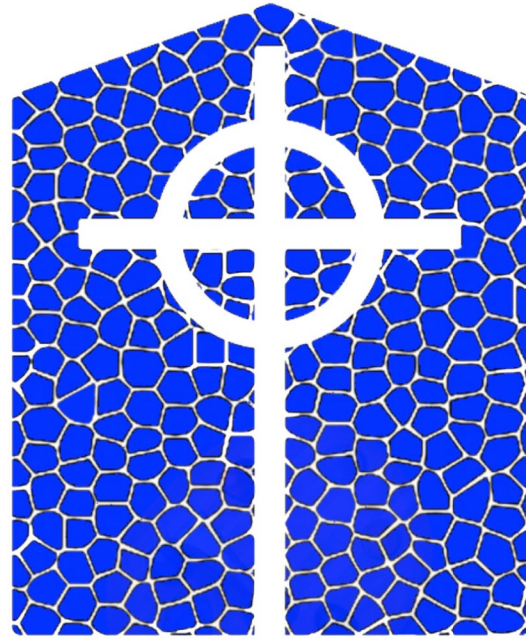


Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 21, 2024



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*Trinity Presbyterian Church is called by God, through our Lord Jesus Christ, and empowered by the Holy Spirit, to be a **worshipping, nurturing and serving** community.*

Welcome

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude "Though I May Speak" arr. D. Wood

Call to Worship

We come to God, our holy shepherd,
as we come to a green meadow.

**God prepares a place for us,
and we give glory in God's presence.**

How excellent is this dwelling place under the eyes of God's care.

We turn to God in joy.

Our good shepherd provides for all our needs.

Prayer of the Day

Providing God, in our journey of faithfulness, we graze in the pastures you lead us to each day. As we move along, our steps may seem aimless, yet you keep watch and never leave. When we are tired, you prepare for us a table. When we are thirsty, your cup of goodness and mercy overflows. When we are lost, you seek us out. And oh, how our hearts leap when you call to us, for we know your voice and feel your love. Dearest God, we are so grateful that your staff of righteousness leads us home. **Amen.**

* Hymn #394 "Christ is Made the Sure Foundation"
Westminster Abbey

Confession and Lament

Even in the joy of resurrection, we do not forget the anguish of our sins. We pray together in confession and lament:

Risen One, we confess our silence amid the persecution of others, silence that has often complied with oppression and brought harm. What can we do to eradicate poverty, hunger, and homelessness? Help us to hear your voice above all others, and teach us how to care for our neighbor, feed the hungry, and clothe and care for those in need, for as we do these things unto one another, we do them also unto you.

In joy of resurrection, we claim the victory of Christ over the power of sin. God has rolled away the stone to reveal our salvation. We look inside the tomb, and where Jesus once lay lifeless, we find the gifts of God's grace and forgiveness. Go and tell the world! In Christ we are forgiven.

* Passing of the Peace
Leader: May the Peace of Christ be with you.
People: And also with you.

* Response of Praise
**Alleluia, Alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.
Alleluia, Alleluia! Give praise to His name!**

* Affirmation of Faith (Apostles' Creed)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Faith Formation Moment

Offering of our Gifts

Offertory "All Things Bright and Beautiful" arr. S. Tucker

* Doxology (Hymn #606)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People and 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Unison Reading Psalm 23

¹ The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. ² He makes me lie down in green pastures; he leads me beside still waters; ³ He restores my soul. He leads me in right paths for his name's sake. ⁴ Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. ⁵ You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. ⁶ Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD my whole life long.

New Testament Lesson Acts 4:5-12

⁵ The next day their rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, ⁶ with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. ⁷ When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?" ⁸ Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and

elders, ⁹ if we are being questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are being asked how this man has been healed, ¹⁰ let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that this man is standing before you in good health by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead. ¹¹ This Jesus is 'the stone that was rejected by you, the builders; it has become the cornerstone.'

¹² "There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved."

Anthem "Standing in the Need of Prayer" arr. A. L'estrage
Chancel Choir

Gospel Lesson John 10:11-18

¹¹ "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. ¹² The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away, and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. ¹³ The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. ¹⁴ I am the good shepherd. I know my own, and my own know me, ¹⁵ just as the Father knows me, and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. ¹⁶ I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. ¹⁷ For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. ¹⁸ No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father."

Meditation "Would You Rather" Rev. Dr. Jeff Beebe

* Hymn #801 "The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want" Crimond

* Invitation to Discipleship

How good it is to celebrate new life this Easter season. The call to follow Jesus in this new life may be on our hearts. We are invited now to answer this call. He rose to bring us along on the road of salvation. He calls to us here, saying, "Come and follow me." By the Spirit we are led into a new season, into a new beginning with Christ. Let us step into joy, the joy of following Jesus. Hallelujah, for the call of Jesus is the power of life everlasting.

* Benediction

* Congregational Response (Hymn #306)

**Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love.
The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.**

* Postlude "Postlude on Old Hundredth" F. Bock

* Denotes please stand if able.

WORSHIP NOTES

Greeters & Ushers: Marti Benz, Ron & Penny Weidner, Bill & Sandy Boland, Susan Kopyar, Bea & Mike Pison

Lay Reader: Carol Corson **Audio Tech:** Ken Mettler

Audio Visual: Jeff Cooke, Ken Mettler, David Wheeler

Flowers: The flowers this morning are given by Norma Rogero in memory of her husband Tom Rogero and by Fred and Jane Pellmann in celebration of their 60th Anniversary.

Children's Worship Table: Children are invited to the Children's Worship Table after the Faith Formation to enjoy this week's Children's Worship booklet and/or any of the other quiet activities in the Children's area.

Join us in the Trinity Courtyard following Worship today for coffee, muffins and fellowship!

Join us in prayer for our members and loved ones

Gail Alvaro, **Ajit Banerjee**, Billings Family, Jason Bradley*, Eliza Brown, **Al Burgess**, **Jim & Willa Burns**, Jasper Casey, John Chappa, **Hal Childs**, Pete Cooper, Dickiesons Family, **Joe Digby***, William Downs, Patrick Floyd*, Clarisa Gibson, Hadley Gray, Stu Greer, Stanley Hannum*, **Pete Harrison**, **Arlene & Hugh Highet**, **Bob Johnson**, **Gene Johnson**, **Javan N. Jones***, **Kathy Jones-Mills**, **Jennifer Kaczmarek**, Lucas Kelly, Brady Klefman, Bruce Lee, **Florence Lyman**, Marissa Mallicote, **Trudy Manen**, **Marilyn Millar**, **Gloria Martin**, **Judy Mascenic**, **Bobbi McCarthy**, Sue McCarthy, **Tom & Carol McGovern**, Declan Mitchell*, Pam Mitchell-Hess, **Pat Olson**, Joseph C. Orr*, William Patterson, **Ed Peart**, **Helene Read**, Bradford Robinson, Ian Samuel, Jennifer Sheringham*, Sara Shoreland, **Diane Simmons**, **Bonnie Slager**, Michelle Smith, Bill Stumper, Annemarie Thompson, **Ryan Tugas***, **Tony & Doris Valenti**, **Karen Walker**, Monique Warmington, Norma Warwell, **BJ Waugaman**, Todd Whipper, Ben Whitenack, **Matthew Winternheimer***, **Theodore Winternheimer***, **Kenny Wittmer**

Sympathy is extended to **Janet Schaaf**, and family, on the death of her husband **Walter Schaaf** who died on April 15, 2024.

A service at Trinity is being planned.

If someone is in need of prayer, please let the church office know.

Those listed in bold are members of the church and the asterisk indicates active military service.

CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

	Joyce Chmel	4/21
	April Healey	4/21
	Martha Funk	4/23
	Bart Cope	4/23
	Ruth Gordon	4/25

COMMUNITY CHORUS OF PALM COAST CONCERTS

Please join with the Community Chorus and the Flagler Community Band for our Spring Concerts, Friday, April 26 at 7pm with the band starting at 6:30pm and the Chorus beginning at 7pm or Sunday, April 28 at 4pm with the Band beginning at 3:30pm and the Chorus at 4pm.

This Spring concert revolves around our love for music and singing and includes such favorites as "Do You Love Me?", "The River in Judea," and Leonard Cohen's "Hallelujah" sprinkled with new favorites like "One Song", "Salvation is Created", and "The Gift of Music."

Please join us to celebrate Springtime and Love.

This week in our Church (Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9am-12noon):

Sunday, April 21st

10:00 AM Worship Service
11:00 AM "Coffee and Muffins in the Courtyard"
11:00 AM Kid's Choir (Music Rm)
6:00 PM Youth/Young Adult Fellowship (MH/YR)

Monday, April 22nd

9:30 AM Handbell Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
5:00 PM Youth Choir (Music Room)
5:30 PM Deacons Meeting (Kepler)
6:15 PM Cub Scout Pack 281 (Mehaffey, Youth Rms)
6:30 PM CCPC Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Tuesday, April 23rd

6:30 PM CCPC Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
6:30 PM Scout Troops 281 & 4281 (Mehaffey, Calvin, Youth Rms)

Wednesday, April 24th

10:00 AM Holiday Fair/Doll Event Meeting (Mehaffey)
8:00 PM AA Meeting (Mehaffey)

Thursday, April 25th

10AM-12PM Librarian on duty (TPC Library)
6:00 PM Flagler County Orchid Society (Mehaffey)
6:00 PM Choir Rehearsal (Music Room)
7:00 PM Youth Choir (Music Room)
6:30 PM ALANON Meeting (Calvin)

Friday, April 26th

7:00 PM Community Chorus Concert (Sanctuary)
7:00 PM NA Meeting (Calvin)
7:30 PM AA Meeting (Mehaffey)

Sunday, April 28th

10:00 AM Worship Service
11:00 AM Kid's Choir (Music Rm)
4:00 PM Community Chorus Concert (Sanctuary)

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