SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER APRIL 7, 2024

Easter 2B Psalm 105:1-5, 8; antiphon: 1 Peter 2:2-3

Like newborn infants, long for the pure spiritual milk, that by it you may grow up to salvation— if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good.

Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples!

P Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wondrous works!

Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice!

P Seek the Lord and his strength; seek his presence continually!

Remember the wondrous works that he has done, his miracles, and the judgments he uttered.

P He remembers his covenant forever, the word that he commanded, for a thousand generations.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning is now, and will be forever. Amen.

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CATECHISM

The Second Commandment

You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God.

What does this mean?

We should fear and love God so that we do not curse, swear, use satanic arts, lie, or deceive by His name, but call upon it in every trouble, pray, praise, and give thanks.

LEARN BY HEART 1 Peter 3:15

but in your hearts honor Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and respect,

COLLECT

Almighty God, grant that we, who have celebrated the Lord's resurrection, may by Your grace confess in our life and conversation that Jesus is Lord and God; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY: Acts 3:11-21; 1 Jn 3:1-7; Lk 24:36-49

CONGREGATION AT PRAYER

INVOCATION

INTROIT (front page)

MEDITATION: Portals of Prayer and Catechism

LEARN BY HEART: Bible Verse (front page)

DAILY READINGS:

SU:	4/7	Exodus 20:1–24	Luke 4:1–15
M:	4/8	Exodus 22:20—23:13	Luke 4:16–30
T:	4/9	Exodus 23:14–33	Luke 4:31–44
W:	4/10	Exodus 24:1–18	Luke 5:1–16
TH:	4/11	Exodus 25:1–22 (25:23—30:38)	Luke 5:17–39
F:	4/12	Exodus 31:1–18	Luke 6:1–19
SA:	4/13	Exodus 32:1–14	Luke 6:20–38

HYMN OF THE MONTH: LSB #461 I Know That My Redeemer Lives

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IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

- For faith to live in the promises of Holy Baptism; for one's calling and daily work; for the unemployed
- Birthdays this upcoming week: Jennifer, Conner, Mark, Jim, Kaylin
- Baptism Birthdays this upcoming week: Bethany, Betty, Hannah

COLLECT (front page); LORD'S PRAYER

BENEDICTION

The Lord Almighty bless us and direct our days and our deeds in His peace.

C Amen