

## People of Gloria Dei

**Disciples**  
**Pastor**  
**Director of Worship**  
**Office Administrator**  
**Office Assistant**  
**Accompanist**  
  
**Assisting Minister**

**The People of Gloria Dei**  
**Rev. Edd Wunderlich**  
**Rev. Taylor Tracy**  
**Cheryl Christensen**  
**Kitty Long**  
**Dr. Tracey Johnson**  
**Dr. Calvin Permenter**  
**Brian Ericksen**



**SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
**Saturday, April 10, 2021, 5:00 p.m.**  
**Sunday, April 11, 2021, 9:00 a.m.**

## Upcoming Events

Visit us on Facebook and our website for regular updates!

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<b>Monday - Friday</b>	Online Devotional with Pastor Edd	1:30 p.m.
<b>Wednesday</b>	TOPS	8:30 a.m.
<b>Saturday</b>	Saturday Evening Worship	5:00 p.m.
<b>Sunday</b>	Sunday Morning Worship	9:00 a.m.

Special thanks to Taylor, Calvin, Tracey, and our handbell and choral ensembles for their hard work and dedication to providing meaningful and moving music that deepens our relationship with God.

## **Prelude**

Dr. Tracey Johnson

## **Opening Hymn**

*Christ is Alive! Let Christians Sing*

ELW 389 (insert)

## **Call to Worship**

Pastor: What great joy we have!

**People: Our Lord is risen!**

Pastor: Believe with your whole heart in the miracle of resurrection.

**People: We open our hearts to the good news of God's faithfulness to us.**

Pastor: Hallelujah!

**People: Hallelujah!**

## **Opening Hymn**

Choral Ensemble 9:00 & 10:45

*Jesus Christ is Risen Today*

ELW 365

## **Opening Prayer**

**All: Almighty God, with joy we celebrate the day of our Lord's resurrection. By the grace of Christ among us, enable us to show the power of the resurrection in all that we say and do, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.**

## The Word

\*Please stand

### First Reading

Acts 4:32-35

### Psalm

Psalm 133

### Second Reading

1 John 1:1—2:2

### \*Gospel

John 20:19-31

### Homily

Rev. Edd Wunderlich

### Musical Offering

*Thine is the Glory*

ELW 376 (insert)

### Prayers of the People

\*Each petition ends with,

A “Hear us, O God.”

C “Your mercy is great.”

\*the prayer concludes with,

A “. . . through Jesus Christ our Lord.”

C “Amen.”

### \*Prayer of Confession

**Patient Lord, you wait for us to understand. You wait for us to remove the blinders of prejudice, fear, unbelief, confusion. You have offered to us the greatest miracle of all time, the resurrection of Your Son Jesus Christ. We sang and celebrated last Sunday, but a week has passed and we have slid back into our old ways of perceiving your presence and love. Shake us up, Lord! Shake us up and cause us to look with new eyes on our Savior, who came that we might have life, abundantly serving all who are in need. Forgive our stubbornness and our complacency. Reach out to us so that we may reach out with healing love to others, for we pray this in Jesus’ Name. Amen.**

### Words of Assurance

Pastor: Let the stone of ignorance, stubbornness, and fear be rolled away from your heart. Celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus Christ! Know that his love is poured out for you, for your healing. Be at peace and Rejoice! Amen.

## Holy Communion

### Words of Institution

Rev. Edd Wunderlich

### The Lord’s Prayer

**All: 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.**

### Benediction and Blessing

Pastor: Lord of mercy, be with us as we go from this place today. Fill our lives with your love. Help us to bring the good news of hope and peace wherever we go. Let us truly be people of the Resurrection -- the Easter people! Amen.

### Dismissal

A Christ is Risen!

C **Christ is Risen indeed!**

A Go and follow Christ’s ways.

C **Christ has conquered death and darkness so that we may live with Him for eternity.**

A Go and proclaim Christ’s Good News!

C **We can’t keep this joy to ourselves! We must share it with the world!**

A Together with Christ

C **We care!**

### Closing Hymn

*Jesus Christ Is Risen Today*

ELW 365 (insert)

### Postlude

Dr. Tracey Johnson

\*Please remain seated for the closing hymn. Then you can get up and spread the good news!

\*Communion is available upon exiting.

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## 389 Christ Is Alive! Let Christians Sing

1 Christ is a - live! Let Chris - tians sing. The cross stands  
 2 Christ is a - live! No long - er bound to dis - tant  
 3 In ev - 'ry in - sult, rift, and war, where col - or,  
 4 Wom - en and men, in age and youth, can feel the  
 5 Christ is a - live, and comes to bring good news to

emp - ty to the sky. Let streets and homes with  
 years in Pal - es - tine, but sav - ing, heal - ing,  
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 Spir - it, hear the call, and find the way, the  
 this and ev - 'ry age, till earth and sky and

prais - es ring. Love, drowned in death, shall nev - er die.  
 here and now, and touch - ing ev - 'ry place and time.  
 loves the more, and lives, where e - ven hope has died.  
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## Thine Is the Glory

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1 Thine is the glo - ry, ris - en, con-qu'ring Son; end-less is the  
 2 Lo, Je - sus meets thee, ris - en from the tomb! Lov-ing - ly he  
 3 No more we doubt thee, glo - rious Prince of life; life is naught with-

vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won! An - gels in bright rai - ment  
 greets thee, scat - ters fear and gloom; let his church with glad - ness  
 out thee; aid us in our strife; make us more than con-qu'rors,

rolled the stone a - way, kept the fold - ed grave - clothes  
 hymns of tri - umph sing, for the Lord now liv - eth;  
 through thy death - less love; bring us safe through Jor - dan

*Refrain*

where thy bod - y lay.  
 death hath lost its sting! Thine is the glo - ry, ris - en, con-qu'ring  
 to thy home a - bove.

Son; end - less is the vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won!

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## Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

1 Je - sus Christ is ris'n to - day, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 2 Hymns of praise then let us sing, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 3 But the pains which he en - dured, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 4 Sing we to our God a - bove, Al - le - lu - ia!

our tri - um - phant ho - ly day, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 un - to Christ, our heav'n - ly king, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 our sal - va - tion have pro - cured; Al - le - lu - ia!  
 praise e - ter - nal as his love; Al - le - lu - ia!

who did once up - on the cross, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 who en - dured the cross and grave, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 now a - bove the sky he's king, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 praise him, all you heav'n - ly host, Al - le - lu - ia!

suf - fer to re - deem our loss. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 sin - ners to re - deem and save. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 where the an - gels ev - er sing. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. Al - le - lu - ia!