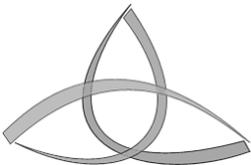


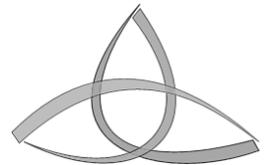


**Worship with Holy Communion
Festival of the Resurrection
April 17, 2022 - 11:00 am**

Trinity Lutheran Church
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Pastor Jodi Golden-Lund, Presiding



God Gathers Us In to Worship

Welcome

Prelude

Jan Gibson

Please stand as you are able

Thanksgiving for Baptism

Pastor: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

People: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Pastor: In the waters of baptism, we have passed over from death to life with Jesus Christ,
and we are a new creation.
For this saving mystery, and for this water, let us bless God,
who was, who is, and who is to come.

We thank you, God, for your river of life,
flowing freely from your throne:
through the earth,
through the city,
through every living thing.
You rescued Noah and his family from the flood;
You opened wide the sea for the Israelites.
Now in these waters you flood us with mercy,
and our sin is drowned forever.
You open the gate of righteousness
and we pass safely through.
In Jesus Christ, you calm and trouble the waters.
You nourish us and enclose us in safety.
You call us forth and send us out.
In lush and barren places, you are with us.

¹⁷I am about to create new heavens
and a new earth;
the former things shall not be remembered
or come to mind.

¹⁸But be glad and rejoice forever
in what I am creating;
for I am about to create Jerusalem as a joy,
and its people as a delight.

¹⁹I will rejoice in Jerusalem,
and delight in my people;
no more shall the sound of weeping be heard in it,
or the cry of distress.

²⁰No more shall there be in it
an infant that lives but a few days,
or an old person who does not live out a lifetime;
for one who dies at a hundred years will be considered a youth,
and one who falls short of a hundred will be considered accursed.

²¹They shall build houses and inhabit them;
they shall plant vineyards and eat their fruit.

²²They shall not build and another inhabit;
they shall not plant and another eat;
for like the days of a tree shall the days of my people be,
and my chosen shall long enjoy the work of their hands.

²³They shall not labor in vain,
or bear children for calamity;
for they shall be offspring blessed by the LORD—
and their descendants as well.

²⁴Before they call I will answer,
while they are yet speaking I will hear.

²⁵The wolf and the lamb shall feed together,
the lion shall eat straw like the ox;
but the serpent—its food shall be dust!
They shall not hurt or destroy
on all my holy mountain,
says the LORD.

Reader: Word of God, Word of Life

People: Thanks be to God!

Please stand as you are able

Gospel Reading: Luke 24:1-12

Evidently expecting to find Jesus' corpse, some of the women among his followers go to the tomb with embalming spices. After a perplexing encounter with the empty tomb and angelic visitors, the women become the first to proclaim the amazing news of resurrection.

¹On the first day of the week, at early dawn, [the women] came to the tomb, taking the spices that they had prepared. ²They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, ³but when they went in, they did not find the body. ⁴While they were perplexed about this, suddenly two men in dazzling clothes stood beside them. ⁵The women were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, "Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen. ⁶Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, ⁷that the Son of Man must be handed over to sinners, and be crucified, and on the third day rise again." ⁸Then they remembered his words, ⁹and returning from the tomb, they told all this to the eleven and to all the rest. ¹⁰Now it was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the other women with them who told this to the apostles. ¹¹But these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. ¹²But Peter got up and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; then he went home, amazed at what had happened.

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Oh Christ.

Please be seated

Message

"Disoriented"

Pastor Jodi Golden-Lund

Please stand as you are able

Song

"Shout to the Lord"

ELW (red) #821

Please be seated

God Nourishes Us at His Holy Table

Nicene Creed

Pastor: I ask you to profess your faith in Christ Jesus - the faith of the church, the faith in which we baptize.

People: **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; by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the virgin Mary, and was made man. 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. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He 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

Prayers of the People

A series of petitions will be offered for the sake of those in need within the church and within the community and world.

Pastor: Merciful God,

People: receive our prayer.

Passing the Peace

Pastor: The peace of the risen Lord be with you always.

People: And also with you.

Offering

Song: *"Thine is the Glory"*

ELW (red) #376

Offering Prayer

Pastor: Living God,
you gather the wolf and the lamb to feed together
in your peaceable reign,
and you welcome us all at your table.
Reach out to us through this meal,
and show us your wounded and risen body,
that we may be nourished and believe
in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

People: Amen.

Please stand as you are able

Words of Institution

Pastor: On the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, 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.” And 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.”

The Lord’s Prayer

Pastor: Remember us in your Kingdom, Lord. Teach us to pray, saying from our hearts:

People: 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: The risen Christ dwells with us here.
All who are hungry, all who are thirsty, come.

Please be seated

Distribution of Holy Communion

All Christians are welcome to share with us in Holy Communion. The gift of Holy Communion is given by God without condition; therefore, we do not condition who may receive. If you would like to receive Jesus in, with, and under the bread and wine, simply do so.

Songs During Communion:

“Alleluia Sing to Jesus”

ELW (red) #392

v. 1, 3, 4

“Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds”

ELW (red) #367

Please stand as you are able

Post-Communion Blessing

Pastor: May these gifts of Jesus' body and blood strengthen you and keep you always in his grace.

People: Amen.

God Sends Us Out To Love and Serve Others

Post-Communion Prayer

Pastor: We give you thanks, generous God,

People: **for in this bread and cup
we have tasted the new heaven and earth
where hunger and thirst are no more.
Send us from this table as witnesses to the resurrection,
that through our lives, all may know life in Jesus' name.
Amen.**

Benediction and Blessing

Pastor: God, the Author of life,
Christ, the living Cornerstone,
and the life-giving Spirit of adoption,
✠ bless you now and forever.

People: Amen.

Sending Song *"Crown Him with Many Crowns"* *ELW (red) # 855*

Dismissal

Pastor: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

People: **Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

Pastor: Go in peace. Tell what God has done.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Jan Gibson

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Sharing God's love and grace, we invite, embrace and nurture everyone,
unconditionally, into a relationship with God through Jesus Christ.*

Serving Today:

Pastor:	Pr. Jodi Golden-Lund
Keyboardist:	Jan Gibson
Organist	Dave Hensley
Reader:	Ann Marie Wagstaff
Ushers:	Marvin Sharp
Servers:	Carolyn Sharp
Song Leader	Jill Stokes
Camera	Ray Cauwet
Altar Care:	Karin Wiseman, Marga Schaeffer
Multimedia	Carol Bentz

Staff of TLC:

Pastor:	Jodi Golden-Lund
Office Manager:	Toni Dumont
Custodian:	Ron Benander
Worship Director:	Jan Gibson
Organist:	Dave Hensley
Choir Director:	Dave Hensley
Keyboard:	Jan Gibson

Weekly Scriptures to Read at Home

Acts 5:27-32
Psalm 150
Revelation 1: 4-8
John 20: 19-31

Birthdays

No Birthdays this week

Anniversaries

No Anniversaries this week

Prayer Requests

New Prayer Concerns

For clearance from the cardiologist (Juanita Baldwin)

For Peace in Ukraine and all or the world and healing for all who are sick and in pain (Julie Elston)

Continued Prayer Concerns

For Art and Karen Cardell, as Art transitions to additional care needs.

For Carol Baggett who had surgery on April 1st. (Carolyn Sharp)

For Jan McKinley for healing after surgery for skin cancer removal (Carolyn Sharp)

For peace and hope in the resurrection for Tim Halmeier and family as they mourn the loss of his mother (Carolyn Sharp)

For Ernie Rodriguez for continued healing of torn knee ligaments. (Carolyn Sharp)

Peggy Holt - for continued healing

Julie Elston - for continued health concerns and healing for new health challenges

Brian Nelson (Scott Nelson) - for continuing health concerns

La Vida Nueva UMC - for God to prosper our partnership in the gospel

The Sierra-Pacific Synod - for wisdom and a spirit of true fellowship in our shared ministries

Foothill Presbyterian - for God's blessing on our partnership with their community

Those unable to worship with us:

June Mowles - Sierra Hills

Rose Johnson - Sierra Hills

Phyllis Rengsdorf - Kaweah Manor, Visalia