The Fourth Sunday of Easter



21 April 2024

10:00 am

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Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev. Gary B. Manning
Director of Music: Dr. Curt Sather

Prelude

My Shepherd Will Supply My Need Robert Hebbel (1934-2020)

THE WORD OF GOD

Processional Hymn 343	"Shepherd of souls, refresh and bless'
Easter Acclamation & Collect for Purity	p. 355, BCI
Hymn of Praise 178"Alleluia	, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord!'

The Collect of The Day

O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The First Lesson.....Acts 4:5-12

The rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?" Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders, if we are questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are asked how this man has been healed, 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. This Jesus is 'the stone that was rejected by you, the builders; it has become the cornerstone.' There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved."

From Psalm 23 (read in unison)

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not be in want.

He makes me lie down in green pastures and leads me beside still waters.

He revives my soul and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.

Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil; for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; you have anointed my head with oil, and my cup is running over.

Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

We know love by this, that he laid down his life for us-- and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help? Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have boldness before God; and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him. And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he

has commanded us. All who obey his commandments abide in him, and he abides in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit that he has given us.

Gospel Hymn 645	"The King of love my shepherd is"
The Gospel	John 10:11-18

Jesus said, "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. 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. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. 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. For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. 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."

Sermon	The Rev. Gary B. Manning
The Nicene Creed	p. 358, BCP
Eastertide Prayers of the People	Please see pew card
The Peace	
ANNOUNCEMENTS	

Eastertide Prayers of the People - 2024

We pray for your Church throughout the world: in each and every manifestation, sustain its mission as a sojourner, keeper of time and place of respite for those who suffer pain or loss.

O Wounded Healer

You are making all things new

We pray for those who serve in local, state and federal offices: give them wisdom and grace in shepherding the common good.

O Wounded Healer

You are making all things new

We pray for ordinary citizens in mundane life, in each particular sphere of influence we find ourselves: grant that we may remain faithful in sharing the Good News – in word and deed – in our families, our communities and our world.

O Wounded Healer

You are making all things new

We pray for your creation, which you have given into our care: heal our soil and bless those who work the land, and all those whose labors brings food to our tables.

O Wounded Healer

You are making all things new

We acknowledge and repent of the hells we create. We pray for deliverance for those hells forced upon us which result in persecution, suffering and death. Rescue those near and abroad whose lives are wounded and scarred by violence and war; free those who are trapped, and remember in your Kingdom those we too easily forget.

O Wounded Healer

You are making all things new

We thank you, God of all nations, for the First Nations – the original peoples of this land: bless these tribes and strengthen our resolve to learn their stories and work for reconciliation and justice.

O Wounded Healer

You are making all things new

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We pray for those who suffer, in body, mind or spirit: comfort and give peace to all whose sufferings are not in fashion; illuminate the corners of our communities, families and hearts; remove the weeds of anxiety and care that choke out the seed of your Word. Purify our hearts with the burning fire of your love. We pray especially for the sick of the parish, especially....

O Wounded Healer

You are making all things new

Thank you, Giver of all Good Gifts, for moments of real joy when our time gets knotted up with Yours: give us eyes to see the gifts you so freely give. Bless those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries this week, especially...

O Wounded Healer

You are making all things new

God of Refreshment and Rest: rehabilitate our imaginations where they are dry and cracked, quench our thirst with the life-giving water of your Holy Spirit.

O Wounded Healer

You are making all things new

God of the Living and the Dead: we miss the people we love but are no longer here with us, find them on their continued journey to you and gather them up through your Spirit which knows no borders.

O Wounded Healer

You are making all things new

God of Light and Life: bless the prayers we don't know how to speak and bless the words we say – even in the times we struggle to believe them.

O Wounded Healer

You are making all things new

The Celebrant offers a concluding collect.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Γhe Offertory
Offertory Anthem (choir)The Lord is My Shepherd -Howard Goodall (b. 1958)
The Eucharistic Prayer Bp. 367, BCP
Sanctus, Hymnal S-130
The Lord's Prayerp. 364, BCP
The Breaking of the Bread
Fraction Anthem, Hymnal S-154
Communion of the People
Please see announcements section for the Communion procedures.
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All baptized Christians are invited to receive Holy Communion. If you desire to
receive gluten-free bread, please ask the priest, and a host will be provided. Those
persons desiring special prayers for healing are invited to go to the chapel after
receiving communion. A lay prayer minister will be there to pray with you.

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Communion Hymn 664	"My Shepherd will supply my need"
Prayer after Communion & Easter Blessing	p. 365, BCP
Recessional Hymn 708	"Savior, like a shepherd lead us"
The Easter Dismissal	
Postlude: Rondo in G majorJohn Bull (1562-1628)/Richard Ellsasser (1926-1972)	

All are always welcome to come to the balcony to watch the Postlude.

Welcome!

It is good to have you worship with us today. If you are visiting or are new to Trinity, please sign the guest book in the Narthex and/or fill out the pew pamphlet in your pew and place it in the offering plate.

We give thanks for the parishioners celebrating birthdays this week, especially:

John Washbush, Wayne Fehr, Megan Bollen,

Hadley Thornberry, Cecilia Vogel, and Jill Wellman

We also give thanks to those parishioners celebrating anniversaries this week, especially:

Thomas and Lynn Fohr

We also pray for:

Mike, Cynthia, Dan, Pat, Thom, Mary, John, Trudy, Jill, Gladys, Kathy, Grandma Sonie, Ian, Cindy, Mark, Jaclyn and family, Tom, Caleigh, Jym, Jean, Dan, April, Cheryle, Ray and Lori, Cris, Sebrina, Sonya, Jessi, Thomas, Denise, Jemimah, Kelley, John, Lynn, and Cedrick

Altar Flowers

Altar flowers are given by Paul and Jill Paradowski in celebration of 46 years of marriage and the birthday of daughter Melissa.

Altar flowers are given by Sandi Long in memory of Chuck Long.

Altar flowers are given by Cathy Roberts in honor of her mother Theodosia K. Collins (Theo).



Trinity Calendar

4 Easter, April 21

8:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite I
9:00 am Christian Formation/Adult Forum
10:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II
Fellowship
5:00—7:00 pm EYC (Episcopal Youth Community) Collab at St. Paul's

Wednesday, April 24 7:00 pm Zoom Bible Study, Ruth chapters 3 & 4

> Thursday, April 25 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

5 Easter, April 28

8:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite I 9:00 am Christian Formation/Adult Forum 10:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II Fellowship

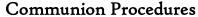
> Thursday, May 2 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Friday, May 3 6:00 pm First Friday Fellowship

6 Easter, May 5

8:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite I
9:00 am Christian Formation/Adult Forum
10:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II
Fellowship
3:00—5:00 pm EYC (Episcopal Youth Community) Afternoon Outing

Monday, May 6 6:30 pm Men's Fellowship





There are now two Communion Stations at the 10:00 a.m. liturgy. The "standing station" is located on the left (pulpit) side of the center aisle. Once you have received the Bread, if you desire to receive wine, please pick up a small, compostable cup located on the nearby stand, and the cruet bearer will pour wine into the cup. Once

you've consumed the wine, please deposit the used cup in the receptacle at the end of the row as you return to your seat. If you wish to receive Communion at the Altar Rail, please line up on the right hand (lectern) side of the aisle. You may either stand or kneel to receive at the Rail. Once you've received the Bread, you can choose to either receive the wine by "intinction" (touching the Bread lightly to the wine) from the ceramic chalice, or by drinking from silver chalice. Once you and your family have received Communion, you may leave the Rail and return to your seat. If you require gluten free bread, please make your way to the Altar Rail, and notify the Celebrant if you've not already done so. You may need to cross the aisle to get to the Communion Station you prefer. This is perfectly acceptable!

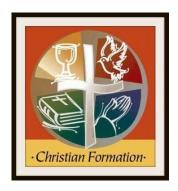
Nursery and Service Viewing

Children are always welcome in church, but we also have a room where the service can be heard adjacent to the nursery with a changing table and a rocking chair.



Additionally, the service can be heard in the library and the 10am service can be viewed outside of the downstairs classroom open area. Please see an usher if you need help finding any of these areas.

Christian Formation will meet today at 9:00 am



Adult Forum will meet today at 9:00 am in the Parish Hall

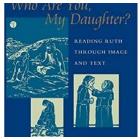
Join the Adult Forum for an Eastertide series on Creation Care from April 21 through May 19. We will be exploring what the Bible, the traditions of St. Francis of Assisi, and the teachings of Christ have to say about how the act of caring for creation draws us into deeper relationships with God and others. On May 12, we will be joined by special guest Damien DeBuhr from Groundwork Milwaukee, who will introduce us to his organization's efforts to address the climate crisis by creating climate safe neighborhoods and supporting projects such as community gardens and green infrastructure. All are welcome, whether you attend Adult Forum regularly or just want to drop in one Sunday!

EYC (Episcopal Youth Community) Collab

The EYC Collab will meet **TODAY**, **April**21, from 5:00 pm—7:00 pm
at St. Paul's



Address: 914 E. Knapp St. Milwaukee, WI 53202



Zoom Bible Study

Please join Gary Manning for another edition of Zoom Bible Study **Wednesday April 24 at 7:00 pm.**We will be studying the book of Ruth. We will be using the book Who Are You, My Daughter: Reading Ruth through Image and Text as a resource.

On April 24, we will discuss Ruth, chapters 3 & 4.

The login credentials are:

Meeting ID: 850 3195 1433 Passcode: 354418



Pot Luck Luncheon

Sunday, May 19 Parish Hall After 10:00 Service





Phoenix Boys Choir Thursday, June 6

Parish Picnic Sunday, July 14



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NEXT WEEK'S SCRIPTURE READINGS

Acts 8:26-40 Psalm 22:24-30 1 John 4:7-21 John 15:1-8