

Easter Sunday

April 4th, 2021



St. Paul's Lutheran Church

901 Cornwall Crescent

Dawson Creek, BC

Holy Baptism

Begins at 10:30 (pre-live stream)

God's gift of grace poured out on Jane Michele Anderson

Pastor: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

People: **He is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

Baptismal party may come forward

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Begins at 11:00 (Live Streamed)

Pastor: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

People: **He is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

Pastor: Set our minds on things above, that we may walk in love in this earthly journey and that we may dwell with You forever in the heavenly places of light and life.

People: **Grant that we may live in Easter joy today and all the days of our lives until we attain its eternal joys in heaven; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

Hymn # 457 – Jesus Christ is Risen Today

Confession and Absolution Page 151

Hymn # 461 – I Know That My Redeemer Lives vs 1,2,7,8

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Hymn of Praise – This is the Feast Page 155

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Old Testament Reading

Epistle Reading

Alleluia and Verse Page 156

Holy Gospel

Sermon

Hymn # 469 – Christ the Lord is Risen Today vs 1-4

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Prayer of the Church

Offering Hymn #475 – Good Christian Friends Rejoice and Sing vs 1&2

Service of the Sacrament

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Hymn # 477 - Alleluia, Alleluia! Hearts to Heaven

The live stream service concludes

We gather outside the church for communion distribution.

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Blessing and dismissal of congregation

AS WE GATHER

Though Christmas may be our favorite, Paul reminds us that Easter is of “first importance.” If Christ had not arisen, our hope would be still locked in the tomb. Because He is risen, just as He said, we have hope of our own resurrection from the dead and look forward to the life everlasting, which death cannot touch. We come here today not simply to remember an event but to rejoice in the future made possible for us because of what happened. Before the world we confess that Jesus’ resurrection is not a hope but a fact witnessed by more than five hundred and on that fact God has built a future for us—one we anticipate now even as we wait to see it fulfilled.

Announcements

Today we welcome Jane Anderson into God’s baptized family of faith! May God continue to bless her and strengthen her faith as she takes the next steps toward confirmation. May we surround her with our prayers, support and a warm welcome!

Coming Up:

Sun. April 11 11:00am Live Streamed Service

Wed. April 14 7:00pm Spiritual Support Group

Thanks to:

Our Elders John and Don for assisting with the service today.

Judy Moore for her work preparing our sanctuary for worship.

Dorothy Bartlett for recording our Music

My family, Vawn, Caslyn and Elissa for pushing all the buttons to make the live stream run smoothly.

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