



April 17, 2022
Easter Sunday

Contemporary Service - 9:30 am

Scripture for Meditation

*"Do not be afraid; I know you are looking for Jesus who was crucified.
He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said." (Matthew 28:5-6)*

Prelude

He Lives

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Welcome

Call to Worship

This is the day the Lord has made.

Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

The Lord is risen!

People: He is risen indeed!

Pastor: The Lord is risen!

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People: He is risen indeed! Alleluia! Amen

Praise and Prayer

Great Things

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God So Loved

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Prayer of Confession

Scripture Reading

John 20:1-18

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God!

Sermon

The Last Word

Response

What a Beautiful Name

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Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Closing Song

Living Hope

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Blessing

Traditional Service - 11:00 am

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Prelude

Awake, My Heart, with Gladness

(Composer: Flor Peeters)

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Introit

An Easter Celebration

Responsive Reading

Psalm 118

O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good;
his steadfast love endures forever!

**Out of my distress I called on the LORD;
the LORD answered me and set me in a broad place.**

The LORD is my strength and my might;
he has become my salvation.

**I shall not die, but I shall live,
and recount the deeds of the LORD.**

The stone that the builders rejected
has become the chief cornerstone.

**This is the LORD's doing;
it is marvelous in our eyes.**

This is the day that the LORD has made;

Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

Opening Prayer

Pastor: O living Lord, on the first Easter Day you stood in the midst of your disciples as the conqueror of sin and death and spoke to them your peace. Come to us, we pray, in your risen power and make us glad with your presence, and so breathe your Holy Spirit into our hearts that we may be strong to serve you and spread abroad your good news, for the glory of your great name. Amen

Opening Hymn**Christ the Lord Is Risen Today**

#182

(Verses 1-3)

Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, in raising Jesus from the grave, you shattered the power of sin and death. We confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear, bound by the ways that lead to death. We overlook the poor and the hungry and pass by those who mourn; we are deaf to the cries of the oppressed and indifferent to calls for peace; we despise the weak and abuse the earth you made. Forgive us, God of mercy. Help us to trust your power to change our lives and make us new, that we may know the joy of life abundant given in Jesus Christ, the risen Lord.

(All may offer their personal prayers of confession silently.)

Assurance of Pardon**1 Corinthians 15:54-57**

Leader: "Death has been swallowed up in victory. 'Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting?' The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News:

People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

Response**Glory Be to the Father**

#961

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.

Anthem**Awake, Awake!**

(Composer: Craig Courtney)

Scripture Reading**John 20:1-18**

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God!

Sermon**The Final Word****Music for Reflection****I Know That My Redeemer Liveth**

(Composer: G.F. Handel)

Doxology**Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him, above ye heavenly hosts;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Closing Hymn

Christ Is Risen! Shout Hosanna!

#204

Benediction

Postlude

Gigue on Ps. 149:3

(Composer: Douglas E. Wagner)

Let them praise his name with dancing and make music to him with timbrel and harp. (Psalm 149:3 NIV)

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Rev. Dr. Spencer Lundgaard, Senior Pastor

Rev. Greg Buell, Associate Pastor

Luke Stoner, Pastoral Intern

Edward Paulissian

Ron Mantegna

Roger Smith

Worship Band Members

Welcome and Sermon

Worship Leader and Liturgy

Worship Leader and Confession

Scripture Reader (9:30)

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Prayers of the People (9:30)

Luke Stoner (guitar); Jim Peterson (piano); Carl Tobias (electric guitar); Christine Cheung (synthesizer);

Michael Brennan (drums); and vocals: Renate Graham, Sara Lee, Ellen Westel, Erin Gosser, Susan Mathein

Matt Parks and Greg Dill

Sharon Peterson (11:00)

Village Church Choir (11:00)

Elaine Holmquist (11:00)

Organist

Anthem

Soloist

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