practice what is known as “closed communion” because of the Bible’s teaching that doctrinal unity is central to its common reception.

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The LORD is my | shepherd;\*

**I | shall not want.**

He makes me lie down in green | pastures.\*

**He leads me beside still | waters.**

He re- | stores my soul.\*

**He leads me in paths of righteousness for | His name’s sake.**

Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for

You are | with me;\*

**Your rod and Your staff, they | comfort me.**

You prepare a table before me in the presence of my | enemies;\*

**You anoint my head with oil; my cup | overflows.**

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days | of my life,

**and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD for- | ever.**

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\*

**and to the Holy | Spirit;**

as it was in the be- | ginning,\*

**is now, and will be for- | ever.**

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Christ has risen | from the dead.\*

[God the Father] has crowned Him with glory and | honor,  
He has given Him dominion over the works | of His hands;\*

He has put all things un- | der His feet. *adapt. from Mt 28:7; Heb 2:7; Ps 8:6*

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1. Onward, Lutheran laymen, onward in the Lord:  
Pray and give and labor in love and accord.  
Loyal to our Savior, loyal to His Word,  
Serve the Lord with gladness in this tear-filled world.  
Onward, Lutheran laymen, onward in the Lord:  
Pray and give and labor in love and accord.
  
2. Onward, Lutheran laymen; see our glorious tasks,  
Dedicate life's moments to the God of grace.  
Serve your home, the nation, serve the Church you love,  
Till the Master calls you to His home above.  
Onward, Lutheran laymen, onward in the Lord:  
Pray and give and labor in love and accord.

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