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**Second Sunday of Easter, April 08, 2018**  
**ELW Holy Communion Setting Three**

**Prelude**

**Announcements**

**GATHERING**

**Gathering Hymn:** “Christ the Lord is Risen Today” (ELW 369)

**Greeting:**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,  
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**And also with you.**

**Hymn of Praise:** “Christ is Alive” (ELW 389)

**Prayer of the Day**

Let us pray.

**Almighty God, with joy we celebrate the day of our Lord’s resurrection. By the grace of Christ among us, enable us to show the power of the resurrection in all that we say and do, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.**

**Amen.**

**WORD**

**Children’s Message**

**Anthem: (8:15)**

“Now the Green Blade Riseth” Arr. D. E. Hermany

**First Reading: Acts 4:32-35**

## Psalm 133

### Refrain



Clayton J. Schmit

## Epistle Reading: 1 John 1:1-2:2

## Gospel Acclamation



## Gospel: John 20:19-31

### Sermon

The Rev. Dr. Clay Schmit

## Hymn of the Day “We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight” (ELW 635)

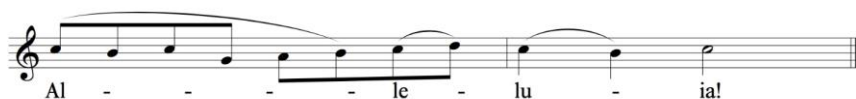
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## Prayers of Intercession

### Easter Prayer Refrain



At the end of the prayers:



## Peace

### MEAL

## Offering Anthem (8:15)

“Haleluya”

Arr. Tyleen Stults

## Offering Song



Text: John W. Arthur, 1922-1980

Music: Marty Haugen, b. 1950

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The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right . . . .

### Holy, Holy, Holy

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,

heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na. Ho -

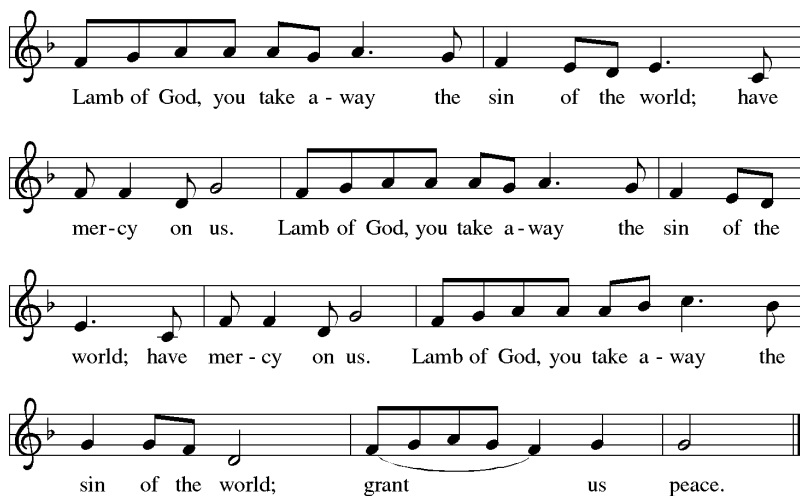
san-na. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless-ed is he who

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san - na in the high - est.

### The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven . . . .

## Lamb of God



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have  
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the  
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the  
sin of the world; grant us peace.

## Communion Songs:

“Day of Arising” (ELW 374)  
“Alleluia, Sing to Jesus” (ELW 392)

## Communion Blessing

### Prayer after Communion

C: Amen.

## SENDING

### Taking Communion to the Homebound (8:15)

C: Amen

### Blessing

C: Amen.

Sending Hymn: “Thine is the Glory” (ELW 376)

## Dismissal



## INSPIRING WORSHIP ALL WEEK

K E Y	<p>“Then He opened their minds so they could understand the scriptures.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Luke 24:45</b></p>
R E A D I N G S	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Preparing for Sunday, April 15</b></p> <p>1Day 1 - <b>Psalm 4</b></p> <p>2Day 2 - <b>Acts 3: 12-19</b></p> <p>3Day 3 - <b>1 John 3:1-7</b></p> <p>4Day 4 - <b>Luke 24:36b-48</b></p> <p>5Day 5 - Acts 4:8-12</p> <p>6Day 6 - Luke 24:30-32</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>*Sunday readings in bold.</b></p>
A P P L Y	<p>It's safe to say that nearly all of us enjoy a good meal with friends. It can be a time of fun and laughter or a time for serious debate, where we “solve all the worlds problems”. In this weeks Gospel lesson from Luke we find Jesus entering in to one of these meals with his disciples, sharing food and conversation. And then Jesus does something only He could do. He opened their eyes to the purpose of his death and resurrection, and to his plans for them. He didn't reveal everything, but it was enough to calm their fears and strengthen them for the journey ahead. As we share our Communion meal with Jesus this week, why not ask him to open our eyes, so we also can understand His will for our lives.</p>
P R A Y E R	<p>Loving God, Thank you for sending your Son Jesus, who was willing to humble himself to the point of death so we can enjoy fellowship with you. And we thank you for your gift of the Holy Spirit to help open our eyes to your purpose for our lives each day. Amen.</p>

Devotions written by Trinity members.