



Trinity Lutheran Church

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Service of Holy Communion—*Lutheran Book of Worship*, Setting I

The Second Sunday of Easter, April 16, 2023

In-Person at 10:15 am & Live at Facebook.com/TrinityLutheranNH

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

PROCESSIONAL HYMN: *"Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain"* **LBW No. 132**

APOSTOLIC GREETING

KYRIE

HYMN OF PRAISE

PRAYER OF THE DAY

FIRST LESSON: Acts 2:14a, 22-32

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. Though crucified, the risen Jesus is now enthroned.

PSALM 16

¹ Protect me, O God, for I take refuge in you;*

I have said to the LORD, "You are my Lord, my God above all other."

² **All my delight is upon the Godly that are in the land,***

upon those who are noble among the people.

³ But those who run after other gods*

shall have their troubles multiplied.

⁴ **Their libations of blood I will not offer,***

nor take the names of their gods up- | on my lips.

⁵ O LORD, you are my portion | and my cup;*
it is you who up- | hold my lot.

⁶ **My boundaries enclose a | pleasant land;***
indeed, I have a | goodly heritage.

⁷ I will bless the LORD who | gives me counsel;*
my heart teaches me night | after night.

⁸ **I have set the LORD al- | ways before me;***
because he is at my right hand, I | shall not fall.

⁹ My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spir- | it rejoices;*
my body also shall | rest in hope.

¹⁰ **For you will not abandon me | to the grave,***
nor let your holy one | see the pit.

¹¹ You will show me the | path of life;*
in your presence there is fullness of joy,
and in your right hand are pleasures for- | evermore.

Gloria Patri (*chanted after the psalm*)

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the / Holy Spirit;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be fore-/ ver. Amen

SECOND LESSON: 1 Peter 1:3-9

This epistle was written to encourage Christians experiencing hardships and suffering because of their faith in Christ. The letter opens by blessing God the Father for the living hope we have through Christ's resurrection even amid difficult circumstances and surroundings.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION/ALLELUIA

GOSPEL: John 20:19-31

On Easter evening the risen Lord Jesus appears to his fearful disciples. A week later, after Thomas worships Jesus, Jesus pronounces that the blessings of the resurrection are also for those who "have not seen and yet believe."

HYMN OF THE DAY: "O Sons and Daughters of the King" LBW No. 139

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

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THE PRAYERS

PEACE

OFFERING *The ushers collect the offering. You can also give electronically through our website, Facebook page, or by [clicking here](#).*

CHOIR ANTHEM: *"A Song to the Lamb" Dignus es*

OFFERTORY: *"Let the Vineyards"*

OFFERTORY PRAYER

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

LAMB OF GOD

THE COMMUNION *To all who believe in Jesus Christ as their Lord, are baptized, and confess Jesus' real presence in the Holy Communion, we invite you to join us in the Holy Eucharist. At the usher's invitation you may come forward to kneel or stand at the altar rail. Please take an empty individual cup from the tray and bring it with you to the rail. The host wafer will be placed into your open hands to eat. Your cup will be filled from the pouring chalice, take and drink. Individual cups filled with non-alcoholic grape juice are also available, please point to receive one. Sealed pre-consecrated Communion packages are also available. Please remain at the altar rail until all have finished and a blessing is given.*

COMMUNION HYMNS: LBW Nos. 154, 149

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING & CANTICLE: *"Thank the Lord"*

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER & BLESSING

RECESSIONAL HYMN: *"Make Songs of Joy" LBW No. 150*

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE