



CHURCH OF THE  
REDEEMER

EASTER DAY  
APRIL 4, 2021

You are invited to ring bells at the proclamations of "Alleluia" during the service as a way to express the joy of the Resurrection.

## HE IS RISEN

1 He is ris - en, he is ris - en! Tell it out with  
 2 Come, ye sad and fear - ful - heart - ed, with glad smile and  
 \*3 Come, with high and ho - ly hymn - ing, hail our Lord's tri -  
 4 He is ris - en, he is ris - en! He hath o - pened

joy - ful voice: he has burst his three days' pris - on;  
 ra - diant brow! Death's long sha - dows have de - part - ed;  
 um - phant day; not one dark - some cloud is dim - ming  
 hea - ven's gate: we are free from sin's dark pris - on,

let the whole wide earth re - joice: death is con - quered,  
 Je - sus' woes are o - ver now, and the pas - sion  
 yon - der glo - rious morn - ing ray, break - ing o'er the  
 ris - en to a ho - lier state; and a bright - er

we are free, Christ has won the vic - to - ry.  
 that he bore— sin and pain can vex no more.  
 pur - ple east, sym - bol of our Eas - ter feast.  
 Eas - ter beam on our long - ing eyes shall stream.

Words: Cecil Frances Alexander (1818-1895), alt.  
 Music: *Unser Herrscher*, Joachim Neander (1650-1680)

*Celebrant: Alleluia! Christ is risen!*

**People: The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

## ALMIGHTY GOD

*Verse 1*

Almighty God to you all hearts are open  
Searching all our thoughts and anxious fears  
Wash us in the fountain of your mercy  
Come with your light, we cannot hide from you

*Chorus*

Hallelujah, hallelujah,  
hallelujah, hallelujah

*Verse 2*

Almighty God to you all hearts are open  
With gratitude we raise our song to you  
Come and fill the praises of your people  
In grace and truth, you make us new again

*Verse 3*

Almighty God to you all hearts are open  
We long for more than what this world provides  
No shallow spring will ever satisfy us  
Your river deep floods over everything

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*Celebrant: The Lord be with you.*

**People: And with your spirit.**

*Celebrant: Let us pray.*

*Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's resurrection, may, by your life-giving Spirit, be delivered from sin and raised from death; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.*

## ISAIAH 25:6-9

<sup>6</sup> On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all peoples  
a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wine,  
of rich food full of marrow, of aged wine well refined.

<sup>7</sup> And he will swallow up on this mountain  
the covering that is cast over all peoples,  
the veil that is spread over all nations.

<sup>8</sup> He will swallow up death forever;  
and the Lord God will wipe away tears from all faces,  
and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth,  
for the Lord has spoken.  
<sup>9</sup> It will be said on that day,  
"Behold, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us.  
This is the Lord; we have waited for him;  
let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."

The Holy Bible, ESV

*Reader: The Word of the Lord*

**People: Thanks be to God.**

## PSALM 118:14-17, 22-24

<sup>14</sup> The Lord is my strength and my song;  
he has become my salvation.  
<sup>15</sup> Glad songs of salvation  
are in the tents of the righteous:  
"The right hand of the Lord does valiantly,  
<sup>16</sup> the right hand of the Lord exalts,  
the right hand of the Lord does valiantly!"  
<sup>17</sup> I shall not die, but I shall live,  
and recount the deeds of the Lord.  
<sup>22</sup> The stone that the builders rejected  
has become the cornerstone.  
<sup>23</sup> This is the Lord's doing;  
it is marvelous in our eyes.  
<sup>24</sup> This is the day that the Lord has made;  
let us rejoice and be glad in it.

The Holy Bible, ESV

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen.**

## 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."

The Holy Bible, ESV

*Reader: The Word of the Lord*

**People: Thanks be to God.**

## ALLELUIA

*At the Gospel reading, we stand and the Scripture is read in the midst of the congregation as a way to honor the truth that in Christ God became flesh and dwelt among us.*

*Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Mark.*

**People: Glory to you Lord Christ**

Alleluia! Alleluia! Blessed art Thou O Lord God of our fathers  
Alleluia! Alleluia! You are worthy of praise forever

Tune: Paul Calvin  
Text: The Anglican Use Gradual

## MARK 16:1-8

<sup>1</sup> When the Sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. <sup>2</sup> And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. <sup>3</sup> And they were saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance of the tomb?" <sup>4</sup> And looking up, they saw that the stone had been rolled back—it was very large. <sup>5</sup> And entering the tomb, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, dressed in a white robe, and they were alarmed. <sup>6</sup> And he said to them, "Do not be alarmed. You seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen; he is not here. See the place where they laid him. <sup>7</sup> But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going before you to Galilee. There you will see him, just as he told you." <sup>8</sup> And they went out and fled from the tomb, for trembling and astonishment had seized them, and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

*The Holy Bible, ESV*

*Reader: The Gospel of the Lord*

**People: Praise to you, Lord Christ**

## SERMON

*Rev. Paul Calvin*

## THE NICENE CREED

We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:  
by the power of the Holy Spirit

he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.

He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*Leader: Lord, in your mercy*

**People Hear our prayer.**

## CONFESSON OF SIN

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*You may kneel or sit during the prayer of confession*

*Officiant: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.*

**People: Most merciful God,**  
we confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word and deed,  
by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.  
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us;  
that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,  
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

*Priest: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

## THE COMFORTABLE WORDS

*Celebrant: Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him...*

## THE PEACE

*Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.*

**People: And with your spirit.**

*As we remember the peace that we have been given with God through his forgiveness, we also remember that He has made us at peace with one another. That is why we "exchange the peace." You may say "The peace of the Lord" to those around you, or just say "Hello."*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## THE OFFERTORY

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*In order to support the mission of the church financially, you may send checks to Church of the Redeemer, P.O. Box 130965, St. Paul, MN 55113, or if you wish to give online or set up direct deposit from your bank account, please visit <https://oftheredeemer.org/give/>*

*Officiant: Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty: for everything in heaven and on earth is yours; yours is the Kingdom, O Lord, and you are exalted as Head above all. All things come from you, O Lord,*

**People: And of your own have we given you.**

1 Chronicles 29:11, 14

# THE HOLY COMMUNION

*Celebrant: The Lord be with you.*

**People: And with your spirit.**

*Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.*

**People: We lift them up to the Lord.**

*Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.*

**People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

*Celebrant: It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth...*

*Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:*

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of —  
Hosts. Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of —  
Hosts. Hea - ven and earth are — full of the  
glo - ry of your ma - jes - ty Bles - sed is he who  
comes — in the name of the Lord Ho - san - na in the  
high - est Ho - san - na in the high - est Ho - san - na  
in the high - - - est.



*Celebrant: Holy and gracious Father...  
Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:*

**Celebrant and People:**

**Christ has died.  
Christ is risen.  
Christ will come again.**

*Celebrant: We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving...*

*...all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.*

**Celebrant and People: AMEN.**

*And now, as our savior Christ has taught us we are bold to pray together,*

**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.**

*Celebrant: Alleluia! Christ our Passover Lamb has been sacrificed for us, once for all upon the cross.*

**People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!**

*Celebrant: The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.*

*Directions for Communion*

*All baptized believers in Jesus Christ are welcome to receive Communion. However, if you are not able to receive you may remain seated or come forward for a prayer of blessing from one of our ministers. Please indicate your desire for a prayer of blessing by crossing your arms across your chest.*

*You will be dismissed to receive by one of our greeters. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request. Please extend your hand to receive the bread and the cup and move toward the basket to consume the elements before returning to your seat. Please place the empty cup in the basket to the right or left of the server before you return to your seat.*

## AGNUS DEI

Lamb of God, Lamb of God  
You take away, You take away, You take away,  
All of our sin  
Have mercy on us

This is the good news  
This is the gift of life  
This is the the body and blood of Christ for the life of the world

Sing Hallelujah  
Sing Hallelujah  
Sing Hallelujah

Ben Kyle  
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## WE WILL FEAST IN THE HOUSE OF ZION

### *Chorus*

We will feast in the house of Zion  
We will sing with our hearts restored  
He has done great things, we will say together  
We will feast and weep no more

### *Verse 1*

We will not be burned by the fire  
He is the LORD our God  
We are not consumed, by the flood  
Upheld, protected, gathered up

### *Verse 2*

In the dark of night, before the dawn  
My soul, be not afraid  
For the promised morning, oh how long?  
Oh God of Jacob, be my strength

### *Verse 3*

Every vow we've broken and betrayed  
You are the Faithful one  
And from the garden to the grave  
Bind us together, bring shalom.

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Written by Sandra McCracken and Joshua Moore

# Thine is the glory

1 Thine is the glo - ry, Ris - en, con-qu'ring Son; End - less is the  
2 Lo, Je - sus meets thee, Ris - en from the tomb! Lov - ing - ly he  
3 No more we doubt thee, Glo - rious Prince of life; Life is nought with-

vic - t'ry Thou o'er death hast won! An - gels in bright rai - ment  
greet thee, Scat - ters fear and gloom; Let his Church with glad - ness  
out thee; Aid us in our strife; Make us more than con-qu'rors,

Rolled the stone a - way, Kept the fold - ed grave - clothes  
Hymns of tri - umph sing, For the Lord now liv - eth;  
Through thy death - less love; Bring us safe through Jor - dan

*Refrain*  
Where thy bod - y lay.  
Death hath lost its sting! Thine is the glo - ry, Ris - en, con-qu'ring Son;  
To thy home a - bove.

End - less is the vic - t'ry Thou o'er death hast won!

**Celebrant and People:**

Heavenly Father, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out into the world to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

*Celebrant: The peace of God which passes all understanding keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. Amen.*

*Deacon: Alleluia, alleluia! Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.*

**People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!**

*Please keep social distance of at least six feet as you exit the sanctuary and depart the church. Out of respect for the space and our host congregation, please take a moment to check for papers, bulletins and other items as you leave the sanctuary today.*

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*Sanctus*  
Elizabeth Stewart  
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*The flowers at the front of the sanctuary were given in honor or memory of...*

Kenneth and Norma Wessner, William and Frances Anderson, Luke Anderson, given by Ross and Barbara Anderson

William C. Pfeiffer II, given by Paul & Anne Calvin

Parents & Grandparents, given by Steve & Cindy Calvin

Carol McChesney and Elsie Oakes, given by Mike and Sarah Hadley

Freddy Keillor, given by Will & Sonia Keillor

John Asher "Jack" Kelsey, Ruby Linder, 1st Lieutenant Christopher Goeke, Katie Norman, given by the Pickell Family

*You may take your flowers from the front of the sanctuary at the conclusion of our worship service.*

# kidCONNECT

This Sunday marks a shift in the timing of our ministry with children. This will replace our KidConnect gatherings taking place on Sunday mornings and before church.

- **Beginning April 4 (Easter Sunday, 4:30 p.m.)** - Nursery care for 2 years and younger, Preschool, K-3rd Grade, & 4th/5th Grade classes will meet during the service.

Nursery and Preschool will utilize Calvary's nursery, and children can be picked up at the passing of the peace. K-3 and 4/5 will be meeting in classrooms and will be returned to the sanctuary at the peace.

## PRAYER FOR YOUTH & CHILDREN – FRIDAYS, 12–12:30 P.M.

Join us in prayer via Zoom at noon on Friday, to pray for the next generation of leaders and Christ-followers – the precious ones in our church family, and beyond.

Visit <https://oftheredeemer.org/events/friday-prayer/> to participate.

## YOUTH OF THE REDEEMER

Youth in 6th-12th Grade meet on Sunday afternoons from 3:00–4:15 at Calvary in a large group/small group format. There is also a Zoom-in option hosted by youth leaders for those not able to meet in person. Be in touch with Caleb or Breana Dahl, Katie Pitchford (6th Graders) or Pete or Caitlyn Talbert (Zoom Group) with questions or encouragements as they lead and develop ministry to and with our youth.

## WOMEN'S LISTENING PRAYER - APRIL 8

Women's Listening Prayer will be gathering in person on **Thursday, April 8th!** Small groups will meet outdoors or indoors with precautions. [Sign up here](#) by Tuesday, April 6th. We hope you will join us!

Looking ahead:

Thursday, May 6th at 7pm will be our last WLP of the year

Saturday, June 5th at 10am will be an outdoor social gathering

[Contact Haley Scharf](#) or anyone on the planning team with questions.

## MEN'S LISTENING PRAYER

Men's Listening Prayer will meet outdoors at Gathering Place on **Wednesday, April 14, 7 p.m.** Watch the weekly email for more details.

## WOMEN'S INDUCTIVE BIBLE STUDY

Women's Inductive Bible Study on the Gospel of Luke meets **Monday nights, 7-8:15 p.m.** via Zoom. It is never too late to join us! Come to spend time with the Lord Jesus in the winter and spring of 2021 and to discover how Jesus responded to people like us! The Luke LifeChange study is our guide. We will adjust our meeting venue as the pandemic and the weather allow. Contact Barbie Anderson at [bwanderson70@comcast.net](mailto:bwanderson70@comcast.net) with questions and to RSVP.

## WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY - THURSDAY MORNINGS

Women's Thursday morning Bible study will begin again on **Feb. 4 at 9:30** via Zoom, making changes to our meeting venue as the pandemic and weather allow. We will be studying Paul's Epistle to the Ephesians, using the NavPress LifeChange Bible Study Guide in Ephesians as our guide. God's message of New Life in Christ is as pertinent and timely for us today as it was for the nascent church -- together we will discover the strength of God's Spirit to help us believe and live in loving harmony with Him and one another. Please contact [Cindy Calvin](#) with questions and to RSVP.

## REFUGEE LIFE MINISTRY

For the next year, Church of the Redeemer has committed to support the Htoo family through a Refugee Life team. This is a great opportunity for service, partnership, and fellowship with our brothers and sisters at St. John's Karen Anglican church, where the Htoos are members. Please contact Kyong Song ([kyongmin.song@gmail.com](mailto:kyongmin.song@gmail.com)) with questions or if you'd like to participate.

## OUR GOSPEL STORY

**Monday Evenings, 7:30 p.m., Beginning April 12**

Our Gospel Story is a resource designed to help you grow in confidence to show and share the love of Jesus. Join us as we encourage one another to show and share His love with those around us in winsome and creative ways. Theology comes to life when we put it into action! Contact Fr. Paul at [paul@oftheredeemer.org](mailto:paul@oftheredeemer.org) with questions and to RSVP.

## DISCOVERING REDEEMER

April 15, 22, & 29, 8:30–9:30 p.m.

Discovering Redeemer is an opportunity to get to know others at Church of the Redeemer, find out more about our church's mission and values, and learn about some of the distinctives of Anglican practice and belief. Discovering Redeemer will be held Thursday evenings, April 15th, 22nd, and 29th, 8:30–9:30 p.m. Over three sessions, we will discuss key passages of scripture – supplemented by podcasts, selected readings, art, and hymns. This class is a prerequisite of membership in the church, but all are welcome to attend. Contact Fr. Paul at paul@oftheredeemer.org with questions and to RSVP.

## MORNING PRAYER - WEDNESDAYS, 7:30 A.M.

Join us in worship via Zoom on Wednesdays, 7:30 a.m., for song, scripture, intercession, and thanksgiving.

Login information and an order of service is available on our website at:

<https://oftheredeemer.org/events/wednesday-worship-prayer/>

## 40 DAYS OF GENEROSITY

Throughout the season of Lent, and as the focus of [our Good Friday offering](#), we have raised support for St. Paul's Dormitory for orphans in Mae Ra Moe refugee camp in Thailand. In just six weeks we've received enough funds to support the operation of the orphanage for one year. Gifts will continue to be received through this Wednesday. Join in this ministry of generosity and consider how you might contribute, kids included!

As of	Households	Total Contributions
March 31, 2021	28	\$8841

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## WELCOME!

Thank you for joining us in worship today. We are blessed by your presence with us. If you would like to be contacted by one of our clergy or added to our weekly email communication, please use this QR code. Thank you!



## Staff

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