



Trinity Presbyterian Church

Gathering in the Name of the Triune God

A Southeastern Wisconsin PCA (Presbyterian Church of America) church.

April 20, 2014

JESUS IS RISEN!

HE IS RISEN INDEED!

In the name of the risen and reigning Lord Jesus Christ welcome: to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; to all who are spiritually weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire hope; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are strangers and yearn for fellowship; and to whomever will come.

We assemble together each Lord's Day as a gathering of God's children with each other, but primarily, as a meeting of the triune God with His chosen people. God is present with us by His omnipresence but, much more intimately, as the faithful covenant Savior. Christ is the Mediator by whom alone we can come unto God. He is the head of the church. He rules over public worship. In corporate worship – when God meets with His people, Christ with His bride, the Spirit with His temple – we receive God's grace through the Word and sacrament, and we respond to Him with thanksgiving, faith, and love.

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Lord's Day Service – Easter Sunday April 20, 2014

Entrance – God Calls Us to Worship

Welcome & Announcements

Silent Preparation

*** Call to Worship**

Psalm 118

Minister: Let us stand and worship God...in the Name of the Father,
and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit!

People: Amen!

Matt 28:19

Minister: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

People: He is risen indeed!

Lk 24:6,34

Minister: This is the day which the Lord has made;

People: We will rejoice and be glad in it

Ps 118:24

Minister: Thanks be to God,

People: Who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ

1 Cor 15:57

Minister: Since then you are risen with Christ, seek those things which
are above,

People: Where Christ is, sitting at the right hand of God

Col 3:1

Minister: O Lord, open our lips

People: And our mouth shall show forth your praise.

Ps 51:15

*** Hymn of Praise**

Trinity Hymnal, #205

Christ the Lord Is Risen Today (tune of Trinity #198)

Purification – We Confess Our Sins to God

Minister: Dear beloved brethren, let us draw near to the throne of grace with a pure heart and humble voice, kneeling and confessing our sins:

People: Almighty Father, in raising Jesus from the grave, you shattered the power of sin and death. We confess that we have yielded to sinful thoughts of doubt, fear, and evil desire. We have also sinned against You in word and deed. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for our transgressions of Your holy law. Have mercy upon us, O God, for You have given Your Son to be the Savior of the world and have promised forgiveness of sin through His blood to all that believe in Him and by true repentance turn unto You. Having raised up Your Servant Jesus, You have sent Him to bless us, in turning every one of us from our iniquities. Accept us in Your beloved Son, who was made a curse for us, and was raised for our justification. According to the multitude of Your mercies, do away our offenses and cleanse us from our sins. Help us to trust your power to change our lives and make us new, that we may know the joy of life abundant given in Jesus Christ, the risen Lord. Amen.

(Silent prayers of confession are offered.)

Minister: Now lift up your heads and hear the good news! God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy on us. He has given His only Son to die for us, and for His sake forgives us of all our sins.

People: Thanks be to God! Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name. Amen.

Ascension – God Consecrates Us by His Word

Minister: Lift up your hearts! *Psalm 86:4*

People: **We lift them up to the Lord!** *Lam 3:41*

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

People: **It is proper and right to do so!** *Psalm 92:1*

Minister: It is truly right and our greatest joy to give you thanks and praise, eternal God, creator and ruler of the universe. At your word the earth was made a glorious home for mankind. Your hand formed us from the dust of the earth and set us over all your creatures to love and serve you. When we were unfaithful to you, you kept faith with us, your love remained steadfast. When we were slaves in Egypt, you broke the bonds of our oppression, brought us through the sea to freedom, and graciously covenanted to be our God. By a pillar of fire you led us through the desert to a land flowing with milk and honey, and set before us the way of life. You gave your Word to take on our flesh and in him you lived among us, manifesting your glory. He died that we might live, and has risen to raise us to new life. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with angels and archangels and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of your Name.

* *Hymn of Preparation* Trinity Hymnal, #201
The Strife Is O'er

* *Prayer*

Minister: Let us pray to the Lord.

People: **Almighty God, our Father, grant, we ask, that we who celebrate the glorious feast of the resurrection of our Lord, may honor and praise you, who through your only-begotten Son has overcome death, and opened to us the gate of everlasting life; in the Name of Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, age after age. Amen!**

* *Old Testament Lesson* Psalm 22:19-31

Minister: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

* *New Testament Lesson* 1 Corinthians 15:51-57

Minister: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

* *Gospel Lesson* John 20:1-23

Minister: This is the Gospel of our Lord Jesus.

People: **Praise be to you, O Christ.**

Sermon "The Psalm of the Cross & the Kingdom" – Part 3

Tribute – We Offer Ourselves through Tithes

* *Hymn of Consecration*

Trinity Hymnal, #207
Christ Jesus Lay in Death's Strong Bands

* *Presentation & Dedication of Tithes & Offerings*

Prayers of the Church

Requests & Lord's Prayer

Peace – We Commune with God

Words of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Psalm 23

We Confess Our Faith in the Triune, Incarnate God

Creed (inside hymnal cover)

* *Hymn of Thanksgiving*

Psalter, #118C
I Shall Not Die

Benediction – God Commissions & Blesses Us

* *The Lord's Commission of Us*

Matthew 28:18-20

* *We Receive God's Blessing, His Good Word to Us*

Hebrews 13:20-21

* *We Bless the LORD, Lifting Our Hands and Voices to Him*

Doxology

* *Threefold Amen & Postlude*

LORD'S SUPPER

We observe Communion, or the Lord's Supper, weekly in our midst.

We believe it is worthily received by those who:

1. Have been baptized in the name of the Triune God (Matt 28:18-20);
2. Do profess faith in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Savior of sinners, and do rest upon Him alone for salvation as He is offered in the Gospel (Ro 10:9-10);
3. Do live in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit and endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Jesus Christ (Gal 5:16-26); and
4. Are communing members in good standing in an evangelical church (1 Cor 10:1-6)

If these things are all true, we rejoice with you and invite you to commune with us at the Lord's Supper. If any of these are not true of you, we ask that you refrain. We invite you to speak to one of the Elders if you have doubts or questions regarding any of these beliefs, or if you are interested in learning more about Trinity.

Though collections are not ordinarily taken during a service, giving is a vital element of worship. Tithes and offerings may be placed in the basket at the rear of the church.

(2 Corinthians 9:6-11)

Sermon Notes – April 20, 2014

"The Psalm of the Cross & the Kingdom" – Part 3 Text: Psalm 22:21b-31

2. *But You, O LORD...have answered Me!* (21b-31) – the _____
of King Jesus
- A. Messiah's votive feast & praise of His Father (22-26; He 2:10-12; Le 7:16) – _____
You have answered Me (21b)*Father, into Thy hands I commit My spirit* (Lu 23:46).
- B. Messiah's _____ of His world-wide kingdom (27-31)
He has done this (31)....*It is finished!* (Jn 19:30).

Announcements

Sunday School

There will be no Sunday School today.

Heidelberg Catechism Review – Part 2 Deliverance: Lord's Day 16, God the Son

Q 40. *Why did Christ have to suffer death?*

A. Because God's justice and truth require it: nothing else could pay for our sins except the death of the Son of God.

Q 41. *Why was he "buried"?*

A. His burial testifies that he really died.

Q 42. *Since Christ has died for us, why do we still have to die?*

A. Our death does not pay the debt of our sins. Rather, it puts an end to our sinning and is our entrance into eternal life.

Q 43. *What further benefit do we receive from Christ's sacrifice and death on the cross?*

A. By Christ's power our old selves are crucified, put to death, and buried with him, so that the evil desires of the flesh may no longer rule us, but that instead we may offer ourselves as a sacrifice of gratitude to him.

Q 44. *Why does the creed add, "He descended to hades"?*

A. To assure me during attacks of deepest dread and temptation that Christ my Lord, by suffering unspeakable anguish, pain, and terror of soul, on the cross but also earlier, has delivered me from hellish anguish and torment.

Scripture Memory of the Week This week memorize John 11:25-27.

25, *"Jesus said to her, 'I am the resurrection and the life, He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live.*

26, *And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die. Do you believe this?'*

27, *She said to Him, ' Yes, Lord, I believe that You are the Christ, the Son of God, who is come into the world.'"*

Mid-week Bible Study

Mid-week Bible study on eschatology resumes this Wed, Apr 23, 7 pm.

Men's Forum

Men's forum will meet next Sunday evening, April 27, 7 pm. Dale will lead a discussion on, "Who Were our Founding Fathers?"

Ladies Study

The ladies will meet on Monday April 28th at 7pm to discuss Lesson 8 from the study book.

Set-up Teams

Teams should arrive at 9:00 am Sunday mornings. If your family cannot set-up on your assigned week, please swap with another family; both team leaders should be notified of the change.

NEXT WEEK:

Team 4 April 27 S Reich*, Burie, Gerth, Hammer

FOLLOWING WEEKS:

Team 1 May 4 K Dykema*, D Dykema, Greenwald, Jens, Kelling, Zitzke

Team 2 May 11 J Hummel*, Dietzel, B Dykema, Nagle, Ruchti

Team 3 May 18 J Pennington*, Cox, K Hummel, Nader, N Pennington