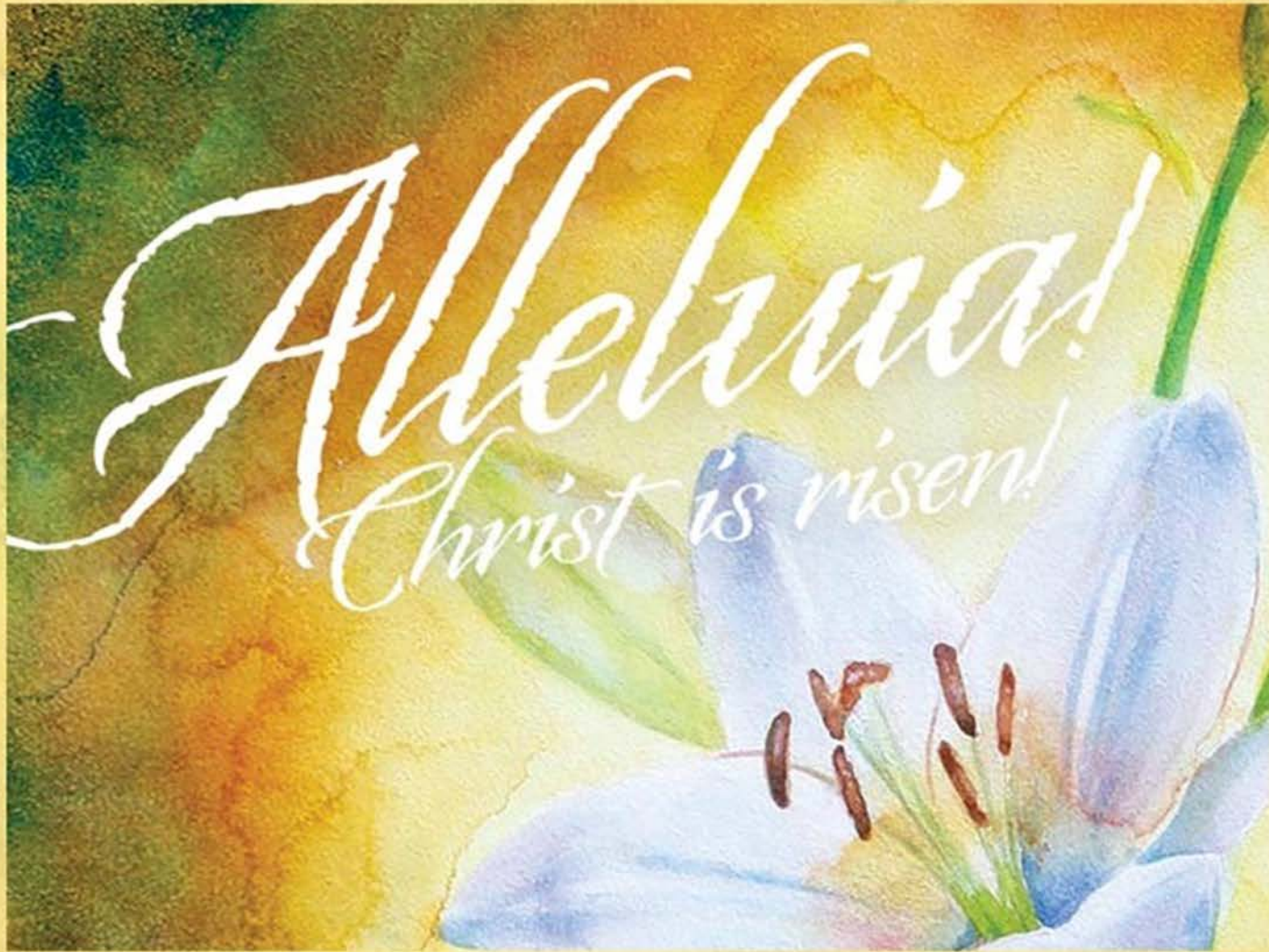


Alleluia!
Christ is risen!



WELCOME!



**Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church
Easter Sunday-April 4th, 2021**

- * = Please stand if able
- = Please be seated

- **Prelude**

By Roxanne Groff

- **Office of the Acolyte and Ringing of the Bell**
- **Welcome and Children's Message**

* CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

*All may make the sign of the cross,
the sign marked at baptism...*

P: In the name of the Father, and of the 
Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: Amen.

* **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: Amen.

* **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

* CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: Most merciful God,

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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.

* **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

**C: For the sake of your Son,
Jesus Christ, have mercy on
us. Forgive us, renew us, and
lead us, so that we may
delight in your will and walk
in your ways, to the glory of
your holy name. Amen**

* **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

P: Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: Amen.

* Gathering Song

The congregation may sing with facemasks on:

Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

LBW 151

Verses 1 & 4 Only

* **Jesus Christ Is Risen Today** **LBW 151**

The congregation may sing with facemasks on:

**1 Jesus Christ is ris'n today,
Alleluia!
our triumphant holy day,
Alleluia!
who did once upon the cross,
Alleluia!
suffer to redeem our loss.
Alleluia!**

* **Jesus Christ Is Risen Today** **LBW 151**

The congregation may sing with facemasks on:

**4 Sing we to our God above,
Alleluia!
praise eternal as his love;
Alleluia!
praise him, all you heav'nly host,
Alleluia!
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Alleluia!**

* APOSTOLIC GREETING

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God, and the communion
of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: And also with you.

* KYRIE

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

A: In peace let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord have mercy.

A: For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord have mercy.

A: For the peace of the whole world, for the well being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord have mercy.

* KYRIE

The congregation may sing with facemasks on:

A: For this Holy House, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord have mercy.

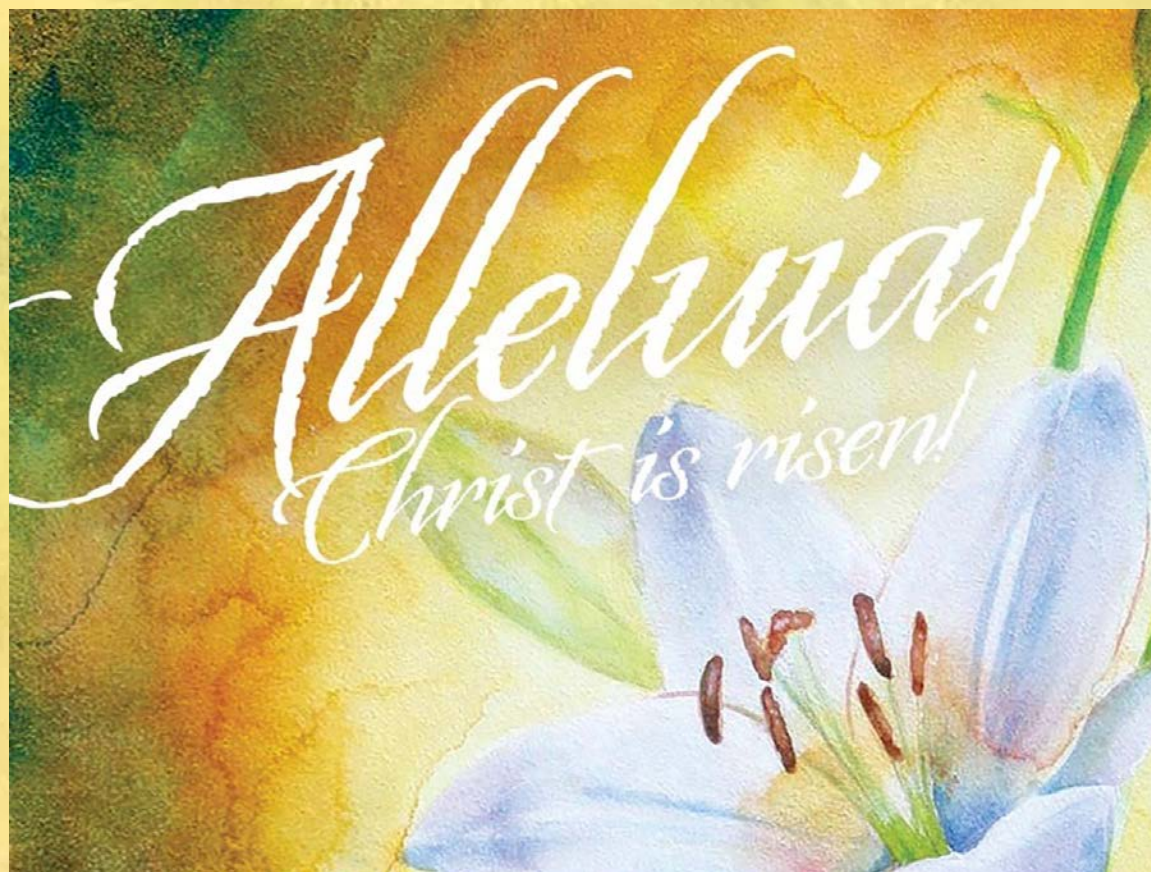
A: Help, save, and defend us, gracious Lord.

C: Amen.

Special Music

By

Larry Harter



* PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: And also with you.

P: Let us pray... O God, you gave your only Son to suffer death on the cross for our redemption, and by his glorious resurrection you delivered us from the power of death.

* PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Make us die every day to sin, that we may live with him forever in the joy of the resurrection, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: Amen.

* GOSPEL ANNUNCIATION

**P: The Gospel according to Saint
Luke the 24th Chapter.**

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: Glory to you O Lord!
(Spoken)

*** GOSPEL: Luke 24:1-12**

¹On the first day of the week, at early dawn, [the women] came to the tomb, taking the spices that they had prepared. ²They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, ³but when they went in, they did not find the body. ⁴While they were perplexed about this, suddenly two men in dazzling clothes stood beside them.

*** GOSPEL: Luke 24:1-12**

⁵The women were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, “Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen. ⁶Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, ⁷that the Son of Man must be handed over to sinners, and be crucified, and on the third day rise again.”

*** GOSPEL: Luke 24:1-12**

**⁸Then they remembered his words,
⁹and returning from the tomb, they told
all this to the eleven and to all the
rest. ¹⁰Now it was Mary Magdalene,
Joanna, Mary the mother of James,
and the other women with them who
told this to the apostles. ¹¹But these
words seemed to them an idle tale, and
they did not believe them.**

*** GOSPEL: Luke 24:1-12**

¹²But Peter got up and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; then he went home, amazed at what had happened.

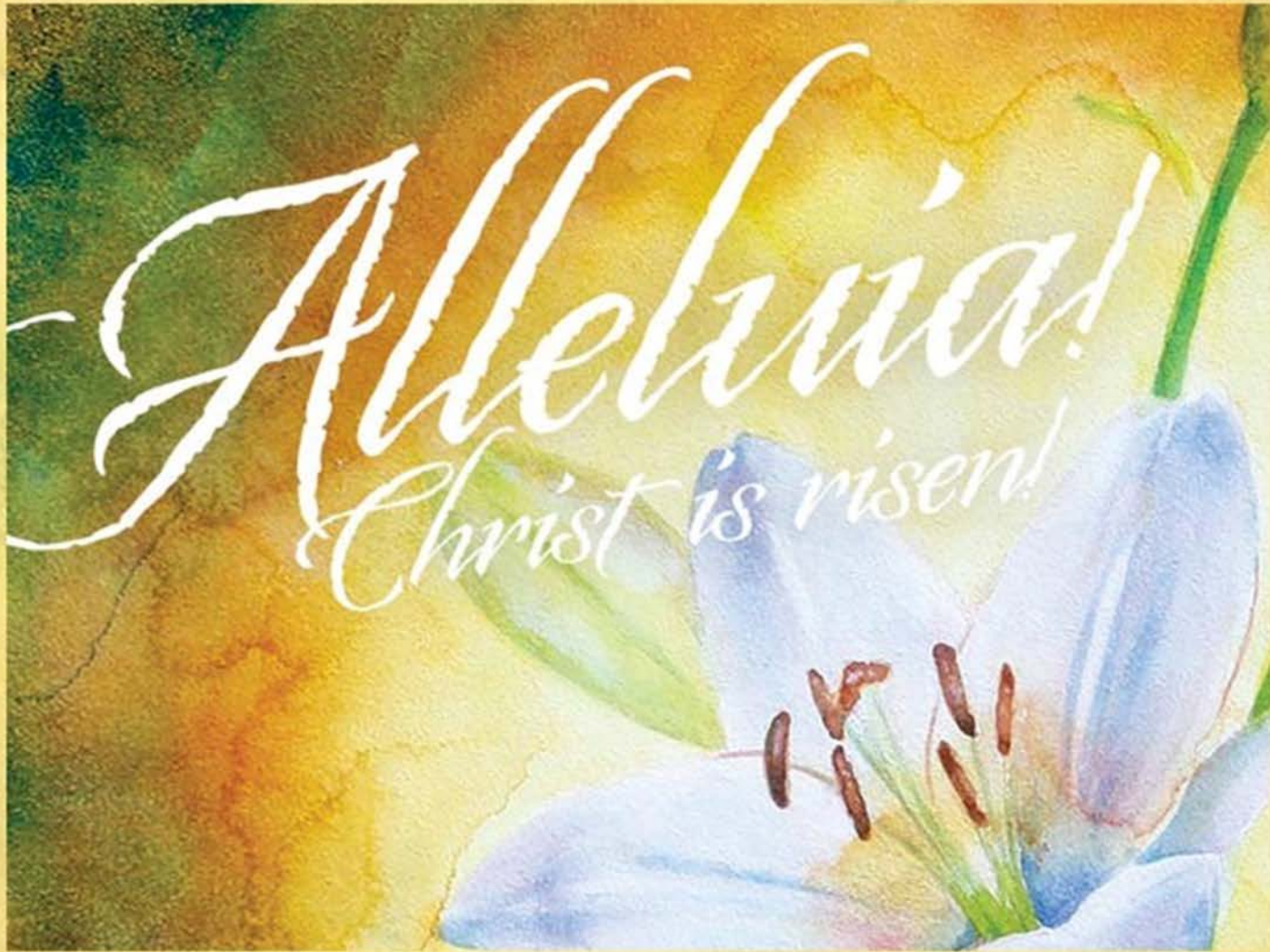
P: This is the Gospel of our Lord.

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: Praise To You, O Christ
(Spoken)

- **P: Please be seated**

Sermon



Sermon

Live Streaming Church



Sermon



Judas, are you logged on yet?

Sermon

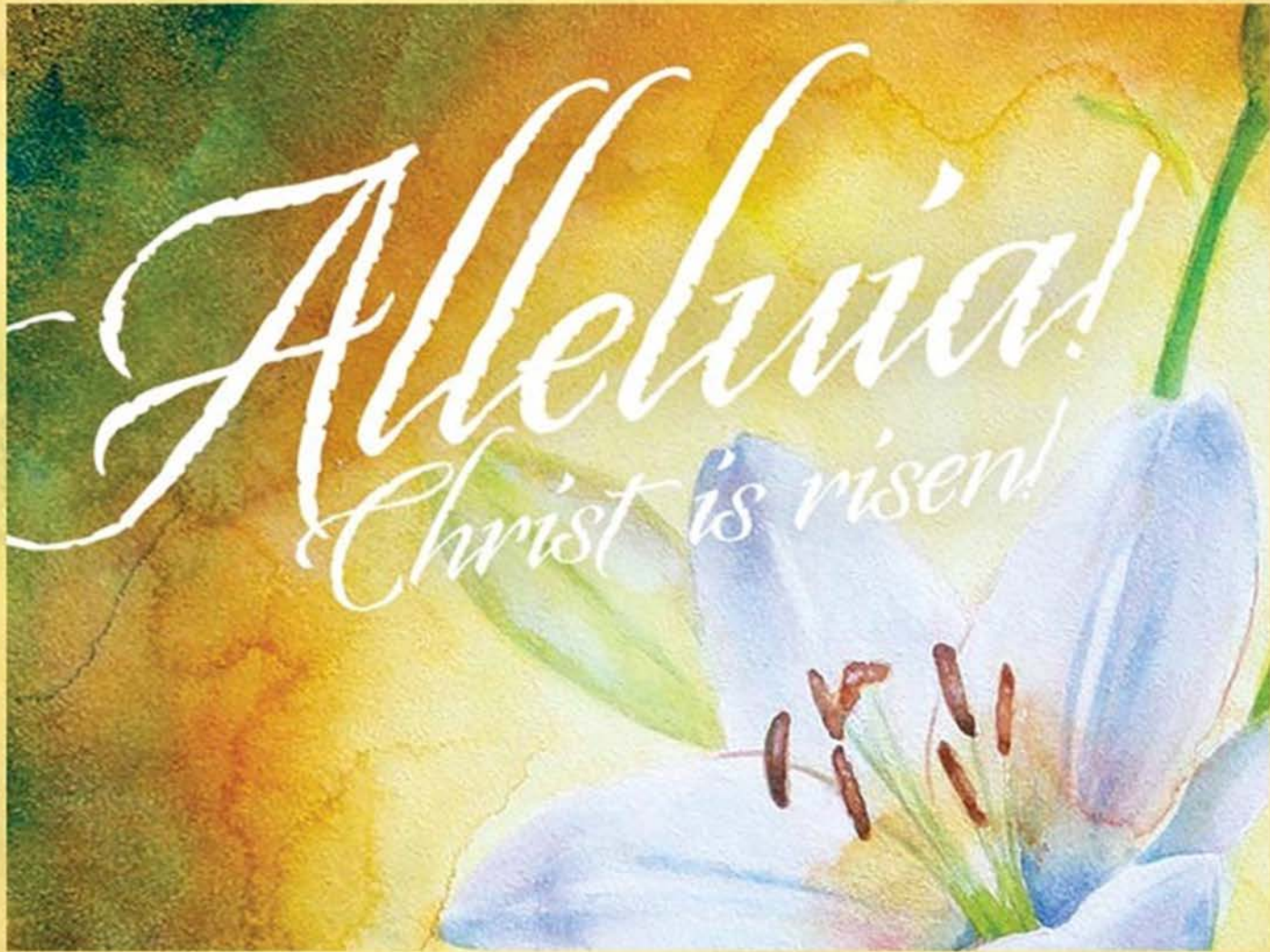


I baptize you in the name of Super Soaker...

Sermon

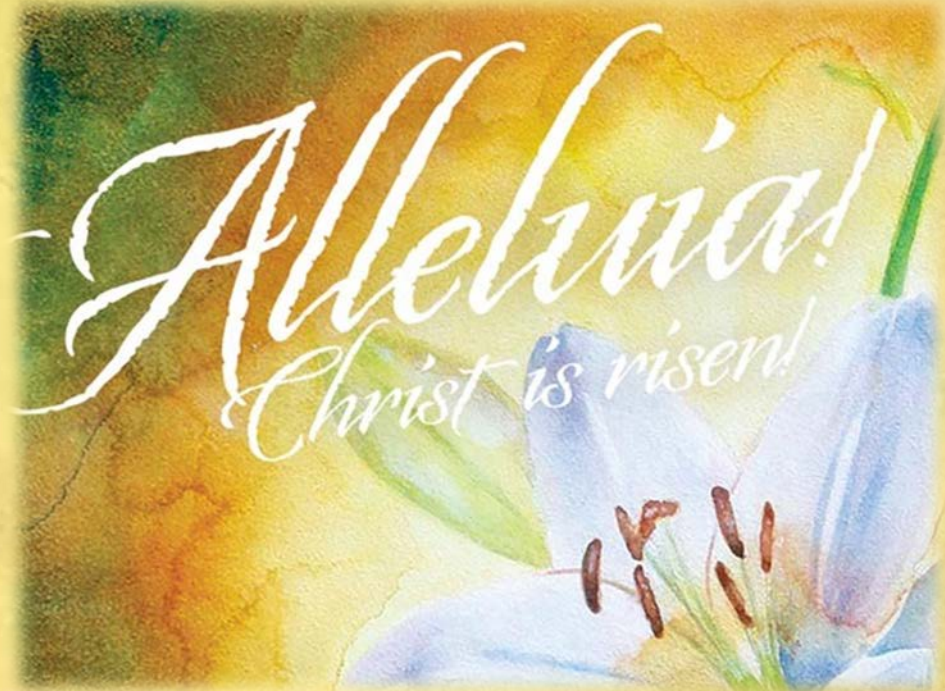


Sermon



**Special
Music**

**Katherine Jump
&
Dean Thompson**



* NICENE CREED

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

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

* NICENE CREED

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: 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.

* NICENE CREED

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: 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;

* NICENE CREED

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: 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.

* NICENE CREED

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: 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.

* NICENE CREED

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

**C: 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.**

- **PRESENTATION OF BIBLES**

**In fulfillment of the promises we
made at your Baptism...**



* PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Each petition will end with the words,

A: Risen Lord.

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: Your mercy is great.

* PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

The prayer concludes...

P: Incline your ear to our prayers and fill us with power to begin living out our faith, by the power of your Son our savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: Amen.

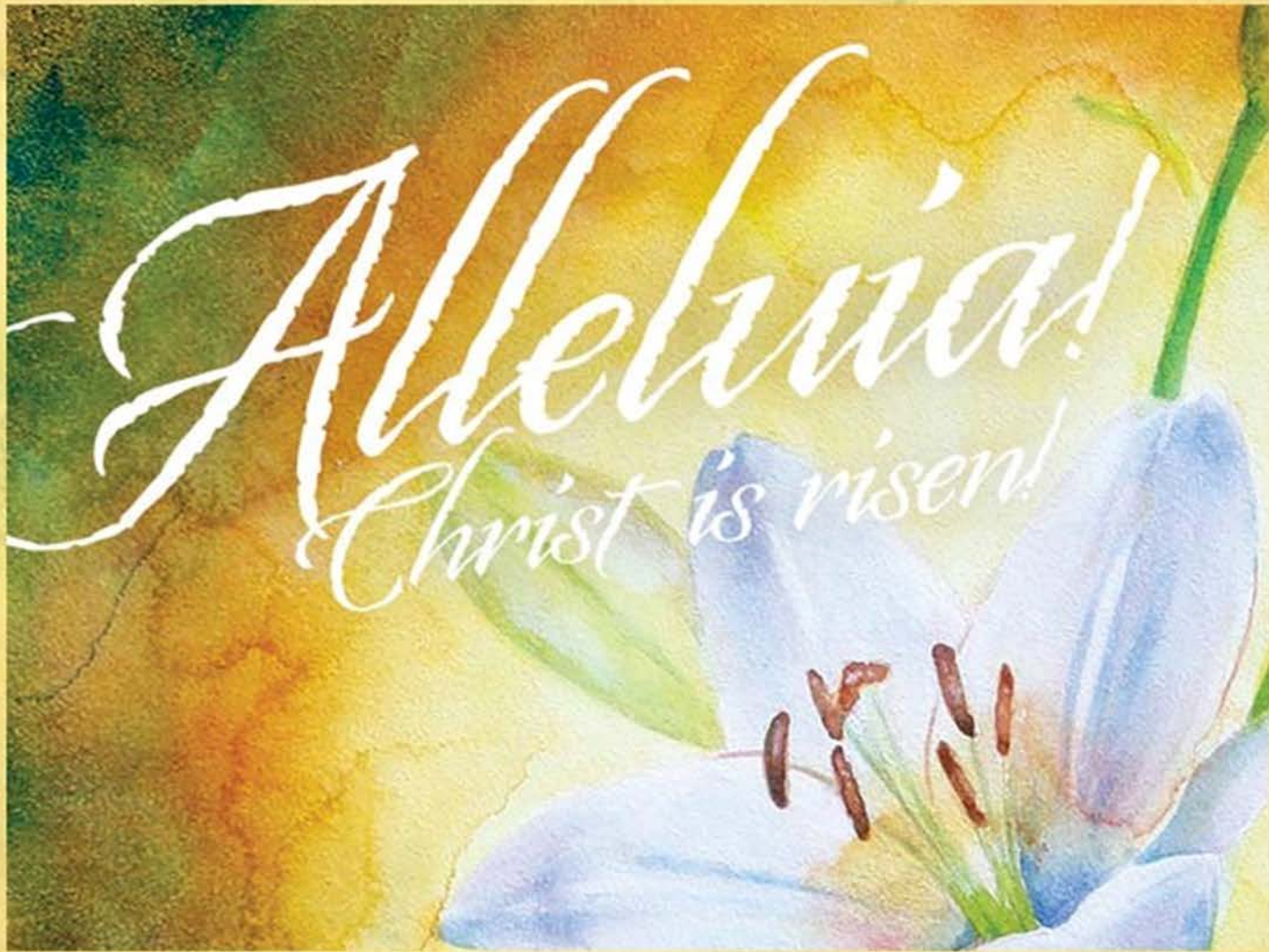
* SHARING OF THE PEACE

The Sharing of the Peace that began when the congregation arrived is now shared with the Pastor at this time...

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: And also with you.



* **Offering Prayer**

* THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Communion is by pre-filled kits. All the Baptized are welcome to celebrate this Holy Meal.

Please do not open the Communion Chalice until instructed to do so.

* DIALOGUE

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

*** Preface**

P: It is indeed right...

...join their unending hymn

* Sanctus

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might: Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna. Hosanna. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

* Eucharistic Prayer

P: Holy, living, and loving God...

... in your holy Church, both now and forever.

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: Amen.

* THE LORD'S PRAYER

P: We pray as Jesus taught...

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

**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,**

* THE LORD'S PRAYER

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: 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.

* INVITATION TO COMMUNION

P: With joy we come again to your feast of redemption, glad to receive your gifts of grace for the strengthening of our spirits. Let us celebrate our Lord's resurrection and come to his holy supper!

Please dispose of the empty cup in the trash receptacle on your way out of the Sanctuary.

* **POST COMMUNION BLESSING**

P: May this Body and Blood of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, strengthen, keep, and unite us.

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

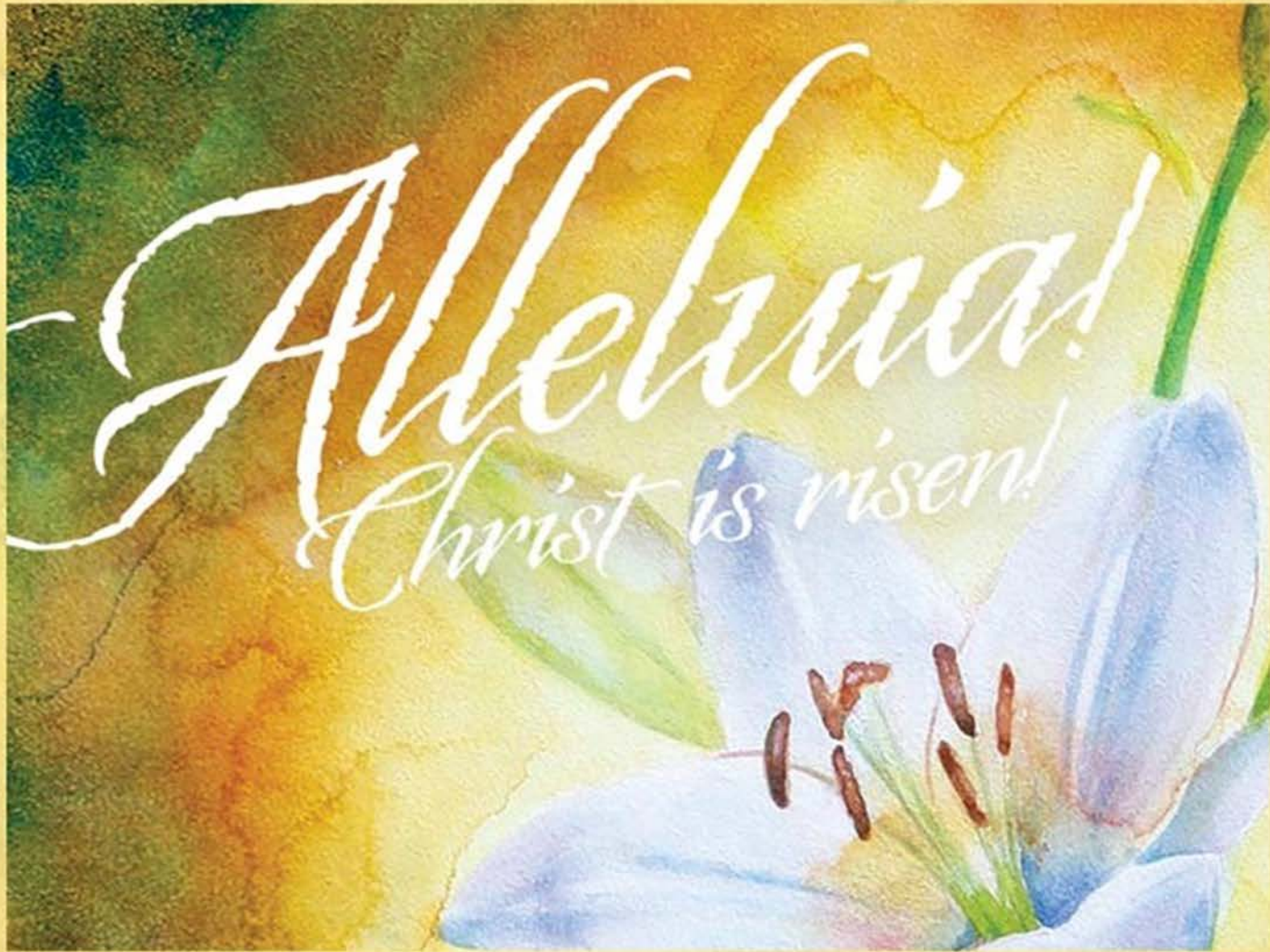
C: Amen.

* **POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

P: Let us pray... Gracious and abundant God, you have done great things for us, and we rejoice. In this bread and cup you give us life forever. In your boundless mercy, strengthen us and open our hearts to the world's needs, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord.


The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: Amen



- **Announcements**

• SENDING BLESSING

P: You are what God made you to be: created in Christ Jesus for good works, chosen as holy and beloved, freed to serve your neighbor. God bless you that you may be a blessing, in the name of the holy  and life-giving Trinity.

The congregation may respond with facemasks on:

C: Amen.

*** Sending Song**

Christ Has Risen! Alleluia!

LBW 131

Verses 1 & 2 Only

*** Christ Has Risen! Alleluia! - LBW 131**

- 1 Christ is risen! Alleluia!
Risen our victorious head!
Sing his praises! Alleluia!
Christ is risen from the dead!
Gratefully our hearts adore him
as his light once more appears;
bowing down in joy before him,
rising up from griefs and tears.**

*** Christ Has Risen! Alleluia! - LBW 131**

Refrain

Christ is risen! Alleluia!

Risen our victorious head!

Sing his praises! Alleluia!

Christ is risen from the dead!

*** Christ Has Risen! Alleluia! - LBW 131**

**2 Christ is risen! All the sadness
of our Lenten fast is o'er;
through the open gates of gladness
he returns to life once more;
death and hell before him bending
see him rise, the victor now,
angels on his steps attending,
glory round his wounded brow.**

*** Christ Has Risen! Alleluia! - LBW 131**

Refrain

Christ is risen! Alleluia!

Risen our victorious head!

Sing his praises! Alleluia!

Christ is risen from the dead!

* **DISMISSAL**

P: Depart in Christ's Love.

**C: Seeking, welcoming, and serving
all. Amen!**

POSTLUDE

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