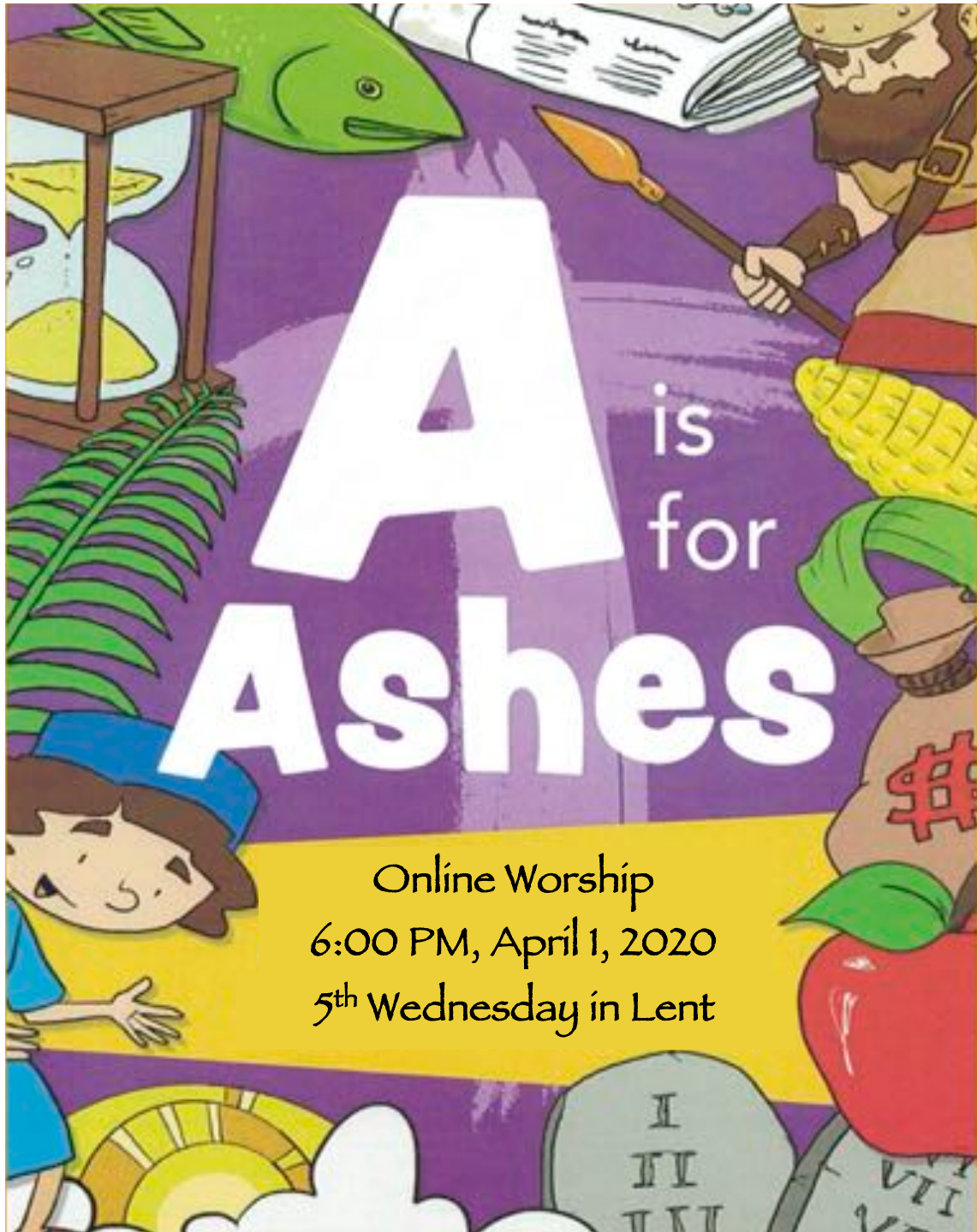


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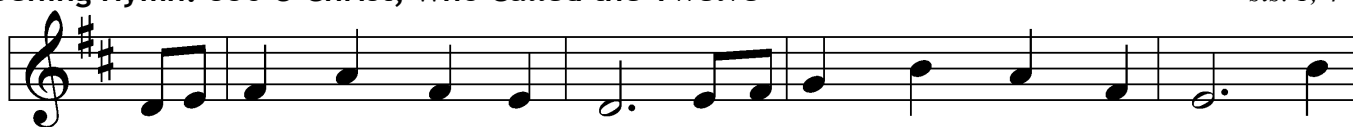
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Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church, and to the blessings, comfort and peace of Christ.

As we gather, we prepare our hearts for the worship and praise of our Lord and Savior by remembering what the Scriptures say: "I was glad when they said to me, 'Let us go to the house of the Lord!' " Psalm 122:1 and "One thing have I asked of the Lord...that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the Lord and to inquire in his temple." Psalm 27:4

Opening Hymn: 856 O Christ, Who Called the Twelve

sts. 1, 4-5



1 O Christ, who called the Twelve To rise and fol - low You, For -
4 O Christ, who sent the Twelve On roads they'd nev - er trod To
5 O Christ, the a - pos - tles' Lord, The mar - tyrs' strength and song, The



sak - ing old, fa - mil - iar ways For ven - tures bold and new:
serve, to suf - fer, teach, pro - claim The near - er reign of God:
cru - ci - fied and ris - en King To whom the saints be - long:



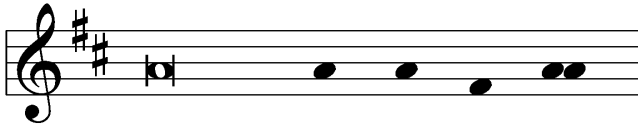
Grant us to hear Your call To risk se - cu - ri - ty And,
Send us on ways where faith Tran - scends ti - mid - i - ty, Where
Though gen - er - a - tions pass, Our trib - ute still we bring, Our



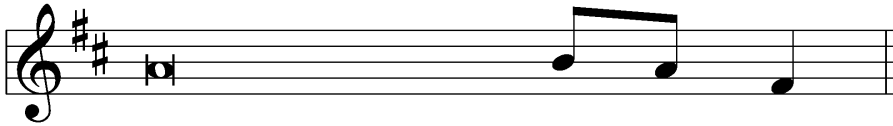
bound in heart and will to You, Find per - fect lib - er - ty.
love in - forms and hope sus - tains Both life and min - is - try.
hymns a sac - ri - fice of praise, Our lives an of - fer - ing.

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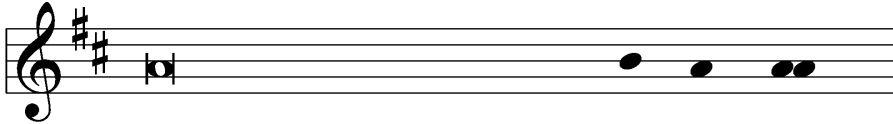
Lent Versicles



[L] O Lord, o - pen my lips,



[C] and my mouth will de - clare Your praise.



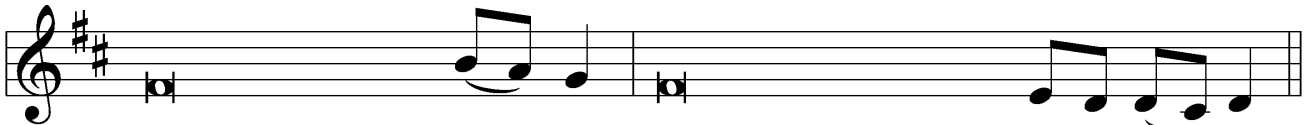
[L] Make haste, O God, to de - liv - er me;



[C] make haste to help me, O Lord.



[C] Glo-ry be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spir - it;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and will be for-ev-er. A - men.



Praise to You, O Christ, Lamb of our sal - va - tion.

Collect of the Day

[P] Almighty God, by Your great goodness mercifully look upon Your people that we may be governed and preserved evermore in body and soul; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

[C] Amen.

1st Reading

Luke 9:1–6

¹And he called the twelve together and gave them power and authority over all demons and to cure diseases, ²and he sent them out to proclaim the kingdom of God and to heal. ³And he said to them, “Take nothing for your journey, no staff, nor bag, nor bread, nor money; and do not have two tunics. ⁴And whatever house you enter, stay there, and from there depart. ⁵And wherever they do not receive you, when you leave that town shake off the dust from your feet as a testimony against them.” ⁶And they departed and went through the villages, preaching the gospel and healing everywhere.

P O Lord, have mercy on us.

C Thanks be to God.

2nd Reading

John 11:17–27, 38–53

¹⁷When Jesus came, he found that Lazarus had already been in the tomb four days. ¹⁸Bethany was near Jerusalem, about two miles off, ¹⁹and many of the Jews had come to Martha and Mary to console them concerning their brother. ²⁰So when Martha heard that Jesus was coming, she went and met him, but Mary remained seated in the house. ²¹Martha said to Jesus, “Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died. ²²But even now I know that whatever you ask from God, God will give you.” ²³Jesus said to her, “Your brother will rise again.” ²⁴Martha said to him, “I know that he will rise again in the resurrection on the last day.” ²⁵Jesus said to her, “I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, ²⁶and everyone who lives and believes in me shall never die. Do you believe this?” ²⁷She said to him, “Yes, Lord; I believe that you are the Christ, the Son of God, who is coming into the world.” . . .

³⁸Then Jesus, deeply moved again, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone lay against it. ³⁹Jesus said, “Take away the stone.” Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, “Lord, by this time there will be an odor, for he has been dead four days.” ⁴⁰Jesus said to her, “Did I not tell you that if you believed you would see the glory of God?” ⁴¹So they took away the stone. And Jesus lifted up his eyes and said, “Father, I thank you that you have heard me. ⁴²I knew that you always hear me, but I said this on account of the people standing around, that they may believe that you sent me.” ⁴³When he had said these things, he cried out with a loud voice, “Lazarus, come out.” ⁴⁴The man who had died came out, his hands and feet bound with linen strips, and his face wrapped with a cloth. Jesus said to them, “Unbind him, and let him go.”

⁴⁵Many of the Jews therefore, who had come with Mary and had seen what he did, believed in him, ⁴⁶but some of them went to the Pharisees and told them what Jesus had done. ⁴⁷So the chief priests and the Pharisees gathered the Council and said, “What are we to do? For this man performs many signs. ⁴⁸If we let him go on like this, everyone will believe in him, and the Romans will come and take away both our place and our nation.” ⁴⁹But one of them, Caiaphas, who was high priest that year, said to them, “You know nothing at all. ⁵⁰Nor do you understand that it is better for you that one man should die for the people, not that the whole nation should perish.” ⁵¹He did not say this of his own accord, but being high priest that year he prophesied that Jesus would die for the nation, ⁵²and not for the nation only, but also to gather into one the children of God who are scattered abroad. ⁵³So from that day on they made plans to put him to death.

P O Lord, have mercy on us.

C Thanks be to God.

Office Hymn: 552 O Christ, Who Shared Our Mortal Life

sts. 1, 9-10, 4 (using Tune from LSB 444)

1 O Christ, who shared our mor - - tal life
 9 Two weep - - ing sis - - ters, worn by grief
 10 "I am the Lord of life and death!"
 4 Death's pow - - er holds us still in thrall

And end - ed death's long reign, Who healed the sick and
 And mired in depths of gloom, Stood watch - ing where their
 You an - swered Mar - tha's cry, "And all who hear and
 And bears us toward the tomb. Death's dark - 'ning cloud hangs

raised the dead And bore our grief and pain:
 bro - ther lay With - - in a rock - sealed tomb.
 trust My Word Shall live, al - though they die!"
 like a pall That threat - ens earth with doom.

We know our years on earth are few,
 When, Lord, You met them as they mourned,
 You walked the path to Laz - 'rus' tomb,
 But You have bro - - ken death's em - brace

That death is al - ways near. Come now to us, O
 You wept com - pass - ion's tear. But Mar - tha, sore with
 You called him forth by name, And liv - ing, lov - ing
 And torn a - way its sting. Re - store to life our

Lord of Life; Bring hope that con - quers fear!
 sor - - row, said, "He'd lived had You been here!"
 once a - gain, From death to life he came!
 mor - - tal race! Raise us, O Ris - en King!

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Sermon

A is for Ashes → News, "Oh, No!", Parable, "Quiet!", Resurrection

Offering & Offertory

With our online worship, please either mail your tithe & offering to the church or contact Carol Sperling to arrange for electronic giving.

Offertory: Praise Him, Praise Him, All Ye Little Children

1. Praise Him, praise Him all ye lit-tle chil-dren, God is love, God is love;
2. Love Him, love Him, all ye lit-tle chil-dren, God is love, God is love;
3. Thank Him, thank Him, all ye lit-tle chil-dren, God is love, God is love;

Praise Him, praise Him all ye lit-tle chil-dren, God is love, God is love.
Love Him, love Him, all ye lit-tle chil-dren, God is love, God is love.
Thank Him, thank Him, all ye lit-tle chil-dren, God is love, God is love.

The musical score is written for a piano accompaniment in 2/4 time, featuring a treble and bass staff. The melody is simple and repetitive, with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The lyrics are arranged in three lines, each corresponding to a different part of the melody.

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Prayer

P The Lord be with you.

C And Also with you.

P Lord Jesus, from start to finish you are there. You never leave us or forsake us. Help us to trust you always. Protect and heal our friends, family, and neighbors. Help them to trust you always. We especially pray for... Dear Lord, give them peace. Amen.

Kyrie

LSB 233

C Lord, have mer-cy; Christ, have mer-cy; Lord, have mer-cy.

The musical score is written for a piano accompaniment in 2/4 time, featuring a treble staff. The melody is simple and repetitive, with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The lyrics are arranged in three lines, each corresponding to a different part of the melody.

Lord's Prayer

C 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.

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.

Benedicamus & Benediction

LSB 234

L Let us bless the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

P The grace of our Lord ✠ Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **C** Amen.

Closing Hymn: 548 Thanks to Thee, O Christ, Victorious



1 Thanks to Thee, O Christ, vic - to - rious! Thanks to Thee, O
2 Thou hast died for my trans - gres - sion, All my sins on
3 For the joy Thine ad - vent gave me, For Thy ho - ly,



Lord of Life! Death hath now no pow - er o'er us,
Thee were laid; Thou hast won for me sal - va - tion,
pre - cious Word; For Thy Bap - tism, which doth save me,



Thou hast con- quered in the strife. Thanks be - cause Thou didst a -
On the cross my debt was paid. From the grave I shall a -
For Thy blest Com - mu - nion board; For Thy death, the bit - ter



rise And hast o - pened par - a - dise! None can ful - ly
rise And shall meet Thee in the skies. Death it - self is
scorn, For Thy res - ur - rec - tion morn, Lord, I thank Thee



sing the glo - ry Of the res - ur - rec - tion sto - ry.
tran - si - to - ry; I shall lift my head in glo - ry.
and ex - tol Thee, And in heav'n I shall be - hold Thee.

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SPECIAL PRAYERS: Please keep the following in your prayers: Patty Barna (Jacqueline Chittick's Aunt), Jack & Lotte (Gabe Bloedel's parents), Terri Blackwell (daughter of Lowell & Mary Lou Volk), Ed Bonds, Gary Brodhagen, Dewayne Finley (Norma Brumley's son-in-law), Joyce Green, Jerry Henneman, Linda Hunter (Larry Gessner's sister), Robert Lack (Sharon Krater's grandson), Mary Mahaffey, Ernie Padilla (Michael & Priscilla's son), Tate Schaefer (Hope Scheele's cousin's son), Paul Scheele (Pastor Scheele's grandfather), Shirly Schlottfelt, Louis Vallejos, and Connie Walter.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Please check your email and the [church website](#) regularly to find out about the most recent arrangements as a result of the COVID-19 precautions.

Sunday Online Worship: On **Sunday at 9 am**, join us online as we start the celebration of Holy Week with a special Passion Sunday worship service.

<https://www.trinitylutheranchurchcortez.com/online-worship>

Senior shopping in Cortez (60 and older allowed to shop during these times)

City Market: 7-8am Monday, Wednesday, & Friday

Safeway: 7-8am Tuesday and Thursday

Walmart: 6-7am Tuesdays

Bible Study on Sunday will be a teleconference starting at 10:15 am and then a video of that teleconference will be posted on the church website. For instructions and additional details go to...

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