



## Easter Sunday

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*Visiting for the first time? Welcome! See back cover for visitor information.*

*\*congregation stands*

**AS WE GATHER**

Are you wearing a new outfit for Easter? The custom of putting on new clothes for Easter Day has a long Christian history. In the earliest centuries after the ascension of Christ, newly baptized Christians wore white garments of new linen as a visible sign of the newness that being baptized had brought into their lives. Soon it became a tradition that all the faithful would join the newly baptized in arraying themselves on Easter in a new outfit to symbolize the new life that Jesus, through His resurrection, made a reality for all believers. The new clothes were much more than a fashion statement; they were a statement of faith. No matter what we are wearing today as individuals, together we share the best eternal clothing there is!

**THE LIGHT OF CHRIST**

P May the light of Christ, rising in glory, dispel the darkness of our hearts and minds.

*The pastor lights a candle from the one that is burning and passes the light to the acolyte who will light the other candles in the chancel.*

P The light of Christ.

C **Thanks be to God.**

**OPENING HYMN****JESUS CHRIST IS RIS'N TODAY****LSB 457****\*INVOCATION**

P In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

**\*OPENING SENTENCES** *Psalm 118:24; 2 Timothy 1:10b; Romans 4:28, 10:9; 1 Corinthians 6:14*

P This is the day that the LORD has made;

C **let us rejoice and be glad in it.**

P Christ Jesus abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel.

C **Jesus our Lord was delivered up for our trespasses and raised for our justification.**

P If you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved.

C **God raised the Lord and will also raise us up by His power. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**\*CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

P Let us confess our sin to God, our merciful Father.

C **Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, our creator and preserver, we admit and confess our sinfulness. We are stained by sin from our very beginnings and we have sinned again and**

**again in thought, word, and deed. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves and have often turned away from one another in our thinking, speaking, and doing. We have done the evil You forbid and have not done the good You demand. We do repent and are truly sorry for all our many sins. Have mercy on us, gracious Father; forgive us for Jesus' sake, and by the power of the Holy Spirit direct our lives so that we serve You in true faithfulness. Grant us victory over all that oppresses us and build Your kingdom among us here through Jesus Christ, our Lord.**

P In His boundless mercy, God has promised forgiveness of sins to those who repent and turn to Him for restoration and renewal. Therefore, as a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. God keep you strong in the Holy Spirit and grant you a life on earth in which you live in baptismal grace and joyfully tell of His greatness, through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C **Amen.**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE**

**HE IS ARISEN! GLORIOUS WORD!**

**LSB 488**

**\*INTROIT**

*Exodus 15:2a, 6, 13, 17–18; antiphon: v. 1b*

P I will sing to the LORD, for He has triumphed gloriously;  
the horse and his rider He has thrown into the sea.

C **The LORD is my strength and my song,  
and He has become my salvation.**

P Your right hand, O LORD, glorious in power,  
Your right hand, O LORD, shatters the enemy.

C **You have led in Your steadfast love the people whom You have redeemed;  
You have guided them by Your strength to Your holy abode.**

P You will bring them in and plant them on Your own mountain,  
the place, O LORD, which You have made for Your abode,

C **the sanctuary, O LORD, which Your hands have established.  
The LORD will reign forever and ever.**

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son  
and to the Holy Spirit;  
as it was in the beginning,  
is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

P I will sing to the LORD, for He has triumphed gloriously;  
the horse and his rider He has thrown into the sea.

**\*KYRIE**—*Sung; tune on pew hymnal page 204*

**\*PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**HYMN FOR THE WORD    CHRIST THE LORD IS RIS'N TODAY!    LSB 469, vs. 1, 4, 6**

**FIRST READING**

*Acts 10:34–42*

<sup>34</sup>So Peter opened his mouth and said: "Truly I understand that God shows no partiality, <sup>35</sup>but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. <sup>36</sup>As for the word that he sent to Israel, preaching good news of peace through Jesus Christ (he is Lord of all), <sup>37</sup>you yourselves know what happened throughout all Judea, beginning from Galilee after the baptism that John proclaimed: <sup>38</sup>how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power. He went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. <sup>39</sup>And we are witnesses of all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree, <sup>40</sup>but God raised him on the third day and made him to appear, <sup>41</sup>not to all the people but to us who had been chosen by God as witnesses, who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. <sup>42</sup>And he commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one appointed by God to be judge of the living and the dead.

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- C **Thanks be to God.**

**EPISTLE**

*Colossians 3:1–4*

<sup>1</sup>If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. <sup>2</sup>Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. <sup>3</sup>For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. <sup>4</sup>When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- C **Thanks be to God.**

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**\*GRADUAL**

*from Matthew 28:7; Hebrews 2:7; Psalm 8:6*

- C **Christ has risen from the dead. God the Father has crowned Him with glory and honor. He has given Him dominion over the works of His hands; He has put all things under His feet.**

**\*HOLY GOSPEL**

*Matthew 28:1–10*

- P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-eighth chapter.
- C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

<sup>1</sup>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. <sup>2</sup>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. <sup>3</sup>His appearance was like



**who spoke by the prophets.  
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,  
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,  
and I look for the resurrection of the dead  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

## **OFFERING**

*Those who support this church and its ministry by giving electronically are invited to place the "I Give Online" cards located in each pew in the offering plate as a way of participating in this act of worship.*

## **\*PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

After our petitions:

P let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.**

## **\*PREFACE**

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your hearts.

C **We lift them to the Lord.**

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

## **\*PROPER PREFACE**

**\*SANCTUS**—*Sung; tune on pew hymnal page 208*

## **\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

## **\*THE WORDS OF OUR LORD**

## **\*PROCLAMATION OF CHRIST**

P As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.

C **Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

P O Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, ... So remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

## **\*LORD' 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.**

### **\*PAX DOMINI**

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.  
C **Amen.**

### **\*AGNUS DEI—Sung; tune on pew hymnal page 210**

**DISTRIBUTION** Distribution is at the rail, with both common cup and individual cup; de-alcoholized wine in center of tray. Gluten free wafers available by signifying to pastor/elder. Please use the pew cards to register your attendance at Holy Communion.

<b>HYMN</b>	<b>CHRIST HAS ARISEN, ALLELUIA</b>	<b>LSB 466</b>
<b>HYMN</b>	<b>GOOD CHRISTIAN FRIENDS, REJOICE AND SING!</b>	<b>LSB 475</b>
<b>HYMN</b>	<b>OUR PASCHAL LAMB, THAT SETS US FREE</b>	<b>LSB 473</b>

### **\*POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING**

#### **\*BENEDICAMUS**

P Let us bless the Lord.  
C **Thanks be to God.**

#### **\*BENEDICTION**

P The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.  
C **Amen.**

**HYMN TO DEPART**                      **ALLELUIA! JESUS IS RISEN!**                      **LSB 474, vs. 1, 3, 4, 5**

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## Serving Our Lord

		April 5, 2026	April 12, 2026
Musician		Diane Streich	Diane Streich
Cantor		Dave Workman	Andy Koch
Altar Guild		Nim Traeger and Sharon Drews	Nim Traeger and Sharon Drews
Elder	8:00am	Bill Breitinger and Andy Olson	Sam Erdman
	10:30am	Matthew Berg and Ben Swenson	Kurt Vallin
Reader	8:00am	Jim Kohn	Rob Orr
	10:30am	Matthew Berg	Kurt Vallin
Usher Team	8:00am	Andy Olson	Sam Erdman
	10:30am	Jon Peterson	Open
Acolyte	8:00am	Mason Kolb	Sophia Orr and Beth Koch
	10:30am	Josh Jebin and Sabontu Benya	Dana Vallin and Henley Starksen
Projection	8:00am	Don Lee	Jean Peterson
	10:30am	Jean Peterson	Tim Morris
Livestream	8:00am	Jim Nicklas	Jim Nicklas
Coffee Hour	9:15am	Easter Breakfast!	Open



*Hail the Lord of earth and heav'n!  
Praise to Thee by both be giv'n!  
Thee we greet triumphant now:  
Hail, the resurrection, Thou! (LSB 469)*

On this joyous day we unite our voices with the heavenly choir in praise to the resurrected Lord. Special thanks to Tim Morris, trombone, and Phil Workman, euphonium, for using their musical talents to enrich our Easter worship at TLO.



### Position open

Trinity Lone Oak Lutheran Church and School is looking for a part-time (10-15 hours) choir/band teacher for the 2026-2027 school year. If you have always wanted to teach K-8<sup>th</sup> grade students how to sing to the Lord or teach kids (5-8<sup>th</sup>) how to play Joy to the World on their instruments, here is your opportunity. If you or someone you know would love this position, please have them call the school at (651) 454-1139 or email at [stacey.lamere@tloschool.org](mailto:stacey.lamere@tloschool.org). Please help us fill this role that is special to TLO school and has a great impact on the kids throughout the year. If you are wondering how you can help, but you don't know anyone, pray that we can find the person that God wants here.

**COMING UP AT TLO — April 5, 2026 — April 12, 2026****EASTER SUNDAY**

Sun	8:00*am	Worship with Holy Communion
	9:15am	Food and Fellowship - please join us!
	10:30am	Worship with Holy Communion
	12:30pm	Peniel Evangelical Church
	6:00pm	Hoops - adult basketball
Mon	No School; Easter Break; Church office closed	
	6:30pm	Trail Life Troop 2950
Tue	10:30am	TLO leads worship at Lexington Pointe Senior Living
	7:00pm	Board of Trustees
Wed	6:30am	Men's Bible study
Fri	9:00am	Women of the Word (WoW) Bible study
Sat	2:00pm	Peniel events

**FIRST SUNDAY AFTER EASTER AND CONCORDIA ACADEMY SUNDAY**

Sun	8:00*am	Worship
	9:15am	Education Hour for all ages; two adult studies to choose from
	10:30am	Worship
	12:30pm	Peniel Evangelical Church
	6:00pm	Hoops - adult basketball

\*worship online at [www.trinityloneak.org](http://www.trinityloneak.org)**VBS at TLO****June 15-19, 2026****9:00-11:30am each day**

Throughout this program, we will go on a Tropical Trek and along the way be guided by our Savior, Jesus who is the way, the truth, and the life! Let's go on an unforgettable journey! Sign up today for VBS on TLO's website: [trinityloneak.org](http://trinityloneak.org)



Did you know volunteer help is vital to our VBS success?! You will be a blessing if you can help 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5 days. Register on TLO's website or call the church office to volunteer. Thank you!

## WEEKLY DEPOSITS: March 29, 2026

General Fund Income:			
	Current and Mission Weekly Offering - supporting staff and operations	\$	7,574.00
	(Our offering budget is \$10,475 per week)		
	Building Reserve Fund - supporting monthly mortgage payments	\$	565.00
	(Our offering budget is \$675 for per week)		
	Tuition	\$	4,676.35
	1883 School Annual Fund - supporting TLO School	\$	91.50
	1883 School Annual Fund - proceeds from March 25 soup supper	\$	181.00
	1883 School Annual Fund - in memory of Roger Schaaf	\$	20.00
	Current and Mission - in memory of Roger Schaaf	\$	290.00
	Gala – partial proceeds	\$	56,854.64
	Church and school fees	\$	3,547.56
	<b>Subtotal General Fund Income</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>73,800.05</b>
Special Purpose Income (not available for general fund spending)			
	YTF2 - Yesterday, Today, Forever 2 initiative	\$	125.30
	YTF2 - in memory of Willard Schindeldecker	\$	25.00
	Acorn Scholarship Fund	\$	25.00
	Acorn Scholarship Fund - in memory of Roger Schaaf	\$	25.00
	General support of Rev. Tom Park in Taiwan	\$	25.00
	Music fund - Jungle Book musical free will	\$	314.00
	<b>Subtotal Special Fund Income</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>539.30</b>



### Birthdays this week

- Apr 5 Kayla Arnold, Collin Clark, Jim Kohn, Amanda Robbins,  
Vanessa Robbins, Char Timm
- Apr 6 Noah Buecksler, Dixie Cliff, Michael Leinonen
- Apr 7 Steven Groth, Kim Perron, Denise Volkert
- Apr 8 Cheri Breitinger
- Apr 9 Greg Hakanson, Aaron Kolb
- Apr 11 Ashley Goehring, Lila Nosal, Andy Olson, Jimmy Wills

### Anniversaries this week

- Apr 9 Jon and Jean Peterson

## Remember in Prayer



### Mission Field:

- Rev. Tom Park, Theological Educator in Taiwan is OUR missionary and requests prayers for his uncle's strength and comfort as he battles cancer

### Those with Health Concerns:

- Bernie and Sharon, uncle and aunt of Mike Drews, fragile and needing medical care
- Baby Brady, friend of TLO, born with health problems this winter
- Brianna Buecksler, for full healing; updates at [mealtrain.com/trains/vd73dz](http://mealtrain.com/trains/vd73dz)
- John, grandfather of 2 TLO students, undergoing cancer treatment
- Tyler Keech, brother of 2 TLO students, diagnosed with a massive osteosarcoma.
- Marilou Larson, close cousin of Alice Dornseif, needing a "live liver" transplant
- Linda Tetzloff prayers for healing, stamina, and wisdom
- For TLO members and friends in need of our continued prayers:  
Eddie Burdick + Pam Burdick + Dixie Cliff + Larry Flannery + Gary Foley  
David Frick + Don Holz + Glenda Holz + Justin Kube + Joseph Labhart  
Donine Leatherby + LeRoy Motz + Renata Rahn + Jeff Schaaf  
Karen Stohlberg + Char Timm + Laverne Ziebell

### For those who mourn

- For the family of Waylon Craig Wachter, first great-grandson of Chuck and Joanie Wachter, born 3/9/26 and passed 3/17/26. Christian burial was held March 25. Please pray for God's comfort for all who mourn even knowing Christ has conquered death.

### General and ongoing Prayers:

- For our Nation: Guide those who make and administer our laws to act prudently. Give to all judges knowledge to render justice with mercy. Bless all military, emergency and medical workers here and abroad.
- Ryan Kroonblawd - Seminarian - 1st semester classes have ended at the seminary in Germany. Keep Ryan & Emily in prayer for safe travels during the academic break and preparations for 2nd semester of theological studies beginning mid-April. Prayer of thanks that they received their Residency Permits; after a 6 month wait and can legally exit & re-enter the country.

*If you have a prayer request, please contact the church office (651-454-7235). Pastor Kroonblawd and TLO prayer chain members will include your request in their prayer time. Please specify if you want the information printed in our news and notes for congregational prayer. Confidential prayer requests and/or visit requests can be made directly with Pastor Kroonblawd by calling him at 651-235-7600.*



### Weekly Memory Verse

Because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved. **Rom 10:9-10**



**Welcome Guests** We are glad you are here today! Here are a few things we thought you would like to know to help you feel at home with us today. If you are visiting please introduce yourself to our team. We love to make new friends!

**For those with small children**, a nursery is available, located in the narthex, if you need a place to care for your child. Children’s bulletins are in the narthex, or ask an usher.

**Restrooms** are located to the east end of the narthex near the main entrance.

**Large print copies of the worship folder** are available. Please ask an usher.

**At this service we celebrate Holy Communion.** Please speak with our pastor or an elder before communing if this is your first time receiving the Lord’s Supper at TLO. The light-colored wine in the center of the individual communion tray is de-alcoholized wine, where the alcohol is reduced to .05%.



## Special Services in April

**Sunday, April 12** is Concordia Academy Sunday! Pastor Tim Berner and Pastor Andrew Asp will preach and lead Bible class at 9:15am. His People vocal ensemble, under the direction of Mrs. Rebecca Fritz will sing several uplifting numbers.



**On April 19**, TLO welcomes Rev. Stephan Wismar as guest pastor and Bible class leader. TLO School students, directed by Mrs. Stephanie Vallin, will provide special music at both services. *Note: Holy Communion will not be offered April 19.*

Rev. Stefan Wismar serves as Executive Assistant to the President of the MN South District of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod (LCMS). In this position, he assists District President, Rev. Dr. Lucas Woodford in his administrative responsibilities and provides counsel and guidance to congregations and church staff in times of transition, conflict, or crisis.

### Special Voters Meeting Sunday April 19, 11:45 am

TLO will hold a special voters meeting at which Rev. Wismar will go over the process of placing a Call for the position of Senior Pastor at TLO. The TLO congregation and those interested to learn are invited to attend. A small lunch will be provided.



Rev. Dr. Ryan Peterson will lead worship and teach the Bible during our 9:15am education hour on **Sunday, April 26**. *The worship services include Holy Communion.* Ryan Peterson is the Senior Development and Church Relations Officer at Concordia University St. Paul. His sermon is titled “Walk in the Light”, the theme for this academic year at CSP.