



April 17, 2022

Easter

GATHERING IN THE LORD'S PRESENCE

Boldface = All speak

❖ = All who are able, please stand.

MUSIC FOR SETTLING

WELCOME

CHOIR INTROIT“Easter Song” **#272**
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❖CALL TO WORSHIP

This is the good news — the grave is empty; Christ is risen!

Hallelujah!

This is the good news — the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness can never put it out!

Hallelujah!

This is the good news — once we were no people; now we are God’s people!

Hallelujah!

Christ is our peace, the indestructible peace we now share with each other!

Hallelujah!

❖HYMN“Christ the Lord Is Risen Today”**#268**
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❖CALL TO CONFESSION

❖PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord, bring new life where we are worn and tired; new love where we have turned hard-hearted; forgiveness where we feel hurt and where we have wounded; and the joy and freedom of your Holy Spirit where we are prisoners of ourselves. (Time of silent prayer) Amen.

❖ASSURANCE OF PARDON

❖AFFIRMING THE PEACE AMONG US

The peace of Christ be with you!

And also with you!

You are invited to greet anyone around you and those online with peace this day.

The children may go back to Sunday School at this time.

❖GLORIA PATRI ..Henry W. Greatorex (Public Domain)..... **#620**

HEARING THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE.....Isaiah 25:6-9 (NRSV)
This is the Word of the Lord, Thanks be to God.

CHOIR ANTHEM.... “Let the Trumpet Sound”... Natalie Sleeth

SCRIPTURE.....Matthew 28:1-10 (NRSV)
This is the Word of the Lord, Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE..... *Jesus Met Them!*.....Patricia Lind

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

❖HYMN“Thine Is the Glory”**#281**
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OFFERING OUR RESOURCES AND OUR ENERGY

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SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right for us to give thanks and praise.

Nourished at this table, O God...

...saints in the joy of your eternal realm.

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit...

...to be the body of Christ in the world.

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

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

...The gifts of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

SHARING OF THE MEAL

Those that wish to partake of communion within the worship space will be invited to the communion table (please remember social distancing) and you will take a cup of juice and a cup of bread (all elements are gluten free.) Return to your seats to partake of the elements.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION AND

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD’S PRAYER *(Using Debts and Debtors)*

GOING FORTH TO SERVE

❖ **HYMN** “He Lives” **#285**
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OPPORTUNITIES TO CONNECT AND SERVE

As we get ready to go forth and serve how will you connect with your Heritage Family This Week? How will you welcome and invite others in this week?

- We’re forming a Pastor Welcome Team. If you’d like to be a part of it, please contact David Wroth.
- For more information about the Rotary Food Drive coming up this next Saturday, April 23rd contact Bob McNees.

❖ **CHARGE TO THE CONGREGATION**

❖ **BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE Reprise of “He Lives”

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Easter Flower Memories & Honorariums

Nancy Olson – in praise to God for my sister Wendy’s recovery.

Karen Maurer – for joy at Pastor Sara’s coming!

Carol & Jim Outland – in memory of Haley Jablonski

The Cory family – in honor of Heritage Presbyterian

Bob McNees – in memory of Sue McNees

Joan & Jerry Knapp – in memory of Joan’s sister Beverly O’Leary & Jerry’s mom Lois Thornton

Lisa & David Wroth – in memory of David’s parents and Lisa’s dad

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Lector: Bob McNees

Greeter/Usher: Larry Evans

Worship Pianist: Sabrina Poulin

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