Sixth Sunday of Easter May 17, 2009

SALEM EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Sunday School & Bible Classes . . . 9:00 a.m.

Worship . . . . 10:30 a.m.

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PRELUDE - "Toccata in D Minor" - Bach

HYMN - "Jesus Lives! The Victory's Won" - LW 139

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COLLECT OF THE DAY - read by all - (insert)
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FIRST LESSON (insert) - Acts 11:19-30

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EPISTLE (insert) - 1 John 4:1-11
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HYMN OF THE DAY–"The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done" LW 143

SERMON: "Love's Freedom" – John 15:9-17

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PRAYERS FOR TODAY'S NEED AND MISSIONS
(At the words: "Lord, in Your Mercy;"
the congregation responds: "HEAR OUR PRAYER")

SHARING OF THE PEACE & GREETINGS

T H E W O R D IN THE SUPPER

OFFERING - Chorale: "Soul Adorn Thyself with Gladness" – Bach (Rev. 19:8)

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COMMUNION & COMMUNION HYMNS -
"O Living Bread From Heaven" LW 244
"Draw Nigh and Take The Body" – verses 1-5 SH 45
"Alleluia" SH 1

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HYMN - He's Risen, He's Risen" LW 138

POSTLUDE - "The Lord Reigneth" – Psalm 97 - Handel

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= = = ***Mission: SALEM/Peace - As the Father sent me I send you.*** = = =
Vision: Preach – Teach – Heal – doing what Jesus does.

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ASSISTANTS IN TODAY'S WORSHIP

Celebrant . . . Rev. David F. C. Wurster, Ph. D. Lector . . . Fred Bartz Jr.
Organist . . . . Lois L. Jones Prayer Leader . . . Jim Carr
Assistants . . . Dave Carlson and Paul Swierczynski
Welcomers . . . . Fred Bartz Jr. and Joanne Kushka
Ushers . . . . . Ken Kushka, Sue Gifford, Barbara Turner, Michael Turner, Russ Alessi Jr.
Altar . . . . . . Claire Carlson and Delores Landwehr

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