

Easter 2
Sunday Worship

April 11, 2021

Livestream at 8:30 am | On TV channel 18 at 11 am

We continue to be the church in all circumstances.

Because God
first loved us,
we live as Jesus in the world,
loving God and
loving neighbor.

We are so glad you joined us for worship! Our shared ministry continues.

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude *Rise Now, My Heart, with Gladness* – Johan Cruge

Thanksgiving for Baptism

Gathering Hymn *Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen* – Words on screen

Prayer of the Day

Reading Acts 4: 32-35

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel John 20: 19-31

Children's Message

Message – The Rev. Dr. Chris Bellefeuille

Musical Reflection *We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight* – Howard Helvey

Prayers of the Church

Peace

Offering

Offering Prayer

Communion *Dona nobis pacem/Grant us peace* – Traditional

Communion Blessing & Prayer

Sending Hymn *Rise, O Church, like Christ Arisen* – Words on screen

Blessing

Dismissal

Postlude *Christ is Arisen* – setting, F. Ashdown

PARTICIPANTS

Song Leader – Mary Schneider
Assisting Minister – Angie Hong
Worship Director & Organist
– Carol Carver

PASTORS

The Rev. Dr. Chris Bellefeuille
The Rev. Peter Weston Miller



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Donate bed sheets and cotton quilting fabric to Trinity's Quilting Ministry beginning TODAY at Drive-in Worship! During pandemic Trinity's quilting ministry has continued to make and send quilts to Lutheran World Relief and to a local kids/new beds program. We've found that bed sheets are the most economical way to back our quilts. We are asking for the donation of new or gently-used sheets as well as regular cotton quilting fabric. Patterns and colors are preferred, but white will also work. ALL sizes flat sheets, king or queen fitted. Look for the special bin at drive-in worship.

ADULT FAITH FORUM: April Focus – Caring for Creation Sunday, April 11 at 11 am on Zoom
Join at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83989674185>

The focus in April will be on caring for God's Creation in the St. Croix Valley with Trinity's Green Team. On Sunday, April 11 we will explore: How is Trinity stewarding God's Creation? An overview of projects that our faith community has undertaken focused on sustainability and stewardship. All are invited to join! For more information or to watch previous sessions of the forum, visit: <https://trinitylc.org/learning/adult/adult-ed/>. Questions? Contact Penny Catlin at pccatlin@juno.com.

In-Person Worship at Trinity Begins Sunday, April 18 at 8:30 am Sign up opens Monday, April 12

In-person worship at Trinity will begin on Sunday, April 18 at 8:30 a.m. Sign up is required, as capacity is limited, and to allow for contact tracing. Masks required as well as other safety precautions. (This service will be livestream on Facebook and available online on our web site. Drive-in worship will continue at 10 a.m.) As always, if you have a fever, cough, or are feeling ill, please stay home. Sign up for this service will begin on Monday, April 12. Please note, to be fair to everyone and to streamline the process internally, you will not be able to sign up for multiple Sundays, or Sundays in advance. Each week registration begins Monday for the coming Sunday. You will need to sign up each week. Thank you for your patience as we begin this new journey together. We are the church in all circumstances. Read more details and sign up at: <https://trinitylc.org/worship-music/worship/sign-up-for-worship/>.

One & Done Book Group | Monday, April 12 at 6:30 pm on Zoom My Name Is Asher Lev by Chaim Potok

The One and Done Book Group meets about every two months for a thought-provoking, faith-based discussion of a book chosen by the group. Join us for any book that interests you. The next discussions will be: *My Name Is Asher Lev* by Chaim Potok on April 12 and *Transcendent Kingdom* by Yaa Gyasi on June 7. Contact Ann Wolff for the Zoom link or to borrow books, at 651-260-3855 or wolff701@msn.com.

APRIL FAMILY FAITH EVENT:

Care for Creation Celebration for Earth Day

Sunday, April 18 at 10:30 am on Trinity's Green Space

Bring a blanket and join all families for a time of celebrating God's incredible creation! If weather does not permit us to meet as planned, families are invited to pick up materials on the 18th to celebrate at home. We will hear a story, pray for our earth, pick up a scavenger hunt and grass project to do at home, enjoy a treat and hear more about Trinity's pollinator project. RSVP not required, but appreciated to solson@trinitylc.org by Monday, April 12. Read more at: <https://trinitylc.org/learning/family>.

YogaDevotion Next Session

April 29 – June 17 | Thursdays at 9 a.m. | \$72 for 8 weeks

Come and experience God's presence through the practice of yoga. Meeting online through Zoom. Once registered you will receive an email with a link to the Zoom meeting. All levels and abilities welcome! Read more and register at: <https://trinitylc.org/congregational-life/care/yoga/>.

Retired Men's Group Weekly Bible Study Wednesdays at 10:30 am on Zoom

Join Zoom Meeting at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2926021691?pwd=T1dFVFE0UHBsSEJzN1ppdmZNRExDZz09>
Meeting ID: 292 602 1691 | Passcode: 610560

Join us on Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. on Zoom for Bible study and fellowship. Note: Kowalski's is not allowing large groups in their dining area, so in person meetings have been postponed until further notice. Updates will be posted at: <https://trinitylc.org/congregational-life/connections/retired-mens-group-rmg/>.

Talk & Tea | Saturday, May 8 at 10:30 am on Zoom (Note the date is May 8, not May 23 as previously published.) Our speaker and special guest for the morning is the Rev. Teresa Blythe, author of *50 Ways to Pray*, *Spiritual Direction 101* and *Incline Your Ear: Cultivating Spiritual Awakening in Congregations*. Read more and RSVP at: <https://trinitylc.org/congregational-life/special-event/>.

Save the date for an all-outdoor Vacation Bible School the week of July 12! We're all on God's team! Ages 4-9 are invited to join us the week of July 12 from 6:30 to 8 p.m. for a fun-filled week of outdoor Vacation Bible School. Programming runs Monday through Thursday evenings with Friday serving as a back-up rain day. Registration coming soon!

150th Anniversary: God's Story Still Unfolding

We want to hear from you and invite your contributions in celebrating our big birthday this year. For now, please save July 19, 2021 for birthday cake and ice cream on the green space. And Sept. 18-19 for a larger party, festival worship and a sermon from our bishop! Members of our 150th team are working on the following areas: Birthday party (July) and TrinityFEST party (September) – Alyce and David Brekke; Archives and history – Norma Wilson, Eric Trosdahl and Larry Loyer; Treasured garments and historic fashion – Emily Karlsrud and Marie Saterbak; and Story Cookbook – Zanny Johnson and Linda Flood. If you are interested in a particular area or celebration, please send email to info@trinitylc.org and we will get it to the appropriate person. Read more about the planning and the coupon below, and take our poll at: <https://trinitylc.org/welcome/who-we-are/history/>.

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