

The Worship of God

Trinity Chimes *The Chimes call us to quiet our hearts for worship.*

Prelude *Easter Medley*

Greeting and Announcements

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

*Call to Worship - Revelation 1:17-18

WL: When I saw him, I fell at his feet as though dead. But he laid his right hand on me, saying,

ALL: “Fear not, I am the first and the last, and the living one. I died, and behold I am alive forevermore, and I have the keys of Death and Hades.”

WL: Christ is risen!

ALL: He is risen, indeed!

*Hymn of Praise *He Arose* No. 307
 Christ the Lord is Risen Today No. 312

Choir Anthem *Fairest Lord Jesus* arr. D. Hakes

Prayer of Confession:

O Lord, we marvel that you became incarnate, that you were crucified, dead, and buried — and that the tomb now stands empty because you are risen. Your Word bears witness to this truth, and our hearts know its power. Yet we confess that much within us still clings to sin. There is selfishness in us, fear of man, and a desire for the approval of others. We are often ashamed to hold fast to what is true, and we seek the praise of the world rather than faithfulness to you. Merciful Father, crucify what is sinful within us. Teach us to reckon our old life as dead through the cross of Christ. Deliver us from every desire that leads us away from your will. Grant that we would stand with our crucified and risen Savior — willing to be faithful even when it is costly, and steadfast in the truth of your Word. Fill us with the power of Christ’s resurrection life. Strengthen us for every trial, give us grace for every joy, and make us a holy and joyful people who walk in obedience to you. (Silent Confession) Amen!

Song of Confession *How Deep the Father’s Love For Us* No. 80

GOD RENEWS US IN CHRIST

*Proclamation of the Gospel and Assurance of Pardon

*Song of Assurance *In Christ Alone* No. 177

Prayer of the Kirk and The Lord’s Prayer

The Collection of Tithes and Offerings
 Offertory *My Redeemer Liveth* arr. E. J. Lorenz

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

GOD SHAPES US WITH HIS WORD

*Old Testament Reading Isaiah 25:6-9
 Chris Rohloff, Ruling Elder

Sermon “Resurrection — Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow”
 Luke 24:1-12
 Rev. Mark Tippin

Hymn of Response *Thine Is The Glory* No. 110

GOD SENDS US OUT IN HIS NAME

*Benediction and Trinity Chimes

Postlude *Thine Is The Glory* arr. C. Berry

*Please rise in heart and, if able, in body for these acts of worship.

Welcome to Westkirk

We are glad you have chosen to worship with us this morning!
Please record your presence and let us know how we may serve you by filling out the Connect Card and placing it in the offering or scan the QR code to fill it out electronically.

Serving Us Today

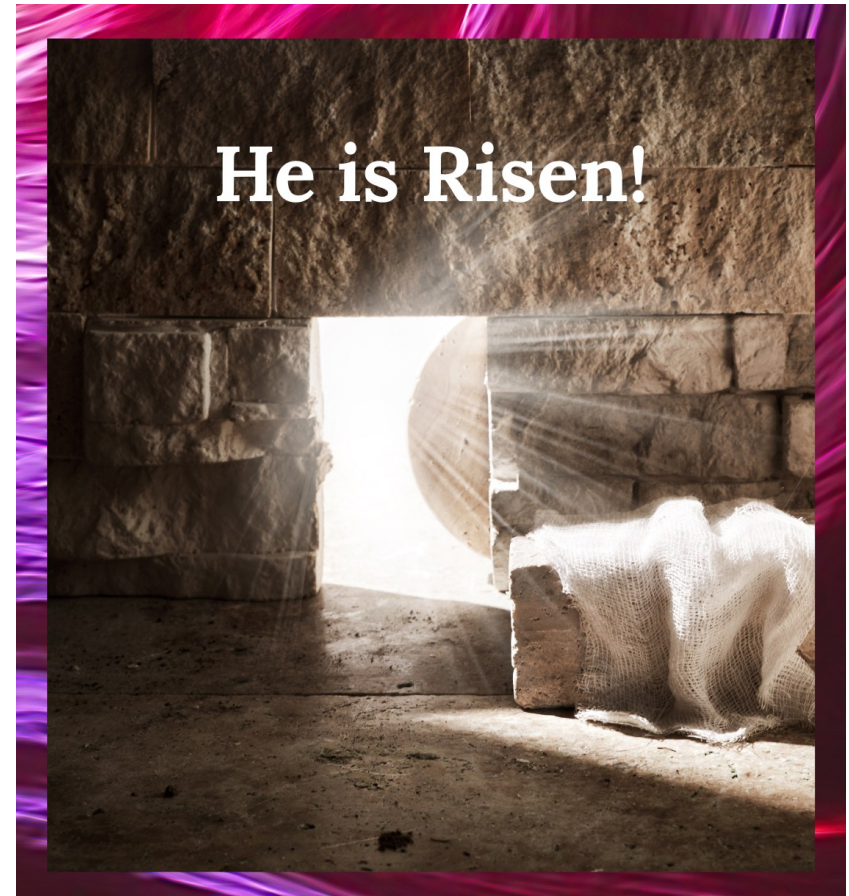
Rev. Mark Tippin	Transitional Pastor
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Becky Jantz	Piano, Choir Accompanist
Amanda Larson, Judy Erion	Flute
Elisabeth Pohlmann	Clarinet
Jordan Pohlmann, Chris Axtell	Trumpet
Mark Bakker	Trombone
Alison Brown, Samuel Brown, Peter Bailey, May Green, Mary Axtell, Anna Vest	Violin
Gilbert family, Bartlett family, Becky Lake	Welcome Team
Caleb Klingsheim, Bryan Pearson, Steve Jantz	Sound Technicians
Audrene Hansen, Cheryl Kurtz	Altar Guild

Our Elders: Mark Tippin, Nathan Hiatt,
Sam Keithley, Chris Rohloff, Kirk Yentes

Our Deacons: Phil Carpenter, Tom Duff

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To Know Christ and Make Him Known

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