

Easter 3
Sunday Worship
April 18, 2021
Drive-in at 10 am

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

SAFE WORSHIP RESTRICTIONS

1. If you are sick or have been exposed to someone with COVID-19, stay home.
2. Face masks are required.
3. Park 8-feet apart within the markings and according to the usher's instructions.
4. If you wish to get out of your vehicle, please use your own lawn chairs and put them directly in front of your vehicle.
5. Maintain physical distance from those not in your household. Refrain from gathering in groups.
6. We will not be serving coffee and treats, but feel free to bring your own! Do not share food or drink between cars.

PARTICIPANTS

Phil Kadidlo – Worship Director,
Musician

PASTORS

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



Tune radio to
91.9 FM

Turn key to "ACC" for minimal battery usage

We continue to be the church in all circumstances.

Gathering Music *I Still Believe* – DeGuardio, Busbee, Dean

Welcome

Opening Litany

This is the day of the living God.

Today is the day of the resurrected Jesus.

Today life begins anew for all people, through repentance and faith.

This is the day of salvation through our resurrected Lord.

This very day we can reach out and touch and know that God is real.

Today we raise up the name of Jesus, the Risen One. Alleluia!

Opening Song *All the Earth Will Sing Your Praises* – Baloché

REFRAIN

You lived, you died, you said in three days you would rise;

You did! You're alive!

You rule, you reign; you said you're coming back again;

I know...you will; and all the earth will sing your praises.

All the earth will sing your praises.

You took, you take our sins away, O God

You give, you gave your life away for us

You came down, you saved us through the cross

Our hearts are changed because of your great love! (Refrain)

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Prayer of the Day

Let us pray

**Holy and righteous God, you are the author of life,
and you adopt us to be your children.**

Fill us with your words of life, that we may live

as witnesses to the resurrection of your Son,

Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord,

who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

one God, now and forever. Amen.

Hymn *Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds* – Strodach

Now all the vault of heav'n resounds...in praise of love that still abounds:

"Christ has triumphed! He is living!"

Sing, choirs of angels, loud and clear! Repeat their song of glory here:

"Christ has triumphed! He is living!" Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Eternal is the gift he brings, therefore our heart with rapture sings:

"Christ has triumphed! He is living!"

Now still he comes to give us life, and by his presence stills all strife.

"Christ has triumphed! He is living!" Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Oh, fill us, Lord, with dauntless love; set heart and will on things above
that we conquer through your triumph;

Grant grace sufficient for life's day, that by our lives we truly say:

"Christ has triumphed! He is living!" Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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Reading Luke 24: 36b-48

Message

– The Rev. Dr. Chris Bellefeuille

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. Bedsheets 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! Read more at: <https://trinitylc.org/learning/adult/adult-ed/>.

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

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.) 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. Read more details and sign up at: <https://trinitylc.org/worship-music/worship/sign-up-for-worship/>.

150th Anniversary: God's Story Still Unfolding

We want to hear from you and invite your contributions in celebrating our big birthday this year. Read more about the planning, download a coupon, and take our poll at: <https://trinitylc.org/welcome/who-we-are/history/>.

Song *The Peace of the Lord (La paz del Señor)* – Ruuth

The peace of the Lord, the peace of the Lord, the peace of the risen Lord Jesus:
the peace of the Lord is for you and for me, and also for all of God's children.
The peace of the Lord is for you and for me, and also for all of God's children.

The peace of the Lord, the peace of the Lord, the peace of the risen Lord Jesus:
the peace of the Lord is among us right now, so open yourselves to receive it.
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The peace of the Lord, the peace of the Lord, the peace of the risen Lord Jesus:
the peace of the Lord kept within cannot live, so open yourselves now to share it.
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Text: Ander Ruuth, tr. Gerhard M. Cartford; Music: Anders Ruuth.

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Prayers of the People

Communion – The Great Thanksgiving

God is with us.

Yesterday, today and forever.

Let us lift up our hearts.

We lift them up to God.

Let us give thanks for the abiding love of God.

It is wonderful to give our thanks and praise to God.

Lord's Prayer (1975)

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Sending

Please drop your offering in the collection receptacle as you exit. Thank you!

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Download the Give Plus Church (Give+) app to your smartphone. Under Find Church, enter: Trinity Lutheran Church.

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>.



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