



Madison, South Dakota

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Fourth Sunday of Easter

Sunday, April 21, 2024

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## *Celebration*

**PRELUDE**

*"The Twenty-Third Psalm"*

**WELCOME AND CENTERING**

**OPENING PRAYER**

**SONGS OF PRAISE**

*"Lord of the Dance"*

#80

*"Come Into His Presence"*

#126

**PEACE**

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: **And also with you.**

**MUSICAL REFLECTION**

Chancel Choir

**FIRST READING**

Psalm 23

L: The word of the Lord. C: **Thanks be to God.**

**SECOND READING**

1 John 3:16–24

L: The word of the Lord. C: **Thanks be to God.**

**GOSPEL** (*Stand*)

John 10:11–18

P: The Holy Gospel... **C: Glory to you, O Lord.**

P: The Gospel of the Lord. **C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

Pastor Steve

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**SONG OF RESPONSE** "Shepherd Me, O God"

**Red #780**

**WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**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.**

**HOLY COMMUNION**

*Regardless of your age or faith background, you are welcome to join us in Holy Communion. Communion will be served at stations. Follow the directions of the ushers. If you would like to receive communion, please have your hands out and open. If you would like communion delivered to you in the pew, please notify an usher.*

**COMMUNION SONG** "Here is Bread"

**#135**

**POST-COMMUNION TABLE BLESSING**

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

**C: Amen.**

**OFFERING**

**“I’m Forever Grateful”**

**#122**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS AND MISSION OPPORTUNITIES**

**RESPONSIVE BENEDICTION**

**May the Lord bless and keep us (echo)**

**May his face shine upon us (echo)**

**May his blessings be with us (echo)**

**And give us peace (echo)**

**SENDING SONG**

**“Cornerstone”**

**#31**

**DISMISSAL**

**P: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.**

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**POSTLUDE**

**“Cornerstone”**

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Remember in Prayer:** Carter, Krystal Draper, Joanne Boomgarden, Sally Olson, Fay Dimick, Deanna Bergheim, Georgia Bellinger, Merlyn VanRosendale, Tim Schut, David Hanson, Virginia Oas, Mendy Herke, Maci Johnson, Kendra Paulson, Jase Weerheim, Kelly LaValliere, Mathias Warne, Barb Feige
- Please collect your slow cookers and containers in the kitchen from various recent activities.
- Worship Schedule Changes: Communion has been moved from the first to the second weekend in May. Saturday worship has been moved to May 11.
- May 5th will be the last day of Sunday School, so we will be celebrating with “Sundae Sunday” during class!
- Senior Sunday will be May 12th. We will celebrate our high school seniors and bless them with their senior quilts at both services. We will have cake and ice cream during fellowship between services.
- Bethel Lutheran Home’s Annual Dinner is Thursday, April 25 at the Dakota Prairie Playhouse. Doors open at 5:30 with the start of the dessert auction followed by dinner and a brief program. Order your tickets at [bethelcommunity.com/events](http://bethelcommunity.com/events) or by calling the Foundation at 605-427-2195. Proceeds go to purchases of specialized equipment, facility upgrades and other items of need. Desserts for the auction are also accepted.
- The support group for Trinity women who have lost their husband will meet at Nicky’s at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>.
- Please check the newsletter for the current summary of the financials.

*Please see Trinity’s eNews for weekly calendar and more detailed announcements.*

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