

EASTER SUNDAY

APRIL 20, 2025 | 10:15 A.M.

PREPARATION & PRAISE

Prelude: "Were You There?" w/ "Crown Him With Many Crowns" arr. Marilyn Ham
"Easter Proclamation (The Risen King)" arr. Stephen DeCesare

Welcome and Announcements

ENTER HIS GATES WITH THANKSGIVING

Prayer of the Day:

O Christ, who lived to show what life is like, who died to show that sin is death, who rose to raise us up to life eternal, help us to follow you and love you forever. Amen.

Choir: "See, What a Morning"

Getty, Townend

* God's Greeting

* Hymns: "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

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CONFESSION AND PRAYER

Call to Confession

based on Romans 5:8; Hebrews 4:16

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

1 Corinthians 15:54-57

God's Will for Our Lives

Colossians 3:1-4

Hymn: "Low in the Grave He Lay"

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Congregational Prayer

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

Solo: "Because He Lives"

by Maher, Gaither, Gaither, Carson,
Tomlin, Cash, and Ingram

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon: *Jesus, the Risen Savior*

Mark 16:1-8 (p. 977)

Prayer of Application

* Hymn: "In Christ Alone"

OUR RESPONSE OF GRATITUDE

Offertory Prayer

for the General Fund & World Renew

* Confession of Faith

"I Believe in the Resurrection"

BLESSING & DISMISSAL

* Benediction

* Doxology: "Christ Our Hope in Life and Death"

Postlude

**Indicates congregation stands, as able*

Minister: Pastor Doug Bratt

Liturgists: Kelly Penning, Bruce Gay, Karen Conway, Ken Foppema, Cary Vanden Akker, Paula Vanden Akker, Russ Vander Baan, Amber Visser, Nathanael Vos, Jacob Woeller, Greg Ebbeling

Piano: Terry Ebbeling | Guitar: Greg Ebbeling | Brass: Dan Vos, Nathanael Vos

Soloist: Morgan Gramlich | Choir Director: Laurie Vander Baan

Call to Worship adapted from Worship Sourcebook, p.634

Prayer of the Day adapted from Worship Sourcebook, p.641

Call to Confession adapted from Worship Sourcebook, p.83

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon adapted from Worship Sourcebook, p.643

God's Will for Our Lives adapted from Worship Sourcebook, p.131

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