

Wednesday, May 11th, 2022
Fourth Sunday of Easter

Welcome & Announcements

*Opening Hymn

"Alleluia! Jesus is Risen!"

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1. Alleluia! Jesus is risen! Trumpets resounding in glorious light! Splendor, the Lamb, heaven forever! Oh what a miracle God has in sight! Jesus is risen and we shall arise. Give God the glory! Alleluia!
2. Walking the way, Christ in the center telling the story to open our eyes; breaking our bread, giving us glory: Jesus our blessing, our constant surprise. Jesus is risen and we shall arise. Give God the glory! Alleluia!
3. Jesus the vine, we are the branches; life in the Spirit the fruit of the tree; heaven to earth, Christ to the people, gift of the future now flowing to me. Jesus is risen and we shall arise. Give God the glory! Alleluia!
4. Weeping, be gone; sorrow, be silent; death put a sunder, and Easter is bright. Cherubim sing; O grave, be open! Clothe us in wonder, adorn us in light. Jesus is risen and we shall arise. Give God the glory! Alleluia!

*Dialog

P: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

C: Therefore we will not fear, though the earth should change, though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea;

P: The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge.

C: Come, behold the works of the Lord, he breaks the bow, and shatters the spear; he burns the shields with fire.

P: "Be still, and know that I am God!"

C: The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge.

*Prayer of the Day:

P: Let us pray together,

C: O God of peace, you brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, the great shepherd of the sheep. By the blood of your eternal covenant, make us complete in everything good that we may do your will, and work among us all that is well pleasing in your sight, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever, Amen.

First Reading: Acts 9:36-43

Now in Joppa there was a disciple whose name was Tabitha, which in Greek is Dorcas. She was devoted to good works and acts of charity. At that time she became ill and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in a room upstairs. Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, who heard that Peter was there, sent two men to him with the request, "Please come to us without delay." So Peter got up and went with them; and when he arrived, they took him to the room upstairs. All the widows stood beside him, weeping and showing tunics and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was with them. Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, "Tabitha, get up." Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. Meanwhile he stayed in Joppa for some time with a certain Simon, a tanner.

Psalms 23 (read by half verse. Psalms can be found after pg. 338 and before the hymns)

Second Reading: Revelation 7:9-17

After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God

forever and ever! Amen.” Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, “Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?” I said to him, “Sir, you are the one that knows.” Then he said to me, “These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat; for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

*Holy Gospel: John 10:22-30

At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, “How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly.” Jesus answered, “I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father’s name testify to me; but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father’s hand. The Father and I are one.”

Children’s Sermon

Pastor Brad

Sermon

Pastoral Intern Katie Wagner

*Hymn of the Day:

“Hail Thee, Festival Day”

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1. Hail thee, festival day! Blest day to be hallowed forever; day when our Lord was raised, breaking the kingdom of death. All the fair beauty of earth from the death of the winter arising! Ev’ry good gift of the year now with its master returns
2. Hail thee, festival day! Blest day to be hallowed forever; day when our Lord was raised, breaking the kingdom of death. Rise from the grave now, O Lord, the author of life and creation. Treading the path-way of death, new life you give to us all
3. Hail thee, festival day! Blest day to be hallowed forever; day when our Lord was raised, breaking the kingdom of death. God the Almighty, the Lord, the ruler of earth and the heavens, guard us from harm without; cleanse us from evil within
4. Hail thee, festival day! Blest day to be hallowed forever; day when our Lord was raised, breaking the kingdom of death. Jesus, the health of the world, enlighten our minds, great redeemer, Son of the Father supreme, only begotten of God

*The Apostle’s Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*The Prayers:

Each petition ends with: P: Lord, in your mercy, C: Hear our prayer.

*The Peace:

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always. C: And also with you.

We invite you to share the peace in the manner you are most comfortable with. Please respect others during this time, knowing that someone may not be comfortable sharing the peace with you in the same manner.

Offering

Offertory Hymn:

“Let us Talents and Tongues Employ”

ELW 674

1. Let us talents and tongues employ, reaching out with a shout of joy: bread is broken, the wine is poured, Christ is spoken and seen and heard. Jesus lives again, earth can breathe again, pass the Word around: loaves abound!
2. Christ is able to make us one, at the table he sets the tone, teaching people to live to bless, love in word

and in deed express. Jesus lives again, earth can breathe again, pass the Word around: loaves abound!

3. Jesus calls us in, sends us out bearing fruit in a world of doubt, gives us love to tell, bread to share: God (Immanuel) ev'rywhere! Jesus lives again, earth can breathe again, pass the Word around: loaves abound!

*The Lord's Prayer:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

*Benediction and Sending

P: May the Lord bless you and keep you. May the Lord's face shine upon you and be gracious to you. May the Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace, in the name of the Father and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. C: Amen.

P: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. C: THANKS BE TO GOD!

*Closing Hymn

"Christ is Alive! Let Christians Sing"

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1. Christ is alive! Let Christians sing. The cross stands empty to the sky. Let streets and homes with praises ring. Love, drowned in death, shall never die.
2. Christ is alive! No longer bound to distant years in Palestine, but saving, healing, here and now, and touching ev'ry place and time.
3. In ev'ry insult, rift, and war, where color, scorn, or wealth divide, Christ suffers still, yet loves the more, and lives, where even hope has died.
4. Women and men, in age and youth, can feel the Spirit, hear the call, and find the way, the life, the truth, revealed in Jesus, freed for all.

Postlude

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sign-up to mow the church lawn We have a riding lawn mower for you to use or you can bring your own. Sign-up on the table in the Narthex.

Vacation Bible School! Sign-up today for VBS on June 13-17th, 9 am till 2:00 pm every day for ages 4-6th grade. Cost is \$10 per student.

VBS Snacks Needed: Sign-up in the Narthex to provide snacks for Vacation Bible School in June.

Graduate Recognition AND Men's Band Sunday May 22nd at 9 am.

Thank you to everyone who helped and donated to our Savers Donation Fundraiser!

Simply Giving Mania! From May 1st till June 5th, if you join our automated giving program *Simply Giving* or increase your current *Simply Giving* by \$5 a month, you will get entered into a drawing to win four tickets. What tickets? YOUR CHOICE! Choices are: Brewers-Twins game at Target Field, an event at the Pablo Center in Eau Claire, or an event at the Mabel Tainter in Menomonie. Tickets to the Pablo or Mabel will also include a gift certificate for you to get dinner before the show! Pick up a form on the round table in the Narthex or included in the Good News.

Women of Trinity- Please sign up for the summer cake walk and bring your delicious bake goods! Sign up is on the table in the Narthex.

Serving Our Lord and Church

Pastor: Bradley K. Peterson
Pastoral Intern: Katie Wagner
Parish Manager: Andrea McVeigh
Organists: Ginny Waller, Lee Peshaw
Acolytes: Zoey & Zach Hellendrung

Ministers: All Baptized Believers
Ushers: Wendell Andrews, Tony Hellendrung, Perry Johnson
Altar Guild: Helen Rosen & Diane Andrews
Fellowship: Zoey & Zach Hellendrung & Bradley Maes

Schedule For The Week of May 8-15

Sunday	9:00am	Worship
	9:45am	Sunday School
Monday	10:00am	Bible Study
Tuesday	9:00am	Quilting
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Worship
Thursday	10am	Card Club Fellowship
Sunday	9am	Worship w/Holy Communion
	9:45am	Sunday School

Our Prayer Concerns

Carol Erickson	Saul Hedlund	Mike Kietzer	Scott Anderson
Leona Steies	Kaleb Humpal	Easton Riek	Kayden Ebersperger
Jennifer Marlett	Brad Stevens	Ben Schlosser	Shirley Mittlestadt
Randee Mayer	Ted Erickson	Beverlye Thompson	Vaughn Hedlund
Willard Tronrud	Tom Lohfink	Gaylan Nerison	Gary Gilbertson
Jeanna Hollister	Ashley Behling	Lynda Swenson	
Shannon Bauer	Dick Clack		

Weekly Devotions

Sunday:	2 Corinth 5:16-21	Monday:	2 Corinth 6:1-10	Tuesday:	2 Corinth 6:11-13
Wednesday:	2 Corinth 6:14-7:1	Thursday:	2 Corinth 7:2-4	Friday:	2 Corinth 7:5-13
Saturday:	2 Corinth 7:14-16	Sunday:	2 Corinth 8:1-7		

Trinity Lutheran Church exists to support its members in proclaiming the Word of God so that all may know the peace, joy, and fulfillment that comes through Jesus Christ

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