



"Peace be with you!" He said to them." John 20:19b

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**congregation stands*

WELCOME

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AS WE GATHER

Thomas had missed out. He wasn't there with the other disciples when the risen Jesus appeared that first Easter night to show them His hands and side. Thomas was absent when Jesus breathed on them with His Spirit and sent them out to proclaim His forgiveness. It's no wonder then that when Thomas heard about this encounter, he wanted to see Jesus for himself. "Unless I see, . . . I will never believe," he said (John 20:25). One week after Christ's resurrection, Thomas had his opportunity. He saw. He touched. He believed. He confessed: "My Lord and my God!" (John 20:28). Today is your opportunity—don't miss out! Our risen Jesus is here with His Spirit and in His body and blood. We see. We touch. We believe. We confess. As we gather in His presence for worship today, may He fill us with great joy as we continue to celebrate His resurrection victory and confess Him as our Lord and God!

INVOCATION AND CALL TO WORSHIP

- P In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C **Amen.**
- P The LORD is the stronghold of my life.
- C **Of whom shall I be afraid?**
- P Though an army besiege me, my heart will not fear.
- C **Though war break out against me, even then will I be confident.**
- P The LORD is my light and my salvation.
- C **Whom shall I fear?**

HYMN

O SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF THE KING

LSB 470, vs. 1, 4-7



1 O sons and daugh - ters of the King, Whom heav'n - ly
 4 That night the a - pos - tles met in fear; A - mong them
 5 When Thom - as first the tid - ings heard That they had
 6 "My pier - ed side, O Thom - as, see, And look up -
 7 No long - er Thom - as then de - nied; He saw the



hosts in glo - ry sing, To - day the grave has lost its sting!
 came their mas - ter dear And said, "My peace be with you here."
 seen the ris - en Lord, He doubt - ed the dis - ci - ples' word.
 on My hands, My feet; Not faith - less but be - liev - ing be."
 feet, the hands, the side; "You are my Lord and God!" he cried.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
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*CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P Heavenly Father, we praise you for our Savior's mighty resurrection and making us heirs of eternal life in Christ, who frees us from our sins by his blood.

C **Yet we still fail to trust you with all our heart.**

P We are often overcome and overwhelmed by fear.

C **The fear of finishing last,**

P And going broke,

C **We fear layoffs at work,**

P Slowdowns in the economy,

C **Flare-ups in the Middle East,**

P Downturns in the housing market,

C **Upswings in global warming,**

P And we fear the sound of the clock as it ticks us closer to the grave.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

P Christ, have mercy.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

P Hear the good news from 1 John 4:18, "Perfect love casts out fear." Jesus loves you with this perfect love—a love that went all the way to the cross for you and rose again on Easter. Because of that I, a called and ordained servant of the Word, forgive and absolve you of all your sins, in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

P The LORD is my light and my salvation.

C **Whom shall I fear?**

*HYMN

O SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF THE KING

LSB 479, vs. 8, 9



8 How blest are they who have not seen And yet whose
9 On this most ho - ly day of days Be laud and

faith has con-stant been, For they e - ter - nal life shall win.
 ju - bi - lee and praise: To God your hearts and voic-es raise.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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*PRAYER OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.
 C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray. Heavenly Father, like the disciples, we hide behind doors locked doors, overwhelmed with fear. Show us the hands and side of our risen Savior to the end that we live in holy boldness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
 C **Amen.**

FIRST READING

Acts 4:23–31

²³When they were released, they went to their friends and reported what the chief priests and the elders had said to them. ²⁴And when they heard it, they lifted their voices together to God and said, "Sovereign Lord, who made the heaven and the earth and the sea and everything in them, ²⁵who through the mouth of our father David, your servant, said by the Holy Spirit,

"Why did the Gentiles rage,
 and the peoples plot in vain?

²⁶The kings of the earth set themselves,
 and the rulers were gathered together,
 against the Lord and against his Anointed'—

²⁷for truly in this city there were gathered together against your holy servant Jesus, whom you anointed, both Herod and Pontius Pilate, along with the Gentiles and the peoples of Israel, ²⁸to do whatever your hand and your plan had predestined to take place. ²⁹And now, Lord, look upon their threats and grant to your servants to continue to speak your word with all boldness, ³⁰while you stretch out your hand to heal, and signs and wonders are performed through the name of your holy servant Jesus." ³¹And when they had prayed, the place in which they were gathered together was shaken, and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and continued to speak the word of God with boldness.

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

SECOND READING

1 John 4:15-19

¹⁵Whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God, God abides in him, and he in God. ¹⁶So we have come to know and to believe the love that God has for us. God is love, and whoever abides in love abides in God, and God abides in him. ¹⁷By this is love perfected with us, so that we may have confidence for the day of judgment, because as he is so also are we in this world. ¹⁸There is no fear in love, but perfect love casts out fear. For fear has to do with punishment, and whoever fears has not been perfected in love. ¹⁹We love because he first loved us.

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

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

HYMN

HE'S RISEN, HE'S RISEN

LSB 480

vs. 1, 4, 5



1 He's ris - en, He's ris - en, Christ Je - sus, the Lord;
4 O, where is your sting, death? We fear you no more;
△ 5 Then sing your ho - san - nas and raise your glad voice;



He o - pened death's pris - on, the in - car - nate, true Word.
Christ rose, and now o - pen is fair E - den's door.
Pro - claim the blest tid - ings that all may re - joice.



Break forth, hosts of heav - en, in ju - bi - lant song
For all our trans - gres - sions His blood does a - tone;
Laud, hon - or, and praise to the Lamb that was slain:



And earth, sea, and moun - tain their prais - es pro - long.
Re - deemed and for - giv - en, we now are His own.
With Fa - ther and Spir - it He ev - er shall reign.

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*GOSPEL

John 20:19-28

- P The Gospel according to John the 20th chapter.
- C **Glorify to you, O Lord.**

¹⁹On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you." ²⁰When he

had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord. ²¹Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you." ²²And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³If you forgive the sins of anyone, they are forgiven; if you withhold forgiveness from anyone, it is withheld."

²⁴Now Thomas, one of the Twelve, called the Twin, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see in his hands the mark of the nails, and place my finger into the mark of the nails, and place my hand into his side, I will never believe."

²⁶Eight days later, his disciples were inside again, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." ²⁷Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here, and see my hands; and put out your hand, and place it in my side. Do not disbelieve, but believe." ²⁸Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!"

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

***APOSTLES' CREED**—see *projection or inside cover of pew hymnal*

SERMON

WHAT DOES FEAR DO?

Based on John 20:19-28

HYMN OF THE DAY

ALLELUIA! JESUS IS RISEN!

LSB 474



1 Al - le - lu - ia!	Je - sus is ris - en!	Trum - pets re -
2 Walk - ing the way,	Christ in the cen - ter	Tell - ing the
3 Je - sus the vine,	We are the branch - es;	Life in the
4 Weep - ing, be gone;	Sor - row, be si - lent:	Death put a -
5 Cit - y of God,	Eas - ter for - ev - er,	Gold - en Je -



sound - ing in glo - ri - ous light!	Splen - dor, the Lamb,	Heav - en for -
sto - ry to o - pen our eyes;	Break - ing our bread,	Giv - ing us
Spir - it the fruit of the tree;	Heav - en to earth,	Christ to the
sun - der, and Eas - ter is bright.	Cher - u - bim sing:	"O grave, be
ru - sa - lem, Je - sus the Lamb,	Riv - er of life,	Saints and arch -



ev - er!	Oh, what a mir - a - cle	God has in sight!
glo - ry:	Je - sus our bless - ing, our	con - stant sur - prise.
peo - ple,	Gift of the fu - ture now	flow - ing to me.
o - pen!"	Clothe us in won - der, a -	dorn us in light.
an - gels,	Sing with cre - a - tion to	God the I AM!

Refrain

Je - sus is ris - en and we shall a - rise:
Give God the glo - ry! Al - le - lu - ia!

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***PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

- P Father in heaven, our hearts and minds are flooded with fears. Sometimes we are so paralyzed, we feel unable to go on. Our fears are overwhelming, they remain with us day and night.
- C **But we cling to your promise that,**
- P Perfect love.
- C **Casts out fear.**
- P In moments of crippling fear, we choose to trust your Word, gaze upon the scars of our Savior, and trust his resurrection love. For he has experienced, for us, the most frightening moments—rejection, loss, abandonment and death.
- C **And so we cling to your promise that,**
- P Perfect love,
- C **Casts out all fear.**

- + Additional Prayers +

- P Father, because of your perfect love we can begin again. Protected by your mercy and sheltered by your grace, we say “No,” to fear and “Yes” to faith. We pray in Jesus’ merciful and matchless name.
- C **Amen.**

***LORD’S PRAYER**—*see projection or inside cover of pew hymnal*

***COLLECT FOR PEACE**

- P O God, from whom come all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works, give to us, Your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey Your commandments and also that we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may live in peace and quietness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C **Amen.**

*BENEDICTION

P On the evening of that first day of the week, when the disciples were together, with the doors locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you!"

C **Then he said, "As the Father has sent me, I am sending you."**

P Christ sends us too, to live without fear and full of faith, in the name of our God,

C **Father, Son and Holy Spirit.**

ALL: Amen.

HYMN TO DEPART

I KNOW THAT MY REDEEMER LIVES

LSB 461, vs. 1, 5, 6



1 I know that my Re - deem - er lives; What com - fort
5 He lives to si - lence all my fears; He lives to
6 He lives, my kind, wise, heav'n - ly friend; He lives and



this sweet sen - tence gives! He lives, He lives, who
wipe a - way my tears; He lives to calm my
loves me to the end; He lives, and while He



once was dead; He lives, my ev - er - liv - ing head.
trou - bled heart; He lives all bless - ings to im - part.
lives, I'll sing; He lives, my Proph - et, Priest, and King.

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SILENT PRAYER

Lord, enable me to see fear for what it really is—False Evidence Appearing Real. In Jesus' name I choose to live by faith! Amen.

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Serving our Lord

		April 24, 2022	May 1, 2022
Musician		Merlin Simon	Marissa Bernau
Cantor		Andy Koch	Dave Workman
Altar Guild		Sharon Drews and Nim Traeger	Joanie Wachter and Jane Shull
Elder	8am	Sam Erdman	Sam Erdman
	10:30am	Kurt Vallin	Kurt Vallin
Reader	8am	Peter Olsen	Jon Peterson
	10:30am	Tim Morris	Kurt Vallin
Usher Team	8am	Layne Streich	Gary Sheets
	10:30am	Lance Halverson	Open
Greeter(s)	8am	Open	Open
	10:30am	Open	Lynn Kroonblawd
Acolyte	8am	Jacob Seeman	Open
	10:30am	Seth Halverson and Eli Halverson	Open
Projection	8am	Matt Seeman	Open
	10:30am	Caleb Morris	Jean Peterson
Live stream	8:00am	Jim Nicklas	Jim Nicklas



Shepherding Our Strays

Sunday, April 24 | 9:15-10:15am

Do you have a concern for inactive members and desire to see them restored into the spiritual life of the congregation? Come study Scripture to learn how to serve our inactive members, and speak with Pastor Kroonblawd if you'd like to be included in the workshop next month.



TLO Youth Pizza Meet and Greet

TONIGHT! April 24 | 4:30 pm – 6 pm

TLO Youth 7th - 12th grade students and parents interested in TLO Youth Ministry, come for pizza and meet TLO's new Youth Ministry Leaders, Matthew and Elizabeth Berg. The Berg's were married at TLO on July 10, 2021 and have been serving as teachers in our Sunday school this year. Worship and music led by Matt Seeman. Weather permitting, we will do activities outside. Then we will open discussion about TLO youth ministry, specifically "Where do we go from here?" Sign up with the church office so we know how much pizza to order.

COMING UP AT TLO — April 24, 2022 – May 1, 2022**FIRST SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Sun	8:00*am	Worship
	9:15am	Education Hour for all ages; Shepherding our Strays adult Bible class
	10:30am	Worship
	2:00pm	Private piano recital
	4:30pm	TLO Youth Pizza Meet 'n Greet
	6:00pm	Hoops
Mon	10:00am	Adult Bible Study
Tue	7:00pm	Church Council
Wed	6:30am	Men's Bible study
	6:30pm	Men's Choir rehearsal
Fri	9:00am	Women of the Word (WoW) Bible study
Sat	9:00am	Women's Bible study
	9:00am	GodConnects 1 of 3

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Sun	8:00*am	Worship with Holy Communion
	9:15am	Farewell and Godspeed for Marissa Bernau followed by Education Hour
	10:30am	Worship with Holy Communion
	6:00pm	Hoops

*worship online at www.trinityloneoak.org

**Remember in Prayer**

Ben Heintz, Lorrie's cousin, back to work part time; prayer for full recovery
 Ramona Broman; prayers for Jesus to be close to her
 George (Ted) Hakanson, Greg's father, continuing radiation and chemo for stage 3 lung cancer
 Joseph Labhart (Flannery's grandson) ongoing health concerns
 For Jordan Lowry and his family, Marisa, Garrett and Eli, on his military deployment.
 John Prusak, Keith's father, struggling with Parkinson's and dementia
 Billy D. Swain, ongoing health concerns
 Laverne Ziebell, prayers requested as he works through ongoing health problems



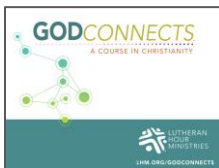
Please keep the family of Dorothy Sell in your prayers. Funeral service for Dorothy was held at TLO Friday, April 22, with interment at the TLO Cemetery. *"The Lord gives, and the LORD has taken away; blessed be the name of the LORD."* Job 1:25

WEEKLY DEPOSITS: April 17, 2022

General Fund Income:			
	Current and Mission Weekly Offering	\$	16,744.00
	(Our offering budget is \$7,980 per week)		
	Building Reserve Fund	\$	1,740.00
	(Our offering budget is \$665 for per week)		
	Sunday school	\$	N/A
	1883 School Annual Fund	\$	1,180.00
	Tuition	\$	7,220.38
	Chapel	\$	98.50
	Church and school fees	\$	1,695.27
	Subtotal General Fund Income	\$	28,678.15
Special Purpose Income (not available for general fund spending)			
	YTF2	\$	245.00
	Acorn Scholarship Fund	\$	2,105.00
	YI Stamps, an investment of Lutheran Church Extension Fund	\$	329.00
	Subtotal Special Fund Income	\$	2,679.00

Fiscal Year To Date as of April 17, 2022

Current and Mission Income:			
	YTD Budgeted Giving (\$7,980.00 per week for 42 weeks)	\$	335,160.00
	YTD Actual Giving	\$	339,978.87
	YTD Difference	\$	4,818.87
Building Reserve Fund Income:			
	YTD Budgeted Giving (\$665.00 per week for 42 weeks)	\$	27,930.00
	YTD Actual Giving	\$	27,464.16
	YTD Difference	\$	-465.84



GODCONNECTS

April 30, May 7, May 14 | 9am-12noon

GodConnects is a video series explaining the Christian faith in a way that makes it easy to invite a friend, family member, or church visitor. Plain language and helpful illustrations present God's work of salvation in a concise manner. This series is ideal for those with questions about sin, judgment, redemption, Jesus, the believer's life, and more. Who has God put in your life that needs to hear His message? Invite them or contact the church office and we'll send an invitation.

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 one of our pastors, a greeter or an usher. 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.



Birthdays this week

April 25 Lynn Kroonblawd, Addison Rose
April 26 Samantha Petry
April 27 Peter Jonas
April 30 Rachel Dittel



Farewell and Godspeed To Marissa Bernau Next Sunday, May 1 | 9:15am | TLO Gym

Join us as we wish Marissa Bernau Farewell and Godspeed on her new endeavors. TLO has enjoyed Marissa's organ talents for two years, and Marissa has been a student teacher in our grade 1 and grade 3 classrooms since September. Come wish Marissa well as she graduates from Concordia University St. Paul and begins her teaching ministry at St. Martin's Lutheran School, Winona. A basket will be available for greeting cards, and cake and coffee will be served.



Welcome Merlin Simon

TLO is pleased to welcome Mr. Merlin Simon to the TLO staff as organist. Please refer to the inserted information for Merlin and introduce yourself to him when you can!

Sing and make music
from your heart to the Lord.
Ephesians 5:19