# Trinity Presbyterian "Serving God in the Heart of the City" Church

Sunday, April 14, 2024 10:20 am

Third Sunday of Easter Service for the Lord's Day

## Gathered in God's Name

GATHERING

"Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

Curry

"The Day of Resurrection"

Curry

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

Hayes

The Trinity Jazz Ensemble: Catherine Dimenstein, bass; Lynn Moser, piano; Errol Dimenstein and Mack Sigmon, percussion

## CALL TO WORSHIP & OPENING PRAYER

Sing to the Lord a new song;

Sing to the Lord, all you lands.

Tell his glory among the nations;

Among all peoples, his wondrous deeds.

Give the Lord glory and honor.

For great is the Lord and greatly to be praised.

God our Maker, we praise you for all the wonders in your creation. As we gather in the blooming of the Spring, when even the desert brings new life in abundance, we pray that the Risen Christ would grant us new life, reviving us by the presence and joy of your Holy Spirit.

Amen.

## \*PRAYERFUL PRAISE

HYMN #253 "Alleluia! Christ Is Arisen"

\*CALL TO CONFESSION

#### \*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Unison

Dear Heavenly Father, we lower our heads before you and we confess that we have forgotten that we are yours. Sometimes we carry on with our lives as if there was no God, falling short of being a witness to your love for others. For these things we ask your forgiveness. Remind us to be who you would have us to be, that your love may flow out of our hearts each day as a river of gratitude. (Time for silent prayer and reflection)

#### \*ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

\*RESPONSE #591

"Halle, Hallelujah!"

Sing twice

Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

## WELCOME, GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

# Hearing God's Word

## PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

**OLD TESTAMENT READING** 

Psalm 40:1-5

(Pew Bible, OT, Pg 513)

**ANTHEM** 

"Love Divine All Loves Excelling" The Trinity Choir

Hayes

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE / SERMON INTRODUCTION

NEW TESTAMENT READING

1 John 3: 1-7

(Pew Bible, NT, Pg 240)

**SERMON** 

"What Will We Be?"

Dr. Mack Sigmon

\*HYMN #2108

"O How He Loves You and Me"

Sing the Faith

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: The Apostle's Creed

Unison

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the Quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

## PRAYER CONCERNS

## PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

# Giving Thanks to God

### **INVITATION TO MISSION**

OFFERTORY

"I Want Jesus to Walk with Me"

Hayes

\*DOXOLOGY #607

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Christ, all people, here below; praise Holy Spirit evermore; praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

# Sent Into God's World

\*HYMN #295

"Go to the World!"

\*LORD'S PRAYER AND BENEDICTION

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\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

"Amen"

Hayes

SENDING MUSIC

"I Know That My Redeemer Lives"

Curry

# Special thanks to Cheyenne Williams (Lay Reader), The Trinity Choir (Anthem) The Trinity Jazz Ensemble (Special Music & Offertory) for helping with today's service

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## KEEPING IN PRAYER

<u>Prayer Concerns:</u> Georgia Bach, Late Lawson, Dr. Harriet Marsh, Barbara Callaway Pollack, Barbara Schmidt, Colleen Shannon

<u>Prayer Focus:</u> Everlasting God, strengthen and sustain all those who volunteer in our churches; that with patience and understanding they may love and care for your people; and grant that together they may follow Jesus Christ, offering to you their gifts and talents; through him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

<u>In Person Worship</u> continues at 10:20 am. Online worship is available on our website <u>trinitytucson.org/watch-live.</u>

<u>Hearing the Worship Service</u> A T-coil hearing loop is installed in the front half of the sanctuary and choir loft. Turn on the T-coil input in your hearing aid to pick up the sound system audio directly.

<u>Fellowship Hall is open on Sunday</u> before and after the service to visit. Coffee is served.

## **Youth Classes**

<u>God's Trailblazers</u> (preschool - 2nd grade) We will be having in-person Sunday School downstairs in <u>Room 8</u> following the children's message. Today, we will learn about Jesus Calms the Storm through a Bible story, a craft and music.

## Crusader's & Faith Encounters

<u>Crusaders</u> (3rd, 4th and 5th graders) & <u>Faith Encounters</u> (grades 6 and older) Grab your WORSHIP BAG We encourage children and youth grades 4th and above can pick up activity sheets and supplies for worship-based activities from the Kids Korner in the narthex and to sit with their families during worship.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

Sandwich Making for Casa Maria is TODAY after worship in Fellowship Hall. Everyone is welcome to help with this important mission.

**1st Quarter Giving Statements** are available at the Narthex desk for you to pickup. Those left will be mailed tomorrow.

<u>Committee Meetings & Session this week.</u> Members should have received their information by email last Thursday. Please call the office if you need that.

TPW Ryan's Bears meet Tuesday, April 16 at 9:30 am in Fellowship Hall.

Birthday & Anniversary Celebration is Sunday, April 21 after worship in Fellowship Hall.

Montlure Summer Camp Start making your summer plans now for day camps in Tucson (info available soon) or traveling camp back in Greer (9-12th Grades - June 2-7, 7-9th Grades - June 10-15, 6-8th Grades - June 17-22, 4-6th Grades - June 25 - 29). Scholarships are available through our Christian Ed. Committee. Info at https://www.montlure.org/overnight-camp/.