**Scripture Readings:**

**Old Testament**

Job 19:23-27a: *I know that my Redeemer lives*

Ecclesiastes 3:1-8:  *For everything there is a season*

Isaiah 25:6-9: *God will swallow up death forever*

Isaiah 40:1, 6-11: *God will gather the lambs*

Isaiah 40:1-11, 28-31: *Comfort my people, says your God*

Isaiah 43:1-3a, 5-7: *I have called you by name*

Isaiah 43:1-3a, 18-19: *I am about to do a new thing*

Isaiah 55:1-3, 6-13: *Everyone who thirsts, come to the waters*

Isaiah 61:1-3: *The spirit of the Lord GOD is upon me*

Isaiah 65:17-20, 23-25: *A new heaven and a new earth*

Isaiah 66:10-14: *As a mother comforts her child*

Jeremiah 31:8-13: *I will turn their mourning into joy*

Lamentations 3:22-26, 31-33: *The steadfast love of the LORD*

**Psalm**

Psalm 23: *The LORD is my shepherd*

Psalm 42:1-5: *As a deer longs for flowing streams*

Psalm 46:1-7: *God is our refuge and strength*

Psalm 121: *I lift up my eyes to the hills*

Psalm 139:7-12: *The gracious omnipresence of the LORD*

Psalm 142:1-6: *I cry to the LORD with my voice*

Psalm 143: *LORD, hear my prayer*

**New Testament**

Romans 5:1-11: *Peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ*

Romans 8:31-35, 37-39: *Who will separate us from the love of Christ?*

1 Corinthians 15:12-26: *Christ, the first fruits, has been raised*

2 Corinthians 4:6-12, 16-18: *Treasure in clay jars*

1 Thessalonians 4:13-14, 18: *Teaching about those who have died*

Hebrews 12:1-2: *Surrounded by a cloud of witnesses*

1 Peter 1:3-9: *A living hope through Jesus' resurrection*

1 John 3:1-2: *See what love the Father has given us*

Revelation 7:9-17:  *God will wipe away every tear*

Revelation 21:2-7: *I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem*

Revelation 22:1-5: *The Lord God will be their light*

**Gospel**

Matthew 5:1-10: *Blessed are those who mourn*

Matthew 11:25-30: *I will give you rest*

Matthew 18:1-5, 10-14: *A child is the greatest in the kingdom*

Mark 10:13-16: *Let the little children come*

Mark 16:1-7: *The resurrection of Christ*

Luke 24:1-9: *he resurrection of Christ*

John 1:1-5, 9-14: *The light shines in the darkness*

John 6:37-40: *I will raise them up on the last day*

John 10:11-16: *I am the good shepherd*

John 11:21-27: *I am the resurrection and the life*

John 14:1-6: *I prepare a place for you*

John 14:25-27: *Peace I leave with you*

**At the graveside**

Psalm 23: *The LORD is my shepherd*

Psalm 90: *Our dwelling place in all generations*

Psalm 118:  *God's steadfast love endures forever*

Psalm 130: *Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD*

Isaiah 41:9b-10: *Do not be afraid, for I am with you*

Matthew 11:28-29: *I will give you rest*

John 11:25-26: *I am the resurrection and the life*

John 14:27: *Peace I leave with you*

Romans 14:7-9: *Whether we live or whether we die, we are the Lord's*

Revelation 1:17-18: *Do not be afraid, I am the first and the last*

Revelation 14:13: *Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord*

 **Hymns (***Numbers are out of ELW***):**

308: O Morning Star, How Fair and Bright!

313: O Lord, Now Let Your Servant

351, 352: O Sacred Head, Now Wounded

377: Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen!

381: Peace, to Soothe Our Bitter Woes

391: This Joyful Eastertide

409: Kyrie! God, Father

422: For All the Saints

423: Shall We Gather at the River

429: In Our Day of Thanksgiving

447: O Blessed Spring

483: Here Is Bread

500: Now We Remain

502: The King of Love My Shepherd Is

531: The Trumpets Sound, the Angels Sing

595: Jesus Loves Me!

613: Thy Holy Wings

621: Jesus Lives, My Sure Defense

622: Neither Death nor Life

629: Abide with Me

636: How Small Our Span of Life

637: Holy God, Holy and Glorious

639: When We Are Living

721: Goodness Is Stronger than Evil

730: Lord Our God, with Praise We Come

750: Lord, Thee I Love with All My Heart

759: My Faith Looks Up to Thee

760: O Christ the Same

770: Give Me Jesus

773: Precious Lord, Take My Hand

778: The Lord's My Shepherd

786: O Holy Spirit, Enter In

787: On Eagle's Wings

815 : I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light

826: Thine the Amen

856: How Great Thou Art