

Prelude
Greeting/Announcements
Hymn ... "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today; Alleluia!" ... 128 Green
Brief Order for Confession and Forgivenesspg 77 Green
Kyriepg 78 Green
Hymn of Praise "Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain" 132 Green

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, we have celebrated with joy the festival of our Lord's resurrection. Graciously help us to show the power of the resurrection in all that we say and do; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Reading: Acts 5:29-42 Page 1075 - Children's Bible
Second Reading: 1 Peter 1:3-9 Page 1228 - Children's Bible
Faith Seeds Kristen Matthews

The Gospel Acclamation:

"He is risen! Glorious Word! Now reconciled is God, my Lord; The gates of heav'n are open. My Jesus rose triumphant. And Satan's arrows broken lie, Destroyed hell's fiercest weapon. Oh, hear, what cheer! Christ victorious, Rising glorious, Life is giving. He was dead, but now is living!"

The Announcement of the Gospel: **"Glory to You, O Lord"**
Gospel: John 20:19-31 Page 1067 - Children's Bible
Response after the Gospel: **"Praise to You, Oh Christ"**

Sermon "Breaking the Quarantine" Pastor Scott Grorud
Hymn "Thine Is the Glory" 145 Green

Nicene Creed

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

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. 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; 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.

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 Christian and apostolic Church. 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

Offering

Offertory Response

**Create in me a clean heart, O God,
and renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from your presence,
and take not your Holy Spirit from me.
Restore to me the joy of your salvation,
and uphold me with your free Spirit.**

Prayers of the Church

The Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Closing Hymn "The Life of Faith"

All copyrighted texts printed by permission under CCLI License #1585683

Faith Lutheran Church

(LCMC)

8:00 a.m. First Word

April 19, 2020

Second Sunday of Easter

Season Color: White

"What Does This Mean?"

Questions about Today's Worship Theme:
John 20:19-31

- † Why were the disciples hiding behind locked doors even after hearing that Jesus had risen?
- † What kind of "locked doors" might Thomas have been hiding behind?
- † How did Jesus break the "quarantine" of his followers?
- † How do Jesus' promises set us free even as we continue in quarantine?



