

# TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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## Our Worship Today - Easter Sunday, the 1st of April, 2018

Liturgy -- Divine Service 4 with Communion -- LSB page 203

**The Message: "Food for Life"**

**is based on the Old Testament reading: Isaiah 25:6-9**

The Old Testament reading is **Isaiah 25:6-9**. God tells the people what they have to look forward to. The end of things will not be misery and death, but joy and life. God will do away with death and sadness, but He will do so on His time. Those who wait for Him will be a part of the grand celebration of God's triumph and will see the completion of all the grand things the Lord has planned. The Epistle reading is **1 Corinthians 15:1-11**. The message of Christ's resurrection was not made up by a few confused or disillusioned individuals. Christ ensured that many knew He had carried out His plan of salvation and that He truly had conquered sin and death. Christ wants us to know with certainty that He will do what He says and that our trust in Him is never in vain. The Gospel reading is **Mark 16:1-8**. Though Mark's Gospel doesn't give as many details as the others, it tells us what is important. Though everyone had seen Christ die on the cross and though He was sealed in the tomb, the tomb is now empty. Death has no hold on Christ and He has accomplished exactly what He had said. The women at the tomb are afraid now because they are confused. Soon things will make sense and they will have reason to rejoice.

**Opening Hymn 457 ..... Jesus Christ is ris'n today**  
**Sermon Hymn 487 ..... Come, ye faithful, raise the strain**  
**Offering Hymn\* 463 .... Christ the Lord is risen today; Alleluia!**  
**Distribution Hymn 633 ..... At the Lamb's high feast**  
**Closing Hymn 480 ... He's risen, He's risen, Christ Jesus, the Lord**

**The Lord's Supper:** Scripture teaches us that the bread and wine in the Lord's Supper are truly Christ's Body and Blood given to us for the forgiveness of sins. It also teaches us that those who come together to share the Lord's Supper are joining in a common confession in Christ. As such, members of the LCMS who have been instructed on the Lord's Supper and who humbly seek His grace and mercy are invited to come and receive Holy Communion. Visitors to Trinity are asked to speak to the pastor prior to the service.

## The Week at a Glance

**Sunday:** 9:00 a.m. .... Easter Breakfast  
 10:30 a.m. .... Worship Service  
 After Church ..... Easter Egg Hunt

**Tuesday:** 6:00 p.m. .... Hope in the City/Tutoring

### Special Easter Service Music

Prelude: Desert Tomb - by Jim Sheppard

Offering: Gabriel's Oboe - by E. Morricone

Postlude: Trumpet concerto - by A. Vivaldi



*The Easter Flowers are given  
 "To the Glory of God,  
 and in  
 Loving Memory  
 of All Our Loved Ones."*

<i>Leslie Schultz</i>	<i>Beverly Roschke</i>	<i>Laura Sheppard</i>
<i>Patricia Bertsch</i>	<i>Jane Stiles</i>	<i>Pastor &amp; Laurie Davenport</i>
<i>Frieda Potzner &amp;</i>	<i>Louise Meyer</i>	<i>Alan &amp; Amy Viets</i>
<i>Horst Scheffler</i>	<i>Annette Schneider</i>	<i>(in memory of our parents)</i>
<i>(in memory of</i>	<i>(in memory of Robert Schneider)</i>	<i>Linda Davenport</i>
<i>Frieda's husband Henry,</i>	<i>Jerry Schneider</i>	<i>(in memory of my parents</i>
<i>their parents Julius &amp; Lydia</i>	<i>(in memory of</i>	<i>and sister and in honor of</i>
<i>and brother Reinhold)</i>	<i>Al &amp; Helen Schneider</i>	<i>Pastor, Laurie and little Paul.</i>
	<i>and Fred Schneider)</i>	<i>May our Lord continue</i>
		<i>to bless them.)</i>

**KEEP IN PRAYERS:** All who are ill, infirm, shut in and all who are undergoing tests and treatments. May they experience God's continual care.

Tammy Smith	Verma Seim	Nolen Cosby
Godfrey Reiter	Lyn Stalford ( <i>Misty's Aunt</i> )	Frieda Potzner
Irmgard Milkuhn	Penny Geist	Horst Scheffler
Frank Gehring	Lisa Davis	Rose Neumeister
	Joe Klevenger	Marilyn Reinking