

The Resurrection of the Lord

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Our Lord's Day - April 12, 2020 Half Past Ten o'clock in the Morning

Today is Easter Sunday, the center of the Christian year.
On this day we joyfully proclaim the good news at the very heart of the Gospel: Jesus Christ is risen from the dead. We celebrate the miracle of Jesus' resurrection, which frees us to serve the God of life.

WE GATHER TOGETHER TO WORSHIP

VOLUNTARY

Hallelujah, from Messiah HWV 56

Georg Frederic Handel

Hallelujah: for the Lord God Omnipotent reigneth. The kingdom of this world is become the kingdom of our Lord, and of His Christ; and He shall reign for ever and ever. King of Kings, and Lord of Lords. Hallelujah! – Revelation 11:15; 19:6, 16

EASTER GREETING

The Lord is risen!

He is risen indeed!

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 118, selected verses from the Inclusive Bible

I thank you Lord for your goodness! Your steadfast love endures forever! Let all who revere the Lord say, "Your love endures forever!"

O God, you are my strength and my song; you have become my salvation. Because you are with me I am not afraid – what can anything do to me?

No, I will not die – I will live – and I will proclaim what you have done. Yes, this is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it!

Jesus Christ is risen today, Alleluia! our triumphant holy day, Alleluia! who did once upon the cross, Alleluia! suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!

Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia! unto Christ, our heavenly King, Alleluia! who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia! sinners to redeem and save. Alleluia!

But the pains which he endured, Alleluia! our salvation have procured. Alleluia! Now above the sky he's King, Alleluia! where the angels ever sing. Alleluia!

Sing we to our God above, Alleluia! praise eternal as God's love. Alleluia! Praise our God, ye heavenly host, Alleluia! Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia!

EASTER AFFIRMATION

This is the good news which we have received, in which we stand, and by which we are saved, if we hold fast:

That Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures. That he was buried, that he was raised on the third day, and that he appeared first to the women, then to Peter, and to the Twelve, and then to many faithful witnesses.

We believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the Living God, Jesus Christ is the first and the last, the beginning and the end. He is our Lord and our God. Amen.

1 Corinthians 15:1-6

Mark 16:9 Mark 16:16

Revelation 22:13 John 20:28

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> Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. World without end. Amen. Amen.

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD PROCLAIMED

A TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

Rev. Dr. Dawn Haeger

VOLUNTARY

Church Sonata in F, KV 244

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

THE WORD FROM SCRIPTURE

Matthew 28:1-10

New Revised Standard Version

After the Sabbath, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. And suddenly there was a great earthquake; for an angel of the Lord, descending from heaven, came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. His appearance was like

lightning, and his clothing white as snow. For fear of him the guards shook and became like dead men. But the angel said to the women, 'Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples, "He has been raised from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him." This is my message for you.' So they left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. Suddenly Jesus met them and said, 'Greetings!' And they came to him, took hold of his feet, and worshipped him. Then Jesus said to them, 'Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me.'

THE WORD PROCLAIMED

Easter Happens

Rev. Bob Scott

WE RESPOND TO WHAT WE HAVE HEARD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OUR LORD'S PRAYER (Collectively)

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors;
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND OURSELVES

In addition to our regular offering, which supports the ongoing mission and ministry of Peace Memorial, today we receive the **One Great Hour of Sharing Offering**. Your gifts enable the Presbyterian Church (USA) to bring healing and hope to areas throughout the world impacted by natural disaster, war, and famine. Please give generously as you are able.

ANTHEM I Know that My Redeemer Liveth, from Messiah HWV 56 Georg Frederic Handel I know that my Redeemer liveth, and that He shall stand at the latter day upon the earth. And though worms destroy this body, yet in my flesh shall I see God. – Job 19: 25 26. For now is Christ risen from the dead, the first fruits of them that sleep. – I Corinthians 15: 20

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Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures high and low. Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise God, in Jesus fully known:
Creator, Word, and Spirit one. Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

WE GO FORTH IN LOVE AND PEACE TO SERVE

HYMN Christ Is Risen! Shout Hosanna!

HYMN TO JOY

Christ is risen! Shout Hosanna!
Celebrate this day of days!
Christ is risen! Hush in wonder:
all creation is amazed.
In the desert all surrounding,
see, a spreading tree has grown.
Healing leaves of grace abounding
bring a taste of love unknown.

Christ is risen! Raise your spirits from the caverns of despair.

Walk with gladness in the morning.

See what love can do and dare.

Drink the wine of resurrection, not a servant, but a friend.

Jesus is our strong companion.

Joy and peace shall never end.

Christ is risen! Earth and heaven nevermore shall be the same.
Break the bread of new creation where the world is still in pain.
Tell its grim, demonic chorus:
"Christ is risen! Get you gone!"
God the First and Last is with us.
Sing Hosanna everyone!

BENEDICTION VOLUNTARY

Symphony No. 5, Op. 42 – Toccata

Charles-Marie Widor



Assisting in the leadership of worship are Rev. Bob Scott, Senior Pastor; Rev. Dr. Dawn Haeger, Associate Pastor; Beth Daniels, Soprano Soloist; Timothy Belk, Director of Music Ministries

Guest Brass Quintet and Timpani

Ken Brown, first trumpet Kris Marshall, second trumpet Julianne Welch, french horn Dwight Decker, trombone William Mickelsen, tuba Isaac Fernandez Hernandez, timpani

Guest String Quartet

Jeffrey Smick, first violin Aaron Hilsinger, second violin Jonas Benson, viola Laura Smith, cello

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