

THURSDAY, APRIL 15 & SUNDAY, APRIL 18, 2021
THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER (HERE I STAND)

TRINITY

LUTHERAN CHURCH



WELCOME

Our Lutheran Church brings Jesus Christ and His Word to people in the 21st Century, to you and to me. Life is Jesus Christ and the wonderful forgiveness and salvation that we have because of His obedience, His death upon Calvary's cross, and His resurrection with heaven and eternal life to come.

Life is Jesus Christ with the great salvation, forgiveness, and eternal life that He gives us as our Savior. May you experience that life in your Savior Jesus Christ as you worship with us this morning.

We welcome you to make our Trinity Lutheran Church and School your church home and family. Meet our pastor and participate with us in growing in Christ through our Bible studies, Sunday School, youth activities, family activities, and more.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

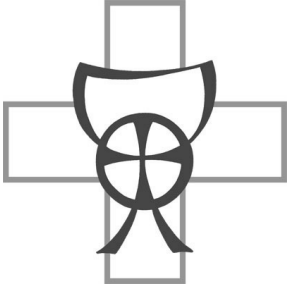
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SERMON	Pastor Watkins
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Masks are required for all services until further notice.

Masks are meant to protect other people in case the wearer is unknowingly infected, but does not have symptoms. We ask also that you would practice social distancing. Please do not throw your mask away in the church. Take it with you and dispose of it at home. Also, please take your bulletin home with you. We are not reusing them for services.

HOLY COMMUNION



According to Scripture, Holy Communion should be celebrated by those who are: **United in a common faith** (1 Cor. 10:16-17, 21-22, Rom. 16:17); **Repentant of sins** (1 Cor. 5:11, Matt. 18:17-18); **Able to examine their lives** (1 Cor. 11:27-29); and believe that in this precious meal they receive the **true body and blood** of Jesus given and shed for their sins (Luke 22:19-22). Since Scripture teaches that those people who do not fully

understand the meaning of this meal eat and drink to their own harm (1 Cor. 11:27-29), and because the Lord's Supper is the supreme act of stating our unity in faith and doctrine, we would ask those people who are visiting with us to speak with the Pastor, preferably prior to the day of worship, in order that we might fulfill our responsibility of properly instructing people in the right use of the precious Sacrament.

HOLY BAPTISM



To quote "Lutheran Small Catechism with Explanation", "Baptism is not just plain water, but it is the water included in God's command and combined with God's Word." We believe and teach that babies and children should be baptized as soon after birth as possible. For adults, who can come to faith through hearing the Word, we usually baptize after they have been instructed in the Christian faith.

SACRAMENTS

THE PREACHING OF REPENTANCE AND FORGIVENESS OF SINS MAKES US PURE

The risen Lord Jesus taught His disciples "that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead" and "that repentance for the forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations" (Luke 24:46-47). Therefore, St. Peter preaches repentance and forgiveness to the people of Jerusalem. As he proclaims that Jesus fulfilled all that "God foretold by the mouth of all the prophets" (Acts 3:18), he also convicts the people of their sin, because they "delivered over and denied" this Lord Jesus and "killed the Author of life." Yet God "glorified his servant Jesus" and raised Him from the dead (Acts 3:13-15). St. Peter calls the people to repent, so that their "sins may be blotted out, that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord" (Acts 3:19-20). Through this forgiveness of sins and by faith in this forgiveness, the Father shows His love for us in order that "we should be called children of God; and so we are" (1 John 3:1). Thus, we hope in Him and are made pure even "as he is pure," because "he appeared in order to take away sins, and in him there is no sin" (1 John 3:3, 5).

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

WEEK OF APR 18

SUNDAY

Ex 32:15–35
Luke 6:39–49

MONDAY

Ex 33:1–23
Luke 7:1–17

TUESDAY

Ex 34:1–28
Luke 7:18–35

WEDNESDAY

Ex 34:29—35:21
Luke 7:36–50

THURSDAY

Ex 38:21—39:8,
22–23, 27–31
Luke 8:1–21

FRIDAY

Ex 39:32—40:16
Luke 8:22–39

SATURDAY

Ex 40:17–38
Luke 8:40–56

INTROIT - PSALM 27:3–5

L: In your presence there is fullness of joy;

C: at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

L: I will extol you, O Lord, for you have drawn me up

C: and have not let my foes rejoice over me.

L: O Lord my God, I cried to you for help,

C: and you have healed me.

L: O Lord, you have brought up my soul from Sheol;

C: you restored me to life from among those who go down to the pit.

L: Sing praises to the Lord, O you his saints,

C: and give thanks to his holy name.

L: For his anger is but for a moment, and his favor is for a lifetime.

C: Weeping may tarry for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

[GLORIA PATRI SUNG - p 186]

COLLECT OF THE DAY

O God, through the humiliation of Your Son You raised up the fallen world. Grant to Your faithful people, rescued from the peril of everlasting death, perpetual gladness and eternal joys; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

[AMEN SUNG - p 189]

FIRST LESSON - ACTS 3:11–21

While [the lame man who was now healed] clung to Peter and John, all the people ran together to them in the portico called Solomon's, astounded. And when Peter saw it he addressed the people: "Men of Israel, why do you wonder at this, or why do you stare at us, as though by our own power or piety we have made him walk? The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our fathers, glorified his servant Jesus, whom you delivered over and denied in the presence of Pilate, when he had decided to release him. But you denied the Holy and Righteous One, and asked for a murderer to be granted to you, and you killed the Author of life, whom God raised from the dead. To this we are witnesses. And his name—by faith in his name—has made this man strong whom you see and know, and the faith that is through Jesus has given the man this perfect health in the presence of you all. "And now, brothers, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did also your rulers. But what God foretold by the mouth of all the prophets, that his Christ would suffer, he thus fulfilled. Repent therefore, and turn again, that your sins may be blotted out, that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord, and that he may send the Christ appointed for

you, Jesus, whom heaven must receive until the time for restoring all the things about which God spoke by the mouth of his holy prophets long ago.”

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL

Christ has risen from the dead. [God the Father] has crowned him with glory and honor. He has given him dominion over the works of his hands; he has put all things under his feet.

EPISTLE LESSON - 1 JOHN 3:1-7

See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God’s children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure. Everyone who makes a practice of sinning also practices lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. You know that he appeared to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. No one who abides in him keeps on sinning; no one who keeps on sinning has either seen him or known him. Little children, let no one deceive you. Whoever practices righteousness is righteous, as he is righteous.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

VERSE

Alleluia. We know that Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. Alleluia. Did not our hearts burn within us while he talked to us on the road, while he opened to us the Scriptures? Alleluia.

GOSPEL LESSON - LUKE 24:36-49

As they were talking about these things, Jesus himself stood among them, and said to them, “Peace to you!” But they were startled and frightened and thought they saw a spirit. And he said to them, “Why are you troubled, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? See my hands and my feet, that it is I myself. Touch me, and see. For a spirit does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have.” And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. And while they still disbelieved for joy and were marveling, he said to them, “Have you anything here to eat?” They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate before them. Then he said to them, “These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled.” Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures, and said to them, “Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. And behold, I am sending the promise of my Father upon you. But stay in the city until you are clothed with power from on high.”

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

SUNDAY

8:00 am Worship/Communion
 9:15/30 am Sunday School/Bible Class
 10:30 am Worship

MONDAY

7:00 pm Voters Meeting

TUESDAY

8:30 am Quilting
 6:30 pm Parish Ed
 7:00 pm Elders Call Night
 7:00 pm LWML General Meeting

WEDNESDAY

12:35 pm Chapel
 1:00 pm Willing Workers
 6:00 pm Praise Hlm Chorus

THURSDAY

5:30 pm Worship
 7:00 pm Adult Catechism

GROW IN CHRIST

SUNDAY SCHOOL: 3 year olds - high school meet at 9:15 am in the Sanctuary.

BIBLE CLASSES: 1) *Sip, Savor, & Drink Deeply* with Karen Sprock – meets in the conference room outside the kitchen 2) *Our Faith and Life in Christ* with Pastor Watkins – meets in the lunchroom 3) *The Truth Project* with Dan Sprengeler – meets in the 6-8th Grade Classroom

PRAYER LIST

HEALTH ISSUES: Robert Lebo, Hannah Anderson, Katie Andorf, Marvel Behn, Bret Bjustrom, Ashley & Justin Breese, Bob Brown, Lexy Chadourne, Dave Clark, Donna Crouse, Gordon Davis, Milo Denner, Darcia Duffy, Charlotte Elsberry, Chris Erickson, Darlene Ferguson, Glen Forster, Corey Fowler, Vicki Hennings, Larry Hock, Mary Hobbs, Dan Houston, Roger Howard, Shelley Jergens, Robert Jorgensen, Jack Johnson, Jackson Larsen, Gus Linn, Esther Long, Ross Loudon, Gene Mackey, Pat Mackey, Dick Martin, Karen Menz, Robin Mitchell, Sharon Mundt, David Peperkorn, Dawn Range, Don Romig, Pam Sassman, Jim Schroeder, Francis Simmerman, Rose Simmerman, Don & Ronda Strhuenburg, Jaime Webster, Alice Westrum, Shelley Winchel, Isaiah Williams, Helen Wilhite

MILITARY PERSONNEL: John Frank, Trevn Lee, Ali Lee, Dallas Kvach, Elijah Leininger, Nicholas Timm, Jonathon Thompson, Aaron Walsh, Christian Lozier, Dalton Andersen, Brandon Laubscher, Tim Carr, Nate Seagren, Mike Schminke

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES: Cale & Stephanie Hennings, Anthony & Janna Moyer

COMFORT: to Darlene Ferguson and her family upon the death of Darlene’s granddaughter, Cheylin Garber. May the Lord give you peace and comfort all who mourn.

BLESSING: that the Lord would bless us with an Associate Pastor from the Seminary Candidates.

HEALING & PROTECTION: those who have COVID-19, protect families and all people, stop the spread.

OTHER: Those in nursing homes/care centers, Lutherans for Life, Stephen Ministries, Missionaries

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU: to everyone who said prayers and all who have reached out to me with comfort upon the death of my granddaughter, Cheylin. Please continue to keep me and my family in your prayers and that the Lord will comfort us and help us find peace with our loss. -Darlene Ferguson

LOIS KUHL SCHOLARSHIP: This scholarship was created and funded by Lois L. Kuhl, long time member of Trinity Lutheran Church. Any Trinity student graduating from high school or already enrolled in college/vocational school is eligible to apply. Application deadline for the 2021-2022 school year is May 15, 2021. Applications may be found on the table in the new Narthex.

ADVENTURELAND TICKETS: Trinity is able to get discounted Adventure Land tickets. The dates are May 1 & 2 and May 8 & 9. Tickets are \$30 per person. If interested contact the church office.

LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICES: With the change of seasons comes new life, blossoms, and a multitude of color instead of the shades of gray, black and white of winter. Springtime provides a visual representation of the change that Christ makes in our hearts: "Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!" 2 Corinthians 5:17. As you welcome and recognize signs of spring, remember you, too, are being renewed. Look for signs of that renewal this week! Lutheran Family Service - www.LutheranFamilyService.org

STEWARDSHIP

TRINITY BOARDS: Are you interested in becoming more involved at Trinity? Please consider joining a Board - Trustees, Parish Education, Evangelism, Stewardship, Social Action, Youth, Assimilation, Public Relations, Parish Fellowship, and Older Adult Ministry. For more information, please check the Annual Report, Constitution, or contact the church office.

CHURCH PIANO: The black piano at the front of the church needs to be replaced. Keys don't stay in tune no matter how many times they have been fixed. This piano is used several times a week at choir and Chapel. If interested in donating towards a new one please mark "Church Piano" on your check or envelope.

ELECTRONIC GIVING: You now have the ability to make your contributions via GivePlus Mobile App or online (trinitylutheranboone.com) find the menu and you will see Electronic Giving at the bottom. Click on that and you will see the sign-up page. There are also tutorials on how to use the services. These are great ways to still support our church when you can't attend services.

HELPING HANDS: Contact the church office if you or any member of Trinity you know needs assistance (a meal delivered, a bulletin delivered, errands run, etc.) or if you would be willing to be on our list of helpers.

CHURCH NEEDS: The church could use any unopened hand sanitizer, masks or postages stamps you would be willing to donate.

UPCOMING EVENTS

VOTERS MEETING: Our next Voter’s Meeting is Monday, April 19, at 7:00 pm. Please plan to attend and help spread the word. Voter’s meeting packets are available at both entrances.

RADIO BROADCAST: Today’s radio broadcast is sponsored to the glory of God in memory of Robert Krumm, from his wife, Marilou Krumm. Broadcasts are heard each Sunday at 10:00 am on KWBG radio, 1590 AM. To sponsor a broadcast (\$82), or if you would like a copy of the broadcast please contact the church office.

PARISH HALL WINDOWS: Please be sure that if you open the windows on the west wall in the Parish Hall you shut and LOCK them. Those windows are street level to the parking lot and alley.

DOORS: Please be sure to check that the doors are latching and locked when you are leaving the building. We have had doors left unlocked/unlatched recently.

REMINDER: We do still have our black mailbox outside the elevator entrance that you can drop your contributions off in at any time. The box is locked at all times and checked several times a week.

EMAIL LIST: Please email the church office to get on our congregational email list. Get notifications on Voter’s meetings, our monthly newsletter, and other important events happening at Trinity.

TRINITY'S FACEBOOK: www.facebook.com/trinitylutheranboone

ATTENDANCE & OFFERING

General Fund	\$6,354
Tuition	\$347.47
House Removal	\$72
Church Piano	\$1,547
Social Action	\$10
Confirmation	\$144.50
School Care	\$100
Trinity School	\$50
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Worship	
Thursday	51
Sunday	200

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Dave Oppedahl - 5:30 pm
Daniel Sprengeler - 8:00 am
Rich Muller - 10:30 am

USHERS

Lester Ross - 5:30 pm
Bill Hasstedt - 5:30 pm
Bill Skare - 8:00 am
John Hasstedt - 10:30 am

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS

Gerald Luedtke - 8:00 am
Daniel Sprengeler - 8:00 am