

# Gethsemane

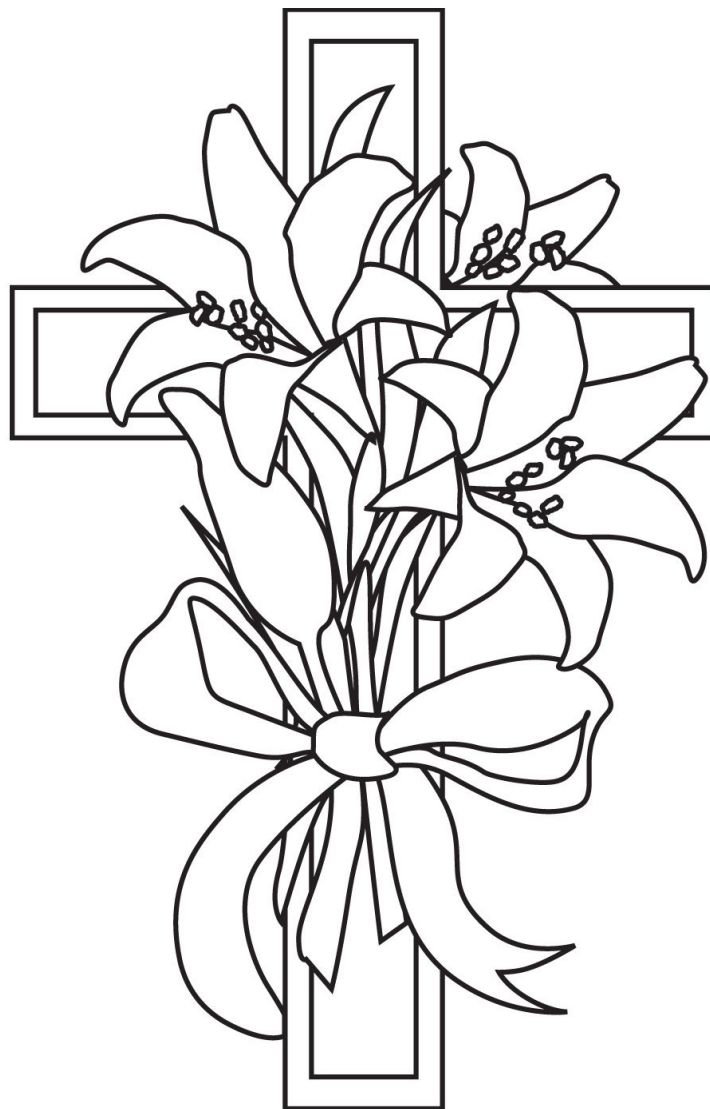
## LUTHERAN CHURCH



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*Our Mission:* MAKE DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST WHO LOVE GOD,  
LOVE ONE ANOTHER, AND SERVE THE WORLD.

**RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD    to    HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY**  
Easter Sunday, April 12, 2020                      Trinity Sunday, June 7, 2020



## THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

Alleluia! Christ is risen. †

### **Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism, we are raised with him to new life. Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism: We give you thanks, O God, for in the beginning you created us in your image and planted us in a well-watered garden.

**In the desert you promised pools of water for the parched, and you gave us water from the rock.**

When we did not know the way,  
you sent the Good Shepherd to lead us to still waters.

**At the cross, you watered us from Jesus' wounded side,  
and on this day, you shower us again with the water of life.**

We praise you for your salvation through water,  
for the water in this font, and for all water everywhere.

**Bathe us in your forgiveness, grace, and love.**

**Satisfy the thirsty, and give us the life only you can give.**

To you be given honor and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever. **Amen.**

## GREETING

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

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

**And also with you.**

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

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. 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. Amen.**

## READINGS

*For All of the Easter Season...Keep this Bulletin!*

<i>Day</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Bible Verses</i>
Resurrection of Our Lord Easter Sunday	April 12	Acts 10:34-43 Colossians 3:1-4 Psalm 118:14-24 Matthew 28:1-10
2nd Sunday of Easter	April 19	Acts 2:14a, 22-32 Psalm 16 1 Peter 1:3-9 John 20:19-31
3rd Sunday of Easter	April 26	Acts 2:14a, 36-41 Psalm 116:1-4, 17-23 1 Peter 1:17-23 Luke 24:13-35
4th Sunday of Easter	May 3	Acts 2:42-47 Psalm 23 1 Peter 2:19-25 John 10:1-10
5th Sunday of Easter	May 10	Acts 7:55-60 Psalm 31:1-5,15-16 1 Peter 2:2-10 John 14:1-14
6th Sunday of Easter	May 17	Acts 17:22-31 Psalm 66:8-20 1 Peter 3:13-22 John 14:15-21
Ascension Sunday	May 24	Acts 1:1-11 Psalm 47 Ephesians 1:15-23 Luke 24:44-53
Pentecost Sunday	May 31	Numbers 11:24-30 Psalm 104:24-34 Acts 2:1-21 John 7:37-39
Holy Trinity Sunday	June 7	Genesis 1:1-2:4a Psalm 8 2Corinthians 13:11-13 Matthew 28:16-20

## THE PRAYERS

*The Lutheran "Rosary"*

***Pray on the thumb for those closest to us;  
the pointer finger for the environment and world around us;  
the middle finger for our leaders;  
the ring finger for the sick and suffering;  
the little finger for oneself.***

## OFFERING PRAYER

Let us pray together: **Merciful God, our ordinary gifts seem small for such a celebration, but you make of them an abundance, just as you do with our lives. Feed us again at this table for service in your name, in the strength of the risen Christ. Amen.**

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom, and teach us to pray: **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.**

## BLESSING

May the One who brought forth Jesus from the dead raise you to new life, fill you with hope, and turn your mourning into dancing. Almighty God, Father, ✠ Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.  
**Amen.**

## DISMISSAL

**Alleluia! Christ is risen, just as he said! Go in peace. Share the good news. Alleluia!  
Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**