

EASTER SUNDAY

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Easter Introit

Te Deum | Marc-Antoine Charpentier

Welcome/Sharing of the Peace

The Easter Proclamation

L Christ is risen!

C He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Raising of the Alleluia Banner and Opening Hymn

Jesus Christ Is Risen Today | LSB 457 |

EASTER HYMN

“Alleluia” means “Praise God!” This word is omitted during the solemn season of Lent (the six weeks before Easter) and so it is used extensively during our Easter worship.

Jesus Christ is ris’n today, Alleluia!

Our triumphant holy day, Alleluia!

Who did once upon the cross, Alleluia!

Suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!

Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia!

Unto Christ, our heav’nly king, Alleluia!

Who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia!

Sinners to redeem and save. Alleluia!

But the pains which He endured, Alleluia!

Our salvation have procured; Alleluia!

**Now above the sky He's king, Alleluia!
Where the angels ever sing. Alleluia!**

**Sing we to our God above, Alleluia!
Praise eternal as His love; Alleluia!
Praise Him, all ye heav'nly host, Alleluia!
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia!**

Call to Worship

L Christ is Risen!

C **He is Risen Indeed! Alleluia!**

L There is joy in the resurrection of Jesus! We who know Jesus may face many fears, but the Bible says:

C **That morning the women hurried away from the tomb, afraid yet filled with joy, and ran to tell his disciples. (Matthew 28:8)**

L There is peace in the resurrection of Jesus! We who know him may be troubled, but the Bible says:

C **A week after the resurrection his disciples were in the house and though the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you!" (John 20:19)**

L There is power in the resurrection of Jesus! Though we who know him may suffer, the Bible says:

C **I want to know Christ—yes, to know the power of his resurrection and participation in his sufferings, becoming like him in his death. (Philippians 3:10)**

L There is hope in the resurrection of Jesus! Though we who know him may die, the Bible says:

C **If we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. (Romans 6:5)**

Invocation

L In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

Confession of Sins and Absolution

L Let us confess our sins to our risen Lord.

C Lord Jesus Christ, we admit that we have more often acted like people of the grave rather than children of the empty tomb. We often live as if this life is all there is, neither obeying your loving commands nor giving you glory for your many blessings. Forgive us our sins and bring the resurrection into our hearts and lives so that we may live as your forever children.

L Take heart, my friends, for the resurrection that God gave to his Son is yours and mine! Your sins have been forgiven and you have been buried with Christ through baptism into his death so that, just as he was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, you, too, may live a new life.

C Amen.

Prayer of the Day

L The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

L Let us pray. Lord Jesus Christ, you washed us clean of our iniquity. Now, as you have promised, through your resurrection, grant that we will live new lives in you.

C Amen.

Offering

We ask that you continue to support Trinity's ministries through online giving options or by mailing in your offering.

Children's Message

Gospel Lesson

Matthew 28:1–10

¹ Now after the Sabbath, toward the dawn of the first day of the week, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. ² And behold, there was a great earthquake, for an angel of the Lord descended from heaven and came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. ³ His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. ⁴ And for fear of him the guards trembled and became like dead men. ⁵ But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified. ⁶ He is not here, for he has risen, as he said. Come, see

the place where he lay. ⁷ Then go quickly and tell his disciples that he has risen from the dead, and behold, he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him. See, I have told you.” ⁸ So they departed quickly from the tomb with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. ⁹ And behold, Jesus met them and said, “Greetings!” And they came up and took hold of his feet and worshiped him. ¹⁰ Then Jesus said to them, “Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee, and there they will see me.”

L This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

“Come and See! Go and Tell!”

based on Matthew 28:1-10

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;
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.

Hymn of the Day

I Know That My Redeemer Lives |
LSB 461: 1-3, 5, 8 | DUKE STREET

1. I know that my Redeemer lives;
What comfort this sweet sentence gives!
He lives, He lives, who once was dead;
He lives, my ever-living head.

2. He lives triumphant from the grave;
He lives eternally to save;
He lives all-glorious in the sky;
He lives exalted there on high.

3. He lives to bless me with His love;
He lives to plead for me above;
He lives my hungry soul to feed;
He lives to help in time of need.

5. He lives to silence all my fears;
He lives to wipe away my tears;

He lives to calm my troubled heart;
He lives all blessings to impart.

8. He lives, all glory to His name!
He lives, my Jesus, still the same;
Oh, the sweet joy this sentence gives:
I know that my Redeemer lives!

Prayer of the Church

Lord's Prayer

C Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Benediction

L The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face to shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

C Amen.

Closing Hymn

Alleluia, Alleluia! Hearts to Heaven | LSB 477
| HYMN TO JOY

1. Alleluia, alleluia!
Hearts to heav'n and voices raise:
Sing to God a hymn of gladness,
Sing to God a hymn of praise;

**He who on the cross a victim
For the world's salvation bled—
Jesus Christ, the King of Glory,
Now is risen from the dead.**

**2. Alleluia, Christ is risen!
Death at last has met defeat:
See the ancient pow'rs of evil
In confusion and retreat;
Once He died, and once was buried:
Now He lives forevermore,
Jesus Christ, the world's Redeemer,
Whom we worship and adore.**

**3. Alleluia, alleluia!
Glory be to God on high:
Alleluia to the Savior
Who has gained the victory;
Alleluia to the Spirit,
Fount of love and sanctity!
Alleluia, alleluia
To the triune Majesty!**

Dismissal

L Go in peace. Serve the Lord!

C Thanks be to God.

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All Bible readings are English Standard Version, unless otherwise noted.