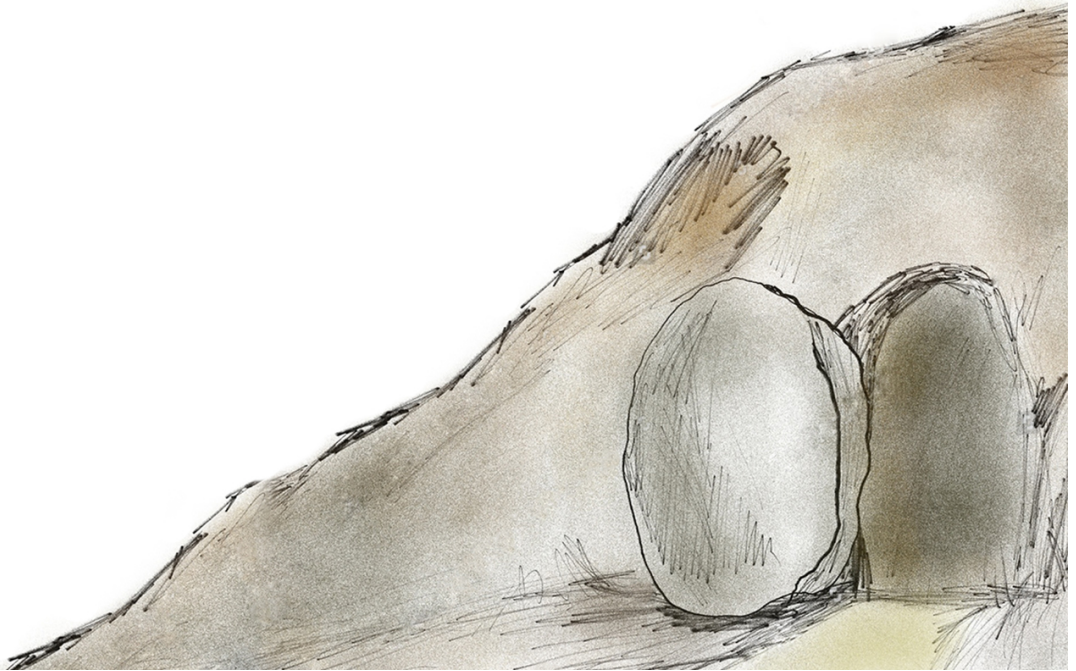


*April 21, 2019*

THE HOPE OF EASTER

*LUKE 24:1-12*



TRINITY

Presbyterian Church

# Order of Worship — Sunday, April 21, 2019

*Listening devices are available for the hearing impaired. Please speak with a greeter or visit the sound booth upstairs for a listening device.*

## Songs of Gathering and Preparation

*The people of God always sang as they ascended the hill in Jerusalem up to the temple to worship (see Psalms 120-134).*

*We, as well, prepare our hearts, minds and bodies for worship by singing about the God we serve.*

## Is He Worthy - Community Kids (10:15a Service)

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## Power To Redeem

*By Lauren Daigle, Paul Mabury and Justin Ebach | © 2014 Wordspring Music, LLC, Flychild Publishing, So Essential Tunes, CentricSongs*

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You take what is and You make it beautiful  
When love floods in we're restored forevermore

*With breath that brings the dead to life*

*With words that pierce the dark with light*

*Only by the blood are we set free*

*With mercy strong to carry shame and nail it to a tree*

*You alone hold the power to redeem*

No guilt competes with innocence crucified  
No grave can hold what Your grace has justified

*With breath that brings the dead to life ...*

Rejoice oh child of God

Lift your eyes to see

With every morning light

Again we are redeemed

(repeat)

*With breath that brings the dead to life ...*

## Call to Worship

*We read God's Word, the Bible, together. It reveals to us who God is and what He expects of us.*

*Ephesians 1:16-21 (ESV)*

*I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers, that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of him, having the eyes of your hearts enlightened, that you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance in the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power toward us who believe, according to the working of his great might that he worked in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come.*

## **Prayer of Adoration and Confession** – Dan Anthony

*We pray together praising God for who He really is (Adoration) and admitting our inability to live up to what He expects of us (Confession).*

## **Assurance of Pardon**

*We read God's Word together and are reminded that mercy and grace are freely given to all who have faith in Jesus Christ.*

*Ephesians 2:1, 4-5 (ESV)*

*And you were dead in the trespasses and sins ... But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ—by grace you have been saved.*

## **Worship Through Giving**

*We respond to the good news of God's mercy and grace for us in Jesus by giving generously to the work of this church and the kingdom of God.*

## **In Christ Alone**

*By Stuart Townend and Keith Getty, arrangement by Kristian Stanfill*

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In Christ alone my hope is found He is my light my strength my song  
This Cornerstone this solid ground firm through the fiercest drought and storm  
What heights of love what depths of peace when fears are stilled when strivings cease  
My Comforter my All in All here in the love of Christ I stand

In Christ alone Who took on flesh fullness of God in helpless Babe  
This gift of love and righteousness scorned by the ones He came to save  
Till on that cross as Jesus died the wrath of God was satisfied  
For every sin on Him was laid here in the death of Christ I live

There in the ground His body lay Light of the world by darkness slain  
Then bursting forth in glorious day up from the grave He rose again  
And as He stands in victory sin's curse has lost its grip on me  
For I am His and He is mine bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt in life no fear in death this is the power of Christ in me  
From life's first cry to final breath Jesus commands my destiny  
No power of hell no scheme of man can ever pluck me from His hand  
Till He returns or calls me home here in the power of Christ I'll stand

No power of hell no scheme of man can ever pluck me from His hand  
Till He returns or calls me home here in the power of Christ I'll stand

Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

## Praise and Celebration

*Our response to God's free grace is celebratory worship. We express our praise to God for who He is and what He has done for us.*

### Jesus Paid It All

*By Elvina M. Hall and John T. Grape, additional chorus by Alex Nifong  
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I hear the Savior say Thy strength indeed is small  
Child of weakness, watch and pray  
Find in Me thine all in all

*Jesus paid it all  
All to Him I owe  
Sin had left a crimson stain  
He washed it white as snow*

Lord now indeed I find Thy power and Thine alone  
Can change the leper's spots and melt the heart of stone

*Jesus paid it all ...*

And when before the throne I stand in Him complete  
Jesus died my soul to save my lips shall still repeat

*Jesus paid it all ...*

Oh praise The One who paid my debt  
And raised this life up from the dead  
(repeat 3x)

*Jesus paid it all ...*

### Living Hope

*By Brian Johnson and Phil Wickham  
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How great the chasm that lay between us  
How high the mountain I could not climb  
In desperation I turned to heaven  
And spoke Your name into the night  
Then through the darkness Your loving-kindness  
Tore through the shadows of my soul  
The work is finished the end is written  
Jesus Christ my living hope

Who could imagine so great a mercy  
What heart could fathom such boundless grace  
The God of ages stepped down from glory  
To wear my sin and bear my shame  
The cross has spoken I am forgiven  
The King of kings calls me His own  
Beautiful Savior I'm Yours forever  
Jesus Christ my living hope

*Hallelujah praise the One who set me free  
Hallelujah death has lost its grip on me  
You have broken every chain  
There's salvation in Your name  
Jesus Christ my living hope  
(repeat)*

Then came the morning that sealed the promise  
Your buried body began to breathe  
Out of the silence the Roaring Lion  
Declared the grave has no claim on me  
(repeat)

Jesus Yours is the victory  
*Hallelujah praise the One who set me free ...  
(repeat)*

*Jesus Christ my living hope  
Oh God You are my living hope*

## **Confession of Faith**

*As an expression of our faith in Jesus Christ in solidarity with His people, we declare the substance of what we believe.*

*From the New City Catechism:*

**Q. 16. What is sin?**

**A.** Sin is rejecting or ignoring God in the world he created, rebelling against him by living without reference to him, not being or doing what he requires in his law—resulting in our death and the disintegration of all creation.

## **Kids' Worship & Community Kids Dismissal**

*Infants - Fifth Grade are dismissed. Please see your child's check-in name tag for class assignment.*

### **Greeting**

*Just as the Apostle Paul urged fellow believers to be hospitable, in the Gospel, Jesus has welcomed us - the worst of sinners - into His home and family. In the same spirit we greet each other to show the hospitality of Jesus.*

### **Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession — Dan Anthony**

*We express in prayer our gratitude to God for what He has done and ask Him to continue to act for our good and the good of others in our community and world.*

### **Proclamation of God's Word — Tim Rice, Lead Pastor and Director of Church Planting**

*A small portion of God's Word is explained to us and applied to our lives and circumstances.*

### **Song of Response**

*We respond to the good news of God's mercy and grace by singing again of His goodness and greatness.*

## **Because He Lives (Amen)**

*by Chris Tomlin, Daniel Carson, Ed Cash, Gloria Gaither, Jason Ingram, Matt Maher and William J. Gaith*

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I believe in the Son  
I believe in the Risen One  
I believe I overcome  
By the power of His blood

*Amen amen I'm alive I'm alive because He lives  
Amen amen Let my song join the one that never ends  
Because He lives*

I was dead in the grave  
I was covered in sin and shame  
I heard mercy call my name  
He rolled the stone away

*Amen amen I'm alive I'm alive because He lives  
Amen amen Let my song join the one that never ends*

Because He lives I can face tomorrow  
Because He lives every fear is gone  
I know He holds my life  
My future in His hand

*Amen amen I'm alive I'm alive because He lives  
Amen amen Let my song join the one that never ends  
(repeat)*

Because He lives  
(repeat)

## **Benediction**

*Because the hand of God's wrath was raised against Jesus, we now receive the hand of God's blessing as we are sent out to live our lives to the glory of God.*

*May the LORD bless you and keep you;  
the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;  
the LORD turn His face toward you and give you His peace,  
both now and forevermore. Amen.*

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## **Seasons of the Cross**

*Purple for Easter: in the ancient world, purple was the color of royalty, worn only by kings and highest officials in the royal court. It was a costly pigment to make, and therefore very rare. The color of kingship. "Therefore Pilate said to Him, "So You are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say correctly that I am a king. For this I have been born, and for this I have come into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth hears My voice." John 18:37. This King Jesus did what no one, not even His own disciples expected. After three days, after taking on the sins of every believer ever born (past, present, future) He wrestled and defeated sin once and for all, and rose from the dead. No one has ever been or will ever be like Him. The incomparable, matchless King. And He will return again. And on His robe and on His thigh He has a name written, "KING OF KINGS, AND LORD OF LORDS."*  
Revelation 19:16

## Scripture Passage and Sermon Outline

### Proclamation of God's Word

**Text:** Luke 24:1-12 (ESV)

**Title:** The Hope of Easter

**Teacher:** Tim Rice

*<sup>1</sup> But on the first day of the week, at early dawn, they went to the tomb, taking the spices they had prepared. <sup>2</sup> And they found the stone rolled away from the tomb, <sup>3</sup> but when they went in they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus. <sup>4</sup> While they were perplexed about this, behold, two men stood by them in dazzling apparel. <sup>5</sup> And as they were frightened and bowed their faces to the ground, the men said to them, "Why do you seek the living among the dead? <sup>6</sup> He is not here, but has risen. Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, <sup>7</sup> that the Son of Man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men and be crucified and on the third day rise." <sup>8</sup> And they remembered his words, <sup>9</sup> and returning from the tomb they told all these things to the eleven and to all the rest. <sup>10</sup> Now it was Mary Magdalene and Joanna and Mary the mother of James and the other women with them who told these things to the apostles, <sup>11</sup> but these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. <sup>12</sup> But Peter rose and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; and he went home marveling at what had happened.*

**Intro:** Where have you most wanted to have hope?

### A UNIVERSAL LONGING

Why is the hunger for hope so prevalent?



## FALSE HOPES

How do we falsely define what is called “better”?

## THE HOPE OF EASTER

What exactly is the hope that Jesus offers?

## YOU CAN PRAY WITH US ...

1. Worship the LORD, God Almighty as the Lord and Giver of life! Praise Him, Father, Son and Holy Spirit that He is victorious over all opponents, especially sin, death and hell!
2. How have you lived perplexed and afraid because of death's power? Confess your helplessness to Jesus, asking Him to save you and forgive you - working power out of weakness, life out of death.
3. Give thanks to Jesus for how He has proven His power and trustworthiness. Thank Him for opening up access to God by His death, and for opening up eternity by His resurrection!
4. Who do you know that is shaken by the real power of death? Pray for them, asking the Lord to make Himself known to them in His resurrection power - and that He would give them hope as only He can.
5. Ask the Holy Spirit to bear in you the fruit of joy, especially in light of Jesus' resurrection! Pray for such a confidence in His power and trustworthiness that you would joyfully bear witness to others *of His story*.

## Communication

**2019 Quarterly Contribution Reports** – Quarter 1 2019 reports were emailed on Thursday, April 11. If you have any questions, please contact the office at 863-603-7777 or email Elizabeth at [bookkeeper@trinitylakeland.org](mailto:bookkeeper@trinitylakeland.org).

**See Jesus Workshop** – Saturday, May 4, 9a-12:30p. Designed to transform small group ministry and renew your love for Jesus by training you to lead interactive Bible studies. Enjoy a morning of wonder and encouragement as we discover together the beauty of Jesus! Questions to Laura McCaulley at [lauramccaulley@seejesus.net](mailto:lauramccaulley@seejesus.net). Register at [trinitylakeland.org/events](http://trinitylakeland.org/events).

**Town Hall Meeting – Save the date!** Trinity Town Hall Meeting Sunday, May 5, directly following worship in the sanctuary. This will be an opportunity to discuss our Grace Abounding sanctuary renovation schedule and our Student Ministry staffing plan. Everyone is welcome.

**Vacation Bible School** – Vacation Bible School – “Roar! When Life is Wild, God is Good!” June 10-13, 8:45a-12p. VBS is currently full, but you can put your kids on a waiting list at [trinitylakeland.org/events](http://trinitylakeland.org/events). If you are interested in creating decor for VBS, join in the fun Friday, May 10, May 17 and/or May 31 from 6:00-9:00p. Dinner provided. Also, Sunday, June 9, immediately following worship, help us transform the church into an African safari. Lunch provided. Email Callie at [callie@trinitylakeland.org](mailto:callie@trinitylakeland.org) and let her know when you can lend a hand.

**Student Ministry Employment Opportunities** – We are seeking both a Male and a Female Discipleship Coordinator. These are full time positions that will assist the student ministry in its mission to assist the parents in the Christian nurture and admonition of their Middle School and High School students. Contact Brown Peterson at [brown@trinitylakeland.org](mailto:brown@trinitylakeland.org) for more information.

### PROGRESS REPORT

GOAL:  
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GIVEN:  
\$999,615.56



**PROJECTS IN PROGRESS**  
Accessible Restroom | Sanctuary Renovation

### COMPLETED PROJECTS

Roof

Balcony Rail

Continued Church  
Planting Support

# CALENDAR

For more information and additional calendar items,  
visit our website at [trinitylakeland.org](http://trinitylakeland.org).

\* Childcare provided

## SUNDAY (April 21)

7:30 am Prayer

\*8:30 am Worship Service

\*10:15 am Worship Service

## WEDNESDAY (April 24)

12:00 pm Person of Jesus Lunch Study

6:00 pm Middle & High School Worship

## FRIDAY (April 26)

Women's Retreat

## SATURDAY (April 27)

Women's Retreat

## SUNDAY (April 28)

Women's Retreat

8:00 am Prayer

\*10:15 am Worship Service

# WELCOME TO TRINITY!

We're so glad you are here.

Name (Please Print)

Gender:  Male  Female

Spouse

Children (Include DOB for Children's Ministry)

Address: Street

City/State

Country/Zip

Phone

E-mail Address

- First-Time Visitor
- Regular Attendee
- Member
- College Student @ \_\_\_\_\_
- Update my contact information

I would like to receive:

- Worship Folder & Announcement Emails

I would like information about:

- Joining a Community Group
- Upcoming New Member Class
- Women's Bible Study
- Student Ministry
- Children's Ministry
- Volunteering with children
- \_\_\_\_\_

# Community Bible Reading

[joincbr.com](http://joincbr.com)

April 22 - 27, 2019

<b>Monday</b>	<b>1 Corinthians 12</b>	<b>Exodus 30</b>
	1 Chronicles 2	Jeremiah 6
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>1 Corinthians 13</b>	<b>Exodus 31</b>
	1 Chronicles 3	Jeremiah 7
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>1 Corinthians 14</b>	<b>Exodus 32</b>
	1 Chronicles 4	Jeremiah 8
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>1 Corinthians 15</b>	<b>Exodus 33</b>
	1 Chronicles 5	Jeremiah 9
<b>Friday</b>	<b>1 Corinthians 16</b>	<b>Exodus 34</b>
	1 Chronicles 6	Jeremiah 10
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Psalm 69</b>	<b>Psalm 17</b>
		Psalm 119:25-48

(3-year plan: read **bold passages** | 1-year plan: read all)

## Scripture Memory for the Week:

Luke 24:4b-6a (ESV)

<sup>4b</sup> two men stood by them in dazzling apparel.

<sup>5</sup> And as they were frightened and bowed their faces to the ground, the men said to them, "Why do you seek the living among the dead? <sup>6a</sup> He is not here, but has risen."

## Prayer

How can our staff pray for you?  
Please use the space below to tell us.

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## Ministry Leaders

Tim Rice, Lead Pastor & Director of Church Planting  
Tim Strawbridge, Director of Spiritual Life  
Luke Wolfe, Associate Pastor & Director of Community Groups  
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Jarrod Hurd, Worship Administrative Lead  
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Dwight Smith, Director of Missions Team  
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Ashley Moats, Communications Assistant  
Elizabeth Pehlke, Bookkeeper

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