



Second Sunday  
of Easter

Contemporary Worship  
11:00 am  
April 16, 2023



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LUTHERAN CHURCH

Youth Sunday

## What's Happening

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### See a youth, thank a youth: It's Youth Weekend

Our youth are Trinity's future, so let's give them an extra thank you and acknowledgment, whether or not they have a role in this

weekend's worship. Those who do have a part in our weekend services are wearing name tags, so look for those, including these seven youth who are delivering the message: **Jacob Albert, Max Bustamante, Ethan Erdley, Seth Erdley, Gabe Hoffman, Lauren Savidge, Jackson Seivard**. Thank you, thank you!

### Happy Anniversary, Trinity! Party next week, plus yearlong celebrations

April 24 is the actual day. Here's a sample of how we'll celebrate:

- **Sun., Apr. 23, 10 am.** Cake, balloons, mark-your-milestone timeline, trivia game, prizes, fun
- **Sun., May 21, noon-2 pm.** Community May Fair
- **Sun., June 25, noon-2 pm.** Strawberry Festival – yum!
- **Sun., Sept. 10, 9 am-noon.** Impact Lives Day with a single 9 am worship service followed by service options for everyone
- **Sun., Nov. 19, 3 pm.** Special Anniversary Concert + reception



### Starting this Sunday: Take a deep dive into the Lord's Prayer

Sundays, April 16 through May 21, 10 am, Rm. 122. Adam Hamilton's Bible study will redirect how you recite the Lord's Prayer. Class led by Beth Bard.

### Also starting this Sunday: Gospel Chat is back with Linda Horner

Sundays, April 16 through May 21, 10 am, Rm. 125. Class focuses on contemporary topics.

### 60 or older? Don't miss these Senior Connect events

**Wednesdays, April 19-May 24 (no May 3), 1:30 pm, Rm. 122.** Class: "Forgiveness," led by Steve Erdley

**Wed., May 3, 11:30 lunch and quarterly program,** Fellowship Hall. Tim Koch plays piano at lunch; afterward, **an honest-to-goodness alpaca is the program star.** "Alpaca sweater, upaca scarf," say the event organizers. See what they did there? More details soon.



**Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church!** We're so glad you're here. Hearing assistance devices and large print bulletins are available from an usher.

We would like to know you were here worshiping with us. Using a QR reader or camera on your mobile device, please scan this QR code to check you and your family into today's worship service. Or go to the following link: [trinitycamphill.org/checkin](http://trinitycamphill.org/checkin)



### **about today's service**

In today's gospel the risen Christ appears to the disciples and offers them the gift of peace. Even amid doubts and questions, we experience the resurrection in our Sunday gathering around word and meal, and in our everyday lives. Throughout the coming Sundays of Easter the first two readings will be from the Acts of the Apostles and the first letter of Peter. Even as the early Christians proclaimed the resurrection, we rejoice in the new birth and living hope we receive in baptism.

**P: Pastor**

**L: Lector**

**C: Congregation**

### **+ Gathering +**

*We gather together to praise God and receive God's love.*

### **Song: "Garden"**

#### **Verse 1**

Won't you take this cup from me?  
cause fear has stolen all my sleep.  
If tomorrow means my death,  
I pray you'll save their souls with it.

#### **Chorus 1**

Let the songs I sing bring joy to you.  
Let the words I say profess my love.  
Let the notes I choose be your favorite tune.  
And father let my heart be after you.

#### **Verse 2**

In this hour of doubt I see  
That who I am is not just me.  
So, give me strength to die myself,  
So, love can live to tell the tale.

#### **Chorus 2**

Let the songs I sing bring joy to you.  
Let the words I say profess my love.  
Let the notes I choose be your favorite tune.  
And father let my heart be after you.  
Father let my heart be after you.

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Welcome

Pastor John Brock

[Please rise as you are able]

**Song: "Blessed Be Your Name"**

**Verse 1**

Blessed be Your name in the land that is plentiful,  
Where Your streams of abundance flow, blessed be Your name.

**Verse 2**

Blessed be Your name when I'm found in the desert place,  
Though I walk through the wilderness, blessed be Your name.

**Pre-chorus**

Ev'ry blessing You pour out I'll turn back to praise  
When the darkness closes in, Lord, still I will say,

**Chorus**

"Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your name.  
Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your glorious name."

**Verse 3**

Blessed be Your name when the sun's shining down on me,  
When the world's "all as it should be." Blessed be Your name.

**Verse 4**

Blessed be Your name on the road marked with suffering,  
Though there's pain in the offering, blessed be Your name.

**Pre-chorus**

**Chorus (2X)**

**Bridge (2x)**

You give and take away, You give and take away,  
My heart will choose to say, "Lord, blessed be Your name."  
You give and take away, You give and take away,  
My heart will choose to say, "Blessed be Your glorious name."

**Pre-chorus**

**Chorus (2X)**

**Tag:** "Your glorious name."

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Confession and Forgiveness

Pastor John Brock

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

**C: Amen.**

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**C: Amen.**

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

P: Most merciful God,

**C: we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

P: God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of † Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

**C: Amen.**

Easter Greeting

Pastor John Brock

P: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

**C: He is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C: And also with you.**

Prayer of the Day

Pastor John Brock

P: Let us pray. Almighty and eternal God, the strength of those who believe and the hope of those who doubt, may we, who have not seen, have faith in you and receive the fullness of Christ's blessing, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C: Amen.**

[Please be seated]

✝ Word ✝

*We listen to the story of God's mighty acts for the sake of God's people.*

Reading: Acts 2:14a, 22-32

Melanie Melear

*After the Holy Spirit comes to the apostles on Pentecost, Peter preaches the gospel to the gathered crowd. He tells them that Jesus, who obediently went to his death according to God's plan, was raised from the dead by God. Finally, he appeals to scripture, quoting Psalm 16:8-11, to show that Jesus is the Messiah: though crucified, the risen Jesus is now enthroned.*

<sup>14a</sup>Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed [the Crowd],  
<sup>22</sup>“You that are Israelites, listen to what I have to say: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with deeds of power, wonders, and signs that God did through him among you, as you yourselves know—<sup>23</sup>this man, handed over to you according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of those outside the law. <sup>24</sup>But God raised him up, having freed him from death, because it was impossible for him to be held in its power. <sup>25</sup>For David says concerning him, ‘I saw the Lord always before me, for he is at my right hand so that I will not be shaken; <sup>26</sup>therefore my heart was glad, and my tongue rejoiced; moreover my flesh will live in hope. <sup>27</sup>For you will not abandon my soul to Hades, or let your Holy One experience corruption. <sup>28</sup>You have made known to me the ways of life; you will make me full of gladness with your presence.’ <sup>29</sup>“Fellow Israelites, I may say to you confidently of our ancestor David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. <sup>30</sup>Since he was a prophet, he knew that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would put one of his descendants on his throne. <sup>31</sup>Foreseeing this, David spoke of the resurrection of the Messiah, saying, ‘He was not abandoned to Hades, nor did his flesh experience corruption.’ <sup>32</sup>This Jesus God raised up, and of that all of us are witnesses.”

L: The word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

Gospel: John 20:19-31

Lauren Savidge

*The risen Jesus appears to his disciples, offering them a benediction, a commission, and the gift of the Holy Spirit. But one of their number is missing, and his unbelief prompts another visit from the Lord.*

<sup>19</sup>When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, “Peace be with you.” <sup>20</sup>After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. <sup>21</sup>Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so

I send you.”<sup>22</sup>When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, “Receive the Holy Spirit.<sup>23</sup>If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.”<sup>24</sup>But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came.<sup>25</sup>So the other disciples told him, “We have seen the Lord.” But he said to them, “Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.”<sup>26</sup>A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, “Peace be with you.”<sup>27</sup>Then he said to Thomas, “Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.”<sup>28</sup>Thomas answered him, “My Lord and my God!”<sup>29</sup>Jesus said to him, “Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.”<sup>30</sup>Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book.<sup>31</sup>But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

L: The Word of God, The Word of Life.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

*Reflections and faith stories by our youth  
Seth Erdley, Ethan Erdley, Lauren Savidge*

Children's Message

Pastor John Brock

### **Song: “Goodness of God”**

#### **Verse 1**

I love You Lord; oh, Your mercy never fails me.  
All my days I've been held in Your hands.  
From the moment that I wake up, until I lay my head.  
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God.

#### **Chorus 1**

And all my life You have been faithful.  
And all my life You have been so, so good.  
With every breath that I am able  
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God.

#### **Verse 2**

I love Your voice, You have led me through the fire  
And in darkest nights You are close like no other  
I've known You as a father, I've known You as a friend  
And I have lived in the goodness of God.

#### **Chorus 1**

## Bridge

Cause Your goodness is running after; it's running after me.

Cause Your goodness is running after; it's running after me.

With my life laid down, I'm surrendered now.

I give You everything.

Cause Your goodness is running after, it's running after me

### Chorus 2

And all my life You have been faithful.

And all my life You have been so, so good

With every breath that I am able

Oh, I'm gonna sing of the goodness of God.

### Chorus 3

Cause all my life You have been faithful.

And all my life You have been so, so good.

With every breath that I am able

Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God.

Oh, I'm gonna sing of the goodness of God.

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[Please rise as you are able]

Nicene Creed

Pastor John Brock

P: Let us profess our common faith in the words of the Nicene Creed.

C: **We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the + resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**



Following each petition are the words: "Hear us, O God."

Please respond with: **"Your mercy is great."**

✠ **Meal** ✠

*When we celebrate communion we remember that Jesus died for us and we experience His love and forgiveness. As we eat the bread and wine Christ is present with us.*

Easter Peace

Pastor John Brock

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

**C: And also with you.**

[Please be seated]

Announcements

Pastor John Brock

Offering

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[Please rise as you are able]

Offering Prayer

Pastor John Brock

P: Generous God,

**C: in this meal you offer your very self. We give thanks for these gifts of the earth. In the breaking of this bread reveal to us the Risen One. In the pouring of this wine pour us out in service to the world; through Christ our Lord.**

Great Thanksgiving

Pastor John Brock

P: Christ is here.

**C: The Spirit is with us.**

P: With joy, we lift up our hearts.

**C: And give thanks to the Lord of Life.**

Eucharistic Prayer

P: God of all good gifts, your Son gathered children into his arms and blessed them. Guide our youth as they grow in years and in knowledge of your world. Give them compassion when they face temptations and experience failures. Teach us all to search for truth and value the life offered for us in your Son Jesus Christ, who:

*In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.*

**C: Blessed be God forever!**

*Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.  
Do this for the remembrance of me.*

**C: Blessed be God forever!**

P: As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup,  
we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

**C: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.**

P: Pour out your Holy Spirit in this meal, and make us one family in this community of faith and with your people throughout the world. To you, O God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory in your holy church, now and forever.

**C: Amen**

Lord's Prayer

**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.**

Invitation to Communion

Pastor John Brock

P: Come and know Christ,  
broken and poured out for you.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

[Please be seated]

Sharing our Lord's Supper

*All Christians are welcome to celebrate the real presence of Jesus Christ in our Lord's Supper. If you'd like to receive communion via intinction, please come forward by the middle aisle, receive the bread, dip it into the wine, and return by the side aisles. Communion may be received in bread only, if desired. Non-communing children and adults are invited to come forward for a blessing. In addition, we offer gluten-free wafers available upon request--please ask the pastor at the time of communion. Additionally, you may receive communion by prepackaged communion elements, which you can get from the baskets as you enter the worship space. Just remain at your seat and at the direction of the pastor, you will be invited to commune, at which time, you will open the individually wrapped, prepackaged communion elements. The bread is in the bottom and wine in the top. If you did not receive communion elements when you arrived, please see an usher.*

*The presiding minister will now invite those receiving communion,  
by prepackaged communion elements, to commune at your seat.*

Open the bread:

P: The Body of Christ given for you.

Open the wine:

P: The Blood of Christ shed for you.

*Those who wish to receive communion by intinction,  
please come forward at the direction of the usher.*

(Please Stand)

Post Communion Blessing

Pastor John Brock

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his  
grace.

**C: Amen.**

Post Communion Prayer

Melanie Melear

A: Let us pray. Gracious God, in you we live and move and have our being. With your  
word and this meal of grace, you have nourished our life together. Strengthen us to  
show your love and serve the world in Jesus' name.

**C: Amen.**

### ✠ Sending ✠

*We have heard the Word of God, offered our gifts, and been fed at the table.  
Now we are sent out, strengthened by the Holy Spirit to be God's people in the world.*

Blessing

Pastor John Brock

P: The God of all, who raised ✠ Jesus from the dead, bless you by the power of the  
Holy Spirit to live in the new creation.

**C: Amen.**

### **Song: "Hope of the Nations"**

**Verse:**

Jesus, hope of the nations,  
Jesus, comfort for all who mourn;  
You are the source of heaven's hope on earth;  
Jesus, light in the darkness;  
Jesus, truth in each circumstance;  
You are the source of heaven's light on earth;  
In history You lived and died;  
You broke the chains,  
You rose to life.

**Chorus:**

You are the hope living in us;  
You are the Rock in whom we trust;  
You are the light, shining for all the world to see;  
You rose from the dead, conquering fear,  
Our Prince of Peace drawing us near;  
Jesus our hope living for all who will receive;  
Lord, we believe.

**Verse:**

**Chorus: (2x)**

**Tag (3x):**

Lord we believe.

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Dismissal

Seth Erdley

A: Go in peace. Serve the Risen One.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

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**The flowers in the Nave and Fellowship Hall** are presented to the glory of God and in loving memory of Ralph J. Phelleps, Jr. by his loving family; also my friend, Alice Rau, by Lois Morgan.

**The sanctuary lamp candle** that burns day and night as a symbol of God's abiding presence is presented to the glory of God.



Join us next week!

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Third Sunday of Easter

**Sermon Series Theme:**

"Follow Jesus. Impact Lives."

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Preaching:

Pastor John Brock

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