



# Trinity Episcopal Church

April 19, 2025: 7pm The Great Vigil of Easter

## Welcome to Our Parish

We are glad to have you with us for our worship today, to share in the inclusive, ever-abundant love of God. If you would like to learn more about life here at Trinity, please fill out a **Welcome Card** found in the pew racks in front of you; join us for refreshments after the service; and visit our **website** at [trinitysb.org](http://trinitysb.org).

For an explanation of why worship at Trinity looks and sounds like it does, scan the QR code for our **Guide to the Episcopal Liturgy**.



**Open Communion.** Whatever tradition you come from, and wherever you are on your journey of faith, you are welcome at our communion table. You will find simple directions on how to participate in the Holy Communion section of the program. Gluten-free wafers are available—just ask when the bread is presented to you.

**Prayer Ministers.** During communion at the 10am service, two prayer ministers are available at the back of the church to pray. The three of you will pray together in a circle and you will be offered anointing with oil.

**Children.** On Sundays, Trinity offers religious formation for our children (ages 3 to 12) through the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program. It takes place as early as 9am in the church school building behind the sanctuary. Children are brought into the church during the offertory hymn to join us for communion at the 10am service.

**Nursery and Toddler Care** is from 9:45am to the end of the 10am service on Sundays in the nursery upstairs. During the offertory hymn, you are welcome to gather your child from the nursery to join you for communion in the church.

**Trinity's Youth Group** (grades 7-12) meets weekly during the school year for fellowship and reflection.

**Our ushers** are always glad to be of assistance, including answering questions, providing hearing loops as needed, and giving directions to the church school building, the nursery, and other on-site facilities.

**Hearing Loop** installed in the sanctuary.



## About the Great Vigil of Easter

The Great Vigil of Easter is the most significant liturgy of the Christian year and is the culmination of the Triduum—the Sacred Three Days.

The service begins in total darkness. The church is slowly illuminated by the candles of the faithful as we observe the Paschal Mystery—the passage from darkness into light, from death into life—told through ancient texts, scriptural readings, and sacred music, telling of God's saving actions through history.

Into this story, we reaffirm our baptismal vows. The great moment of this night is the celebration of the First Eucharist of the Resurrection, gloriously announced with Alleluias.

The Paschal Candle burns as a sign of the presence of the resurrected Christ and will burn throughout the Easter season, known as the Great Fifty Days.

# Ministers of Tonight's Liturgy

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## The Great Vigil of Easter

This liturgy is the first celebration of Easter, rejoicing in Jesus' resurrection from the dead.

Our service begins on the Labyrinth Plaza with the lighting of the new fire, symbolizing the light of Christ in the world. After processing into the sanctuary, we hear readings and sing hymns that recount salvation history; we renew our baptismal vows, and we share the bread and wine of the Eucharist. Please bring bells to "ring in the Alleluias." A festive reception in the Parish Hall will follow.

## 7pm Service

**Presiders:** The Rev. Elizabeth Molitors, Rector;  
The Rev. Sarah Thomas, Associate Rector

**Preacher:** The Rev. Elizabeth Molitors, Rector

**Deacon:** The Rev. John Draper

**Director of Music:** Thomas Joyce

**Musicians:** Kate Wallace and Douglas Clegg

**Conducting Assistant:** Grace Wenzel

### The Trinity Choir

**Acolytes:** Sol Beard-Armbruster, Terre Sanitate,  
Ralph Armbruster-Sandoval

**Presenters of Salvation History:** Michelle Petty,  
Pauline Nelson, Faye Cox, Hazel Chevitarese,  
Robert Adams, Michael Stivers, Carol Ann Manzi

**Lay Eucharistic Ministers:** Jeffrey Krutzsch  
Jeannie Christensen, Donna Sugano

**Ushers:** Mel Sahyun, Jim Sterne,  
Alexander Thomas

**Welcome Team:** Mark Stout, Beth Thompson,  
Mona Motte Wilds

**Audio Guild:** Katie Sherwood

**Stream Team:** Betty Wenzel

**Altar Guild:** Chris Boesch, Christine Purcell

# Remember in Your Prayers

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Veronica, Nina Zimmer, men of Lompoc prison, Isobel McNamara, Lottie, Julie Hayes Nadler, victims of gun violence, people of Ukraine, Israel, Palestine, Lebanon, Armenia, and Sudan; victims of human trafficking, undocumented immigrants, Paula Urschel, Randy Howard, Karen Claydon, Walter Patterson, Joan W., Jernigan Family, Porter Family, Lehrhoff Family, Eliza and Tim Smith, Gab Crossley, Paulo, Sharon Beasley, Jon Fraser, Diane Wyman, Kathy and Steven, David Davis, Gus Garciacelay, Brandon, Torrance, John McCoy, Anne Roediger, Sharon Bowler, Eric de Haas, Jay Patterson, those affected by the Southern California fires.

## Those with Long Term Illness:

Irene Sahyun, Rachel Roitman, Dave Wyman, Judy Boyd, Royal Claydon, Greg Hawkins, Carolyn Roberts, Libby, Michael Wilds, Karen Myers, Johnny Mac, Brennie, Benny Pryor, Jack Carey, David Tracy, Scott McIver, Dee Elias, Karen McKenzie, Cindy Sprague, the Rt. Rev. William Smalley, Lynda Rothman, Rick Huyett, Ada A., Tim, Kate, Molly Ferro, Jane G., Esperanza Ruano, Gloria C. Barbara Winslow, Gail Lanonette, Kathy Floyd.

## For the Departed:

Charlie Zimmer, Marco T. Caponi, Kent Carlander, Edwin Weston, Erin Graffy, Gary Fruin, Rev. Dr. Paul Sheppard, Barry Nathan, Rodger Dawson, Don Webb, Pat Clemens, Greg Howell, Anthea Mannion, Rt. Rev. Bruce Caldwell.

## In the Armed Services:

Craig and Catherine Christ, Michael C. Fish, David Dees, Frederick Johnston, Nicole A. Dennis, Kyle Ray, John Whitney, Sean Dunbar, Nicholas Hoegh Guldberg, Ryan Carey, Ben Wilson.

## Postulant for Holy Orders

**(diaconate):** Phylene Wiggins

## Pastoral Care:

*If you would like names added to the prayer list, please contact the office. Names will be removed after 90 days. If you would like to receive communion at home, are going into the hospital or are otherwise in need of pastoral care, and would like to pray with or be visited by clergy, please email [office@trinitysb.org](mailto:office@trinitysb.org) or call 805-965-7419.*

## Welcome

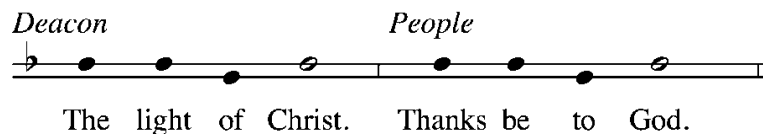
### The Lighting of the Paschal Candle

*In the darkness, the new fire is kindled and lighted on the Labyrinth.*

Presider Dear friends in Christ: On this most holy night, in which our Lord Jesus passed over from death to life, the Church invites her members, dispersed throughout the world, to gather in vigil and prayer. For this is the Passover of the Lord, in which, by hearing his word and celebrating his sacraments, we share in his victory over death. **Amen.**

Presider Let us pray. O God, through your Son you have bestowed upon your people the brightness of your light: Sanctify this new fire, and grant that in this Paschal feast we may so burn with heavenly desires, that with pure minds we may attain to the festival of everlasting light; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

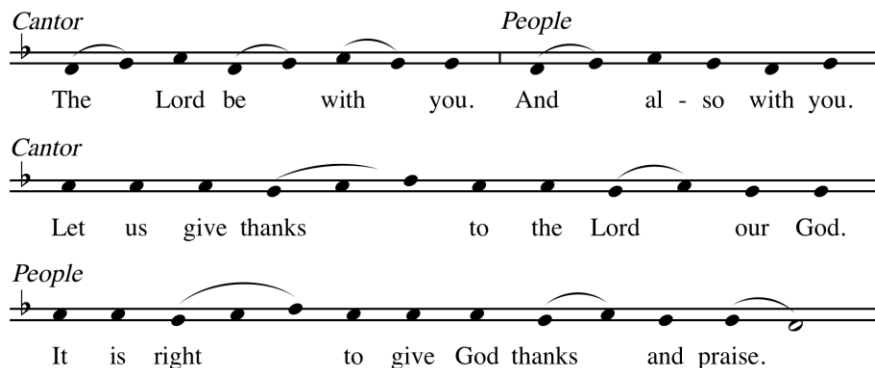
*The Paschal Candle is then lighted from the new fire. The deacon leads the congregation in singing as all process from the Labyrinth into the church sanctuary:*



### The Exsultet

Cantor Rejoice now, heavenly hosts and choirs of angels, and let your trumpets shout salvation for the victory of our mighty King. Rejoice and sing now, all the round earth, bright with a glorious splendor, for darkness has been vanquished by our eternal King. Rejoice and be glad now, Mother Church, and let your holy courts, in radiant light, resound with the praises of your people. All you who stand near this marvelous and holy flame, pray with me to God the Almighty for the grace to sing the worthy praise of this great light; through Jesus Christ his Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

*The cantor and people sing:*



Cantor It is truly right and good, always and everywhere, with our whole heart and mind and voice, to praise you, the invisible, almighty, and eternal God, and your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who at the feast of the

Passover paid for us the debt of Adam's sin, and by his blood delivered your faithful people.

This is the night, when you brought our forebears, the children of Israel, out of bondage in Egypt, and led them through the Red Sea on dry land.

This is the night, when all who believe in Christ are delivered from the gloom of sin, and are restored to grace and holiness of life.

This is the night, when Christ broke the bonds of death and hell, and rose victorious from the grave. How wonderful and beyond our knowing, O God, is your mercy and loving-kindness to us, that to redeem a slave, you gave a Son.

How holy is this night, when wickedness is put to flight, and sin is washed away. It restores innocence to the fallen, and joy to those who mourn. It casts out pride and hatred, and brings peace and concord. How blessed is this night, when earth and heaven are joined and humanity is reconciled to God.

Holy God, accept our evening sacrifice, the offering of this candle in your honor. May it shine continually to drive away all darkness. May Christ, the Morning Star who knows no setting, find it ever burning—he who gives his light to all creation, and who lives and reigns for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## The Liturgy of the Word

Presider Let us hear the record of God's saving deeds in history, how God saved the people in ages past; and let us pray that our God will bring each of us to the fullness of redemption.

**The First Lesson** *The Creation*, by James Weldon Johnson

based on Genesis 1:1–2:2  
Presented by Michelle Petty

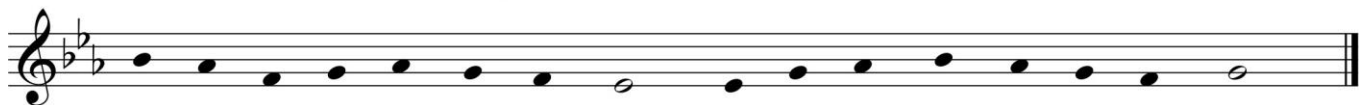
*All are invited to join in the singing of hymns between the readings*

## Hymn

*Conditor alme siderum*  
Plainsong, Mode IV  
Words by Ruth C. Duck (b.1947)



Cre - a - tor of all time and space, we read your im - age on each face.  
We thank you for the hu - man mind, in mys - tic har - mo - ny de - signed,  
O God of plan - et, moon, and sun, we won - der, know - ing all you've done,  
For mir - a - cles as large as space, as small as cells, as deep as grace,



Great Spi - rit of the cos - mic whole, you made us bo - dy, mind, and soul.  
for word and im - age, dream and thought, for les - sons learned and an - swers sought.  
that you be - friend the hu - man race, and fill our lives with love and grace.  
we of - fer you our thanks and praise, and pledge to serve you all our days.

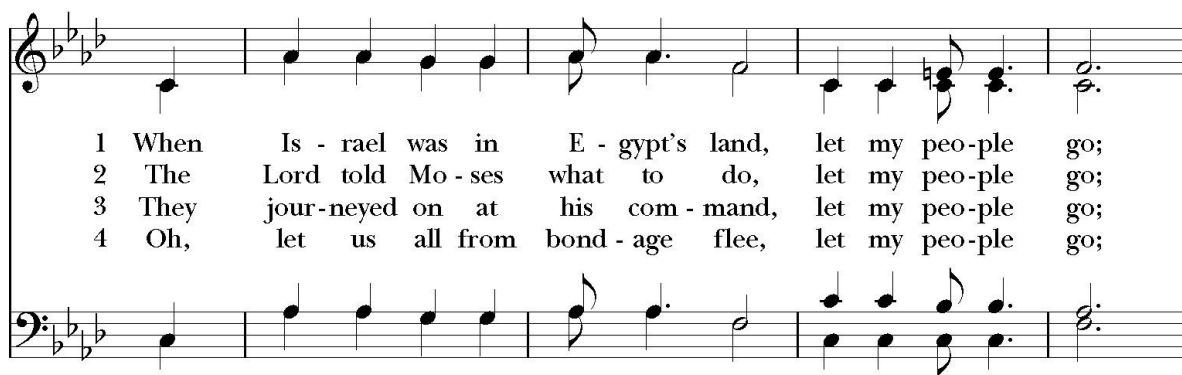
Presider Let us pray. Eternal God, you created all things in wonderful beauty and order. Help us now to perceive how still more wonderful is the new creation, by which in the fullness of time you redeemed your people through the sacrifice of our Passover, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**The Second Lesson** *Israel's deliverance at the Red Sea*

based on Exodus 14:10–15:1  
Presented by Pauline Nelson

**Hymn**

When Israel was in Egypt's land

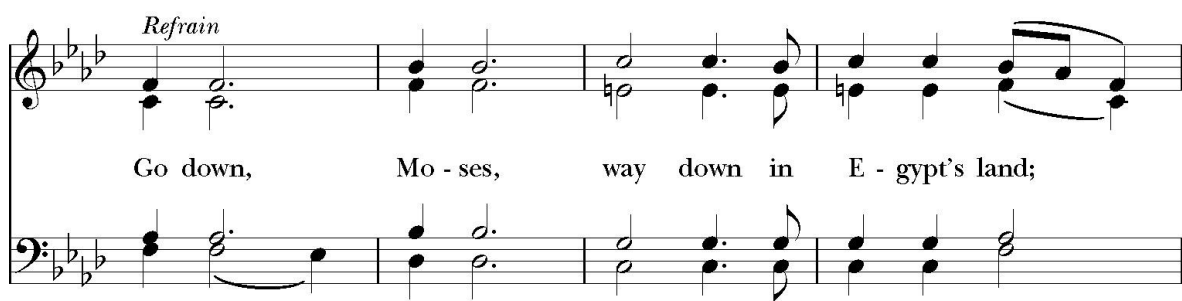


1 When Is - rael was in E - gypt's land, let my peo-ple go;  
2 The Lord told Mo - ses what to do, let my peo-ple go;  
3 They jour-neyed on at his com - mand, let my peo-ple go;  
4 Oh, let us all from bond - age flee, let my peo-ple go;

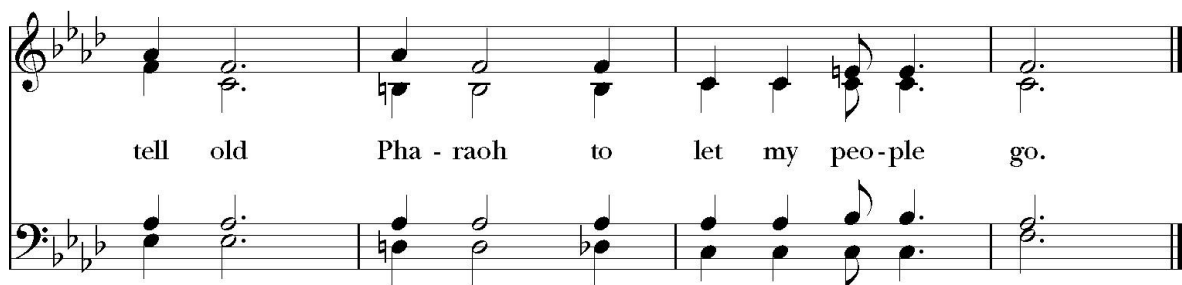


op - pressed so hard they could not stand, let my peo-ple go.  
to lead the chil-dren of Is - rael through, let my peo-ple go.  
and came at length to Ca - naan's land, let my peo-ple go.  
and let us all in Christ be free, let my peo-ple go.

*Refrain*



Go down, Mo - ses, way down in E - gypt's land;



tell old Pha - raoh to let my peo-ple go.

Presider

Let us pray. O merciful God, save all whom oppression drowns. Wash away injustice. With Miriam we sing to the majestic mercy of your baptismal waters. O merciful God, we implore you: this time, save also the Egyptians, in your mercy wider and deeper than all the oceans of the earth. **Amen.**

### The Third Lesson

### *Dry Bones*

based on Ezekiel 37:1-14  
Presented by Faye Cox and Hazel Chevitaresh

## SEND US YOUR SPIRIT

Ruth Duck

KINGSFOLD  
English traditional

### Verses



1. The bones were scat - tered, dry and dead, di -
2. The man was ly - ing near the pool, too
3. A wom - an thirst - ed at the well, still
4. Give us this liv - ing wa - ter, God, that



vid - ed, torn a - part. You breathed your Spir - it  
hope - less to be stirred. Then Je - sus came and  
strong, yet worn by care. Then Je - sus came with  
we may drink our fill. Give us new life, new



of new life, gave new and faith-ful hearts.  
called his name, gave new life by his word.  
liv - ing springs, new life and love to share.  
hearts, new hope, that we may do your will.

### Refrain



Send us your Spir - it, give the gift of



new hearts to us all. Stir up the wa - ters,



make us swift to rise up when you call.

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Presider Let us pray. Gracious God, by the Passover of your Son you have brought us out of sin into righteousness and out of death into life: Grant to those who are sealed by your Holy Spirit the will and the power to proclaim you to all the world; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**The Fourth Lesson**      *A new heart and a new spirit*

based on Ezekiel 36:24-28  
Presented by Robert Adams

**Musical Reflection**

Don't Let Nobody Drag Your Spirit Down

Eric Bibb (additional lyrics by K. Wallace)

Say to the people, the Kingdom's at hand  
Everybody's welcome in the promised land  
So don't you let nobody drag your spirit down  
We're all walkin' up to heaven  
Don't let nobody turn you around

Clean Spirit and a clean heart  
God's gonna give you a brand new start  
So don't you ever let nobody drag your spirit down  
We're all walkin' up to heaven  
Don't let nobody turn you around

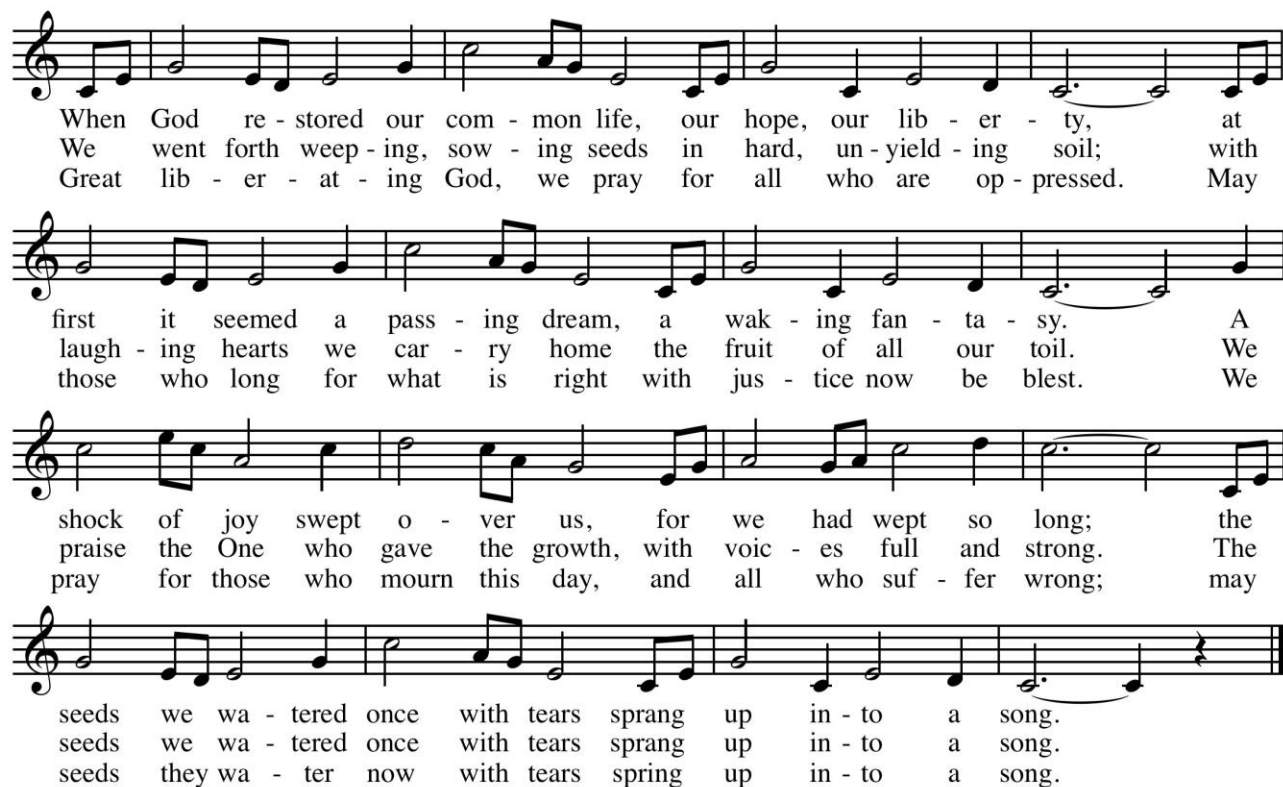
Presider Let us pray. O God Eternal, who in the Paschal mystery established the new covenant of reconciliation: Grant that all who are reborn into the fellowship of Christ's body may show forth in their lives what they profess by their faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**The Fifth Lesson**      *The gathering of God's people*

based on Zephaniah 3:12-20  
Presented by Michael Stivers

**Hymn**

When God restored our common life



When God re - stored our com - mon life, our hope, our lib - er - ty, at  
We went forth weep - ing, sow - ing seeds in hard, un - yeild - ing soil; with  
Great lib - er - at - ing God, we pray for all who are op - pressed. May  
first it seemed a pass - ing dream, a wak - ing fan - ta - sy. A  
laugh - ing hearts we car - ry home the fruit of all our toil. We  
those who long for what is right with jus - tice now be blest. We  
shock of joy swept o - ver us, for we had wept so long; the  
praise the One who gave the growth, with voic - es full and strong. The  
pray for those who mourn this day, and all who suf - fer wrong; may  
seeds we wa - tered once with tears sprang up in - to a song.  
seeds we wa - tered once with tears sprang up in - to a song.  
seeds they wa - ter now with tears spring up in - to a song.

Words: Ruth Duck (1947-)  
Music: Resignation (*Southern Harmony*)



Presider Let us pray. O God of unchangeable power and eternal light: Look favorably on your whole Church, that wonderful and sacred mystery; by the effectual working of your providence, carry out in tranquility the plan of salvation; let the whole world see and know that things which were cast down are being raised up, and things which had grown old are being made new, and that all things are being brought to their perfection by him through whom all things were made, your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**The Sixth Lesson**      *Salvation offered freely to all*

based on Isaiah 55:1-12  
Presented by Carol Ann Manzi

**Musical Reflection**      We Shall Be Known

Karisha Longaker

We shall be known by the company we keep  
By the ones who circle round to tend these fires  
We shall be known by the ones who sow and reap  
The seeds of change, alive from deep within the earth  
It is time now, it is time now that we thrive  
It is time we lead ourselves into the well  
It is time now, and what a time to be alive  
In this Great Turning we shall learn to lead in love  
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*All process to the baptismal font while singing.*

Presider Let us pray. O God, you have created all things by the power of your word, and you renew the earth by your Spirit: Give now the water of life to those who thirst for you, that they may bring forth abundant fruit in your glorious kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**Presentation and Examination of the Candidates**

*Book of Common Prayer (BCP)*

*The candidates, Becca Lowi and Paul Lowi, are presented by their sponsors as follows*

Presider	The Candidates for Holy Baptism will now be presented.
Sponsors	<b>I present Becca and Paul Lowi to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.</b>
Presider	Do you desire to be baptized?
Candidate	<b>I do.</b>
Presider	Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?
Candidate	<b>I renounce them.</b>
Presider	Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?
Candidate	<b>I renounce them.</b>
Presider	Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw people from the love of God?
Candidate	<b>I renounce them.</b>
Presider	Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Savior?
Candidate	<b>I do.</b>
Presider	Do you put your whole trust in Christ's grace and love?
Candidate	<b>I do.</b>



Presider Do you promise to follow and obey him as your Lord?  
Candidate **I do.**

*Then the presider addresses the congregation, saying*

Presider Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support Becca and Paul in their life in Christ?  
People **We will.**  
Presider Let us join with Becca and Paul who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

## **The Baptismal Covenant**

Presider Do you believe in God the Creator?  
People **I believe in God, creator of heaven and earth.**  
Presider Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?  
People **I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Holy One. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

Presider Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?  
People **I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.**

Presider Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of the bread, and in the prayers?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Presider Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Presider Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Presider Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People **I will, with God's help.**

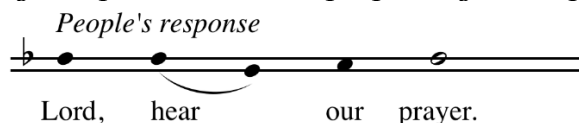
Presider Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People **I will, with God's help.**

## Prayers for the Candidates

Presider Let us now pray for Becca and Paul who are to receive the Sacrament of new birth.

*The Cantor sings the petitions and the people sing the response:*



Presider Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and forever. **Amen.**

## Thanksgiving over the Water

*The Presider blesses the water, first saying*

Presider God be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

Presider We thank you, Gracious God, for the gift of water. Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Holy One, for the water of Baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit.

Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

*At the following words, the Presider touches the water*

Now sanctify this water, we pray you, by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who here are cleansed from sin and born again may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior. To God, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## The Baptism

Presider I baptize you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.  
People **Amen.**

Presider You are sealed by the Holy Spirit in baptism and marked as Christ's own for ever.

People **Amen.**

Presider Receive the light of Christ and carry it into the world.

People **Amen.**

Presider Let us pray. Gracious God, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon your servants, Becca and Paul, the forgiveness of sin, and have raised them to the new life of grace. Sustain them, O God, in your Holy Spirit. Give them inquiring and discerning hearts, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works.

People **Amen.**

Presider Let us welcome the newly baptized.

People **We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.**

*The people are asperged with the newly blessed water from the font, and make their way back to their seats.*

## Reflection and Easter Proclamation

The Rev. Elizabeth A. Molitors

Presider Alleluia! Christ is risen!

People **Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

*Proclaimed 3 times*

# Easter Hymn of Praise #207

Jesus Christ is risen today

*Descant*

1 Je - sus Christ is risen 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 heaven - 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 ye heaven - 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!

## The Holy Gospel

**Luke 24:1-12**

Deacon      The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ, according to Luke.  
People      **Glory to you, O Christ.**

On the first day of the week, at early dawn, the women who had come with Jesus from Galilee came to the tomb, taking the spices that they had prepared. They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, but when they went in, they did not find the body. While they were perplexed about this, suddenly two men in dazzling clothes stood beside them. The 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. Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, that the Son of Man must be handed over to sinners, and be crucified, and on the third day rise again." Then they remembered his words, and returning from the tomb, they told all this to the eleven and to all the rest. Now it was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the other women with them who told this to the apostles. But these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. But 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.

Deacon      The Gospel of the Lord.  
People      **Praise to you, O Christ.**

## The Peace

Presider      The peace of Christ be always with you.  
People      **And also with you.**

*Please be seated.*

## Announcements

### The Offertory

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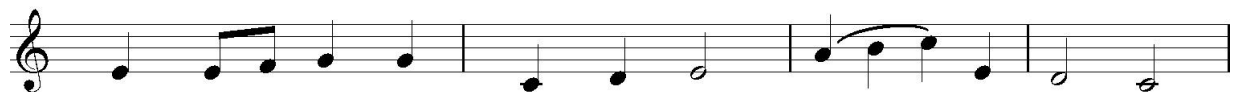
*Please stay seated as the offering plates are passed, then stand, as you are able, as the ushers bring forward the offerings of bread, wine, and money to the altar.*

**Offertory Anthem**      The Easter Song of Praise      Richard Shephard (b.1949)

Sing choirs of heaven. Let saints and angels sing. Around God's throne exult in harmony!  
Now Jesus Christ is risen from the grave. Salute your king in glorious symphony.  
Sing choir of earth. Behold your light has come. The glory of the Lord shines radiantly.  
Lift up your hearts, for Christ has conquered death. The night is past, the day of life is here.  
Sing church of God. Exult with joy outpoured. The gospel trumpets tell of victory won!  
Your Saviour lives, he's with you evermore. Let all God's people shout the long Amen.

# Offertory Hymn #187

Through the Red Sea brought at last, Alleluia



1 Through the Red Sea brought at last, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 2 Like the cloud that o - ver - head, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 3 In that cloud and in that sea, Al - le - lu - ia!



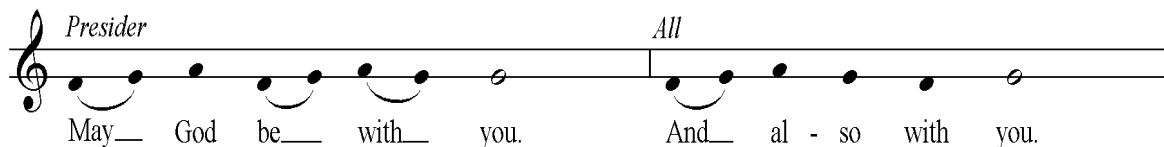
E - gypt's chains be - hind we cast, Al - le - lu - ia! Deep and wide  
 through the bil - lows Is - rael led, Al - le - lu - ia! by his tomb  
 bur - ied and bap - tized were we, Al - le - lu - ia! Earth - ly night



flows the tide sev - ering us from bond - age past, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Christ makes room, souls re - stor - ing from the dead, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 brought us light which is ours e - ter - nal - ly, Al - le - lu - ia!

## The Great Thanksgiving

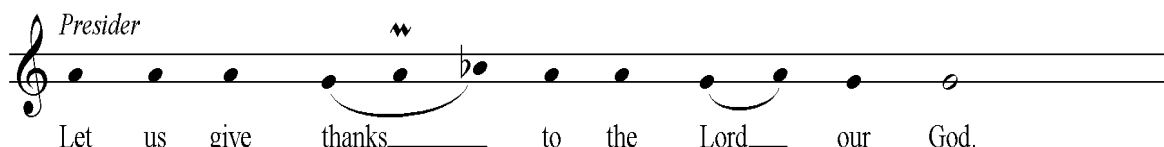
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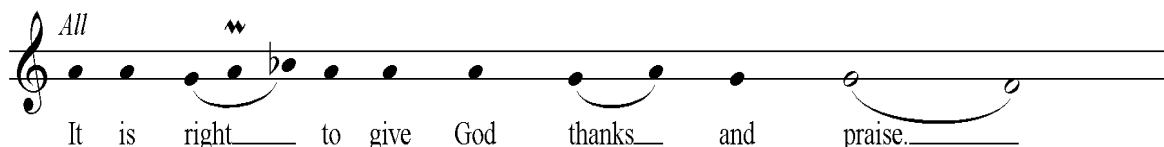
*Presider* May God be with you. *All* And al - so with you.



*Presider* Lift up your hearts. *All* We lift them to the Lord.



*Presider* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.



*All* It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Presider

Thanks and praise fill our hearts, O God, for you are the Lord of creation and new creation, of covenant and new covenant. You brought your people out of slavery, to freedom in the Promised Land, and you brought your Son from the depth of death to the glory of resurrection life. And so we gladly thank you, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven, singing the hymn of your unending praise:

## Sanctus

Richard Shephard  
*The Acklam Service*

Ho - ly Ho - ly\_\_ Ho - ly Lord\_\_ God of pow'r and might,  
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is the  
one who comes in the name\_\_ of the\_\_ Lord. Ho -  
san - na in\_\_ the\_\_ high - est.\_\_\_\_\_

Presider Joy and gladness are our song, redeeming God, for in your conquest of death we see the destiny of every hope in you. Come among us in the power of your Holy Spirit, that your children may be blessed with power and grace, and that this bread and cup may become for us the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ; who, at supper with his disciples, took bread, gave thanks, broke the bread, and gave it to them, saying, "Take, eat: this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup. Again he gave you thanks, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Drink this, all of you: this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." Great is the mystery of faith:

People **Christ has died.**  
**Christ is risen.**  
**Christ will come again.**

Presider Hope and glory are our breath, merciful God, for you have rolled away the stone of despair, the stone of oppression, the stone of lament, the stone of grief, the stone of death, the stone of sin, the stone of fear. Come and stand among us and breathe on us your eternal life, that all who labor, all who stumble, all who hunger, and all who fall, shall meet you in the breaking of the bread and be lifted up by your touch.

Shape your church to be your risen body; make our scars beautiful like your scars, make our lives life-giving like your life, and make our communion holy with your saints, until you come again in glory and we eat with you in your kingdom. Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer, ever one God. **AMEN.**



## The Lord's Prayer

And now let us pray together, in the words Jesus gave his disciples:

**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,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

## Fraction Anthem *(sung by all)*

Richard Shephard  
*The Acklam Service*



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world: have mer - cy on

us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world: have mer - cy on

us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

## The Invitation

Presider      These are the gifts of God for you the holy and beloved people of God.

## **The Holy Communion**

*Whoever you are, and wherever you find yourself on the journey of faith, you are welcome at God's table for communion. Communion will be administered by stations at the front and back of the church. You have the option to receive only the bread (wafer), or the bread intincted (dipped) into the wine and placed into your hand by the clergy person distributing communion. If you wish to receive only the wafer, please say "bread only" as it's your turn to receive. Gluten free wafers are also available.*

*Regardless of whether you're receiving the bread only, or the bread and wine, you will hear the phrases, "the body of Christ, the bread of heaven" and "the blood of Christ, the cup of salvation" as communion is offered to you.*

*As the ushers invite your row forward, please come up the center aisle to receive communion, then return to your seat via the side aisle.*

*If you're unable to make your way to the front of the church, please notify an usher and communion will be brought to you.*

*If you do not wish to receive communion, simply cross your arms across your chest; this will signal to the clergy to offer a blessing in lieu of communion.*

### **Communion Anthem**

Myrrh Bearing Mary

David Hurd (b. 1950)

Myrrh bearing Mary from Magdala came  
Seeking her Jesus with spirit aflame  
He had commanded her sickness depart  
She now would thank him for newness of heart

Myrrh bearing Mary from Bethany came  
Seeking her Jesus who'd called her by name  
There she anointed his feet and his head  
With precious oils that were meant for the dead

Myrrh bearing Mary to Calvary came  
Seeking her Jesus who hung there in shame  
And as the careless and heedless walked by  
Hopeless and helpless she watched her Lord die

Myrrh bearing Mary to death's garden came  
Seeking her Jesus who'd borne the world's blame  
Heartsick she stood 'til she heard her Lord's voice  
"Mary" he said, "I am risen, rejoice!"

- Rae E. Whitney (b. 1927)

*All who are able, please stand.*

**Post Communion Prayer**

adapted from *All Desires Known*

**O God who gave us life to cherish and enjoy,  
and made us capable, in its service,  
of costly love and powerful commitment:  
help us to choose life in all its abundance,  
not only for ourselves and for our children,  
but for all our struggling world,  
for whom you were content to lay down your life  
in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**The Blessing**

Adapted from the Rev. William Sloane Coffin

May God give us grace never to sell ourselves short;  
grace to risk something big for something good;  
and grace to remember that the world is now too dangerous for anything but truth  
and too small for anything but love.  
And may the blessing of God  
who made you, who loves you, and who travels with you  
be with you now and always. **Amen.**

# Recessional Hymn #208

The strife is o'er, the battle done

*Antiphon (at the beginning)*

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

*Ped.*

1 The strife is o'er, the bat - tle done, the vic - to -  
 2 The powers of death have done their worst, but Christ their  
 \*3 The three sad days are quick - ly sped, he ris - es  
 4 He closed the yawn - ing gates of hell, the bars from  
 5 Lord! by the stripes which wound - ed thee, from death's dread

1 ry of life is won; the song of tri - umph  
 2 le - gions hath dis - persed: let shout of ho - ly  
 3 glo - rious from the dead: all glo - ry to our  
 4 heaven's high por - tals fell; let hymns of praise his  
 5 sting thy serv - ants free, that we may live and

1 has be - gun. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 2 joy out - burst. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 3 ris - en Head! Al - le - lu - ia!  
 4 tri - umphs tell! Al - le - lu - ia!  
 5 sing to thee. Al - le - lu - ia! [Ant.]

*Antiphon (at the end)*

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

*Ped.*

## The Dismissal

Deacon        Go in peace, rejoicing in the power of the Risen Christ. Alleluia! Alleluia!  
 People        **Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

## Reception

*Join us for a festive reception in the Parish Hall.*

*We are glad to have you with us for our worship tonight, to share in the inclusive, ever abundant love of God.*

**New to Trinity?** Please know you are welcome! Fill out the newcomer card in the pew rack or complete the online form using the QR code below so we can get to know you better!



# Thank you for the dedications and donations for Easter flowers

## Given by . . .

### In memory of

Joanne Moran  
Golda Bodan  
Margaret King  
Barney King  
Barbara and Harry Landes  
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Carolyn Allen  
Millie Bromeier  
Kent Carlander  
Jill Dewey  
Cole Baker  
Sarah Degen  
Charles R. Calkins and  
Elisabeth Spencer Calkins  
Holiday Vaill  
Sarah Case Selby  
Norma Stuck  
C. Glenn Stuck  
Leslie Meadowcroft Schipper  
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Theodore W. Dobbs  
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Cousin Julie Parrish  
Fred and Libby Williams  
Richard Williams, Fred C. Williams and Ella  
Williams, Stan and Emma Freeman  
Susannah Rake  
Mummy and Daddy, Bunny  
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John Stivers, Donald and Florence Stivers,  
Alex and Zoila Petzinger  
Christine Purcell  
Ron and Ann Funk and Carl Funk  
Guido de Luca  
Charlton Heston  
Sarah Adams  
Thomas M. Adams  
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Kent Carlander  
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Kate Wallace  
Ann, Jack, Bob and John Wallace  
Carolyn Roberts  
Gregory Howell  
The Cobell-Silva Family  
Cindi Rohl, Grammy

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### In honor of

Billy Hurbaugh and Randall Day  
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Sara and Kristina Kelehan  
The Coven  
Georg Rice  
June and George  
Anastasia Miller  
All my friends, here at church, at school, and  
all the others for bringing me joy in life.  
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Joe and Amy Mathews  
Family



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Trinity Staff

Mary and Stephen Gibson

Nathan & LaniBelle, clergy, staff, and our  
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Barb and Joe Howell

Our children and grandchildren

John and Anna DeVore

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Anna Kokotovic

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Christ's death and resurrection

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Annabelle and Ben, our Trinity family

Kristi Wallace

Trinity

The Selzler Family

Hun Selzler's 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday

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My grandchildren, Julian, Alexandra, Griffin,  
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my good health and loving family

The Salcido Family

our family and friends

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My family, especially my mom, for all they  
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Trinity

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# Trinity Episcopal Church

## Upcoming Events and Announcements

### **Elders' Group: YOLO (*You Only Live Once*) – Tuesdays, 4pm on Zoom**

YOLO is a group of older persons who meet once a week to share memories, feelings, ideas, and opinions unique to this stage of life. If you are 70 or older and think this sounds interesting, contact Michael Neal Arnold for the new Zoom link: [mnarnold@hascosb.com](mailto:mnarnold@hascosb.com).

### **Hot Lunch at the FARO Center – Wednesday and Thursday, April 23/24**

Trinity serves a hot meal to our unhoused neighbors at the FARO Center (621 Chapala St.) on the 4th Thursday of every month. On the Wednesday prior, a team meets in the Trinity kitchen to prepare the meal. Opportunities are available to serve. Check the website under *Upcoming Events*.

### **Friday Morning Prayer – Weekly from 8:15am-8:45am**

Join us in Trinity's Chapel for Friday Morning Prayer. Everyone is welcome. There is no need to bring anything except yourselves. The side gate off Micheltorena Street will be open, and a "Morning Prayer" sign will be displayed. It is a wonderful way to end your work week or begin your weekend, or both!

### **Women's Group: *Women at the Well* – Saturday, April 26, 4-5:30pm**

Newcomers Welcome! The Women at the Well group meets monthly in the Trinity Youth Group room (enter from Micheltorena). For more information please contact Carolyn Roberts ([Drcarolynroberts@aol.com](mailto:Drcarolynroberts@aol.com)) or Michelle Grue ([michellengrue@gmail.com](mailto:michellengrue@gmail.com)).

### **Transition House Meal – Saturday, April 26, 4:15-6:30pm**

Join us on the fourth Saturday of the month to provide, prepare and serve dinner to our neighbors at Transition House. Check *Upcoming Events* on the Trinity website for current opportunities. Help is needed in May!

### **Climate, Faith, and Lunch: Find Hope & Act! – Saturday, May 3, 8:30am-2pm**

Feeling concerned about climate change? Explore faith, climate, and hopeful action! Join us in the Guild Hall for reflection, learning, and a hopeful path forward guided by Kate Varley Alonso & Rev. Paula Walker. Sign up at coffee hour or email [whleahy2@gmail.com](mailto:whleahy2@gmail.com).

### **World Labyrinth Day – Saturday, May 3, noon-2pm**

Join with people around the globe participating in World Labyrinth Day as a moving meditation for world peace. The Santa Barbara community will "Walk as One at 1" on Trinity's labyrinth to create a rolling wave of peaceful energy passing from one time zone to the next. A few volunteers are needed. Contact Jax Ranck: [jacqueline.robinson.lmft@gmail.com](mailto:jacqueline.robinson.lmft@gmail.com).

### **Spring Ministry Fair – Sunday, May 4, 8:45am-12:15pm**

Discover all the different ways to learn, serve, and participate in the wide variety of Trinity ministries at the Ministry Fair after both the 8am and 10am services. Lay leaders from over 30 ministries and groups will have tables set up on the Labyrinth during both coffee hours, with information about how to get involved.

Connect with us! Sign up to receive our weekly newsletter, Trinity Notes. Scan the QR code for current and past issues or visit Trinity's website at [trinitysb.org/trinity-notes](http://trinitysb.org/trinity-notes).

