

EASTER

CHRIST IS RISEN!

Easter Sunday

The Mystery of Hope

Sunday, April 17, 2022



**TODAY'S CELEBRATION OF THE RESURRECTION
THIS EASTER SUNDAY**

We gather together...

INTROIT: *Jubilate Deo*

Michael Praetorius

Alleluia! Christ is Risen!
Christ is Risen Indeed! Alleluia!

WELCOME

***HYMN** #258: *Christ the Lord is Risen Today*

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For yours is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever.
Amen.**

...to hear God's Word...

FIRST LESSON

Acts 10:34-43 (*Old Testament pages 129-130*)

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people. **Amen.**

BAPTISM: *Honour Elizabeth Steele*

HYMN #87: *Children of the Heavenly Father*

SOLO: *Tryggare kan ingen vara, Justin Ferris*

*CONGREGATION: *Verses 1-5*

PSALM

Psalms 118: 1-2, 14-24 (*Old Testament pages 565-566*)

SECOND LESSON

I Corinthians 15: 19-26 (*New Testament page 176*)

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people. **Amen.**

***GOSPEL LESSON**

Luke 24: 1-12 (*New Testament page 90*)

The Gospel of our Lord, God's living Word. **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM: *Since You Are Risen*

J.S. Bach/Peek

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

***HYMN #245:** *Low in the Grave He Lay*

SERMON: *The Mystery of Hope*

Rev. Todd Johnson

...and to respond with our lives...

***HYMN #241:** *Joy Dawned Again on Easter Day*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERINGS OF CHURCH LIFE AND FINANCES

***Doxology**

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

***HYMN #558:** *Come, Risen Lord*

HOLY COMMUNION

*Call to Communion

*Affirmation of Faith

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.**

He descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven,

**is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

TAKING

Institution

*Sung Response

His dying we proclaim. Alleluia! Amen!

His rising we declare. Alleluia! Amen!

His coming we await., now as these gifts we take.

Glory to God on high! Alleluia! Amen!

BLESSING

BREAKING

Breaking the bread, pouring the cup.

GIVING

Offering the bread, offering the cup.

THANKSGIVING

...in the places we now go.

***HYMN** #242: *I Know That My Redeemer Lives*

***BENEDICTION**

**Hallelujah Chorus*

From "Messiah," George Frideric Handel

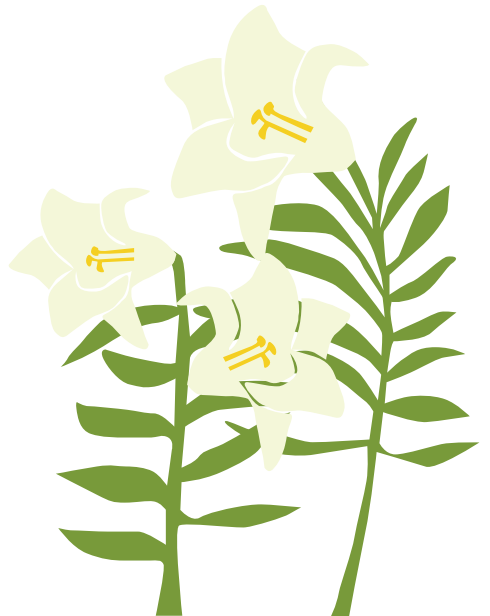
POSTLUDE

*Join us after the service, downstairs in Fellowship Hall,
for coffee, treats and a time of visiting.*

Welcome!

*Please take your Easter lilies from the
sanctuary as you leave today and enjoy
them at home!*

GREETER: Cinda Madonna
READERS: Sloane and James Haagenson
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE: Andrea Johnson
USHER: Corbin Sheffels
COFFEE SERVER: Cinda Madonna
LIVESTREAM: Axel Nelson



EASTER LILIES

EASTER SUNDAY
2022

In loving memory

GIVEN BY:

IN MEMORY OF:

Stephanie Johnson Blomgren and family

Alice Blomgren

Linda Carlson

Grandparents

Steve and Marilyn Elde

Bill and Harriet Safstrom
Mel and Mytle Elde

Ron and Judy Hedstrom

Johnny Hawkinson
John and Marilyn Hawkinson
Ernie and Elsie Hedstrom

Jim and Elaine Johnson

Milton Hendrickson
Reverend and Mrs. Elmer Johnson

Todd and Susan Johnson

Glenn and Helen Johnson
Bud Lyon

Tom LaPaze

Marilyn LaPaze

Larson-Strobel Family

Lois Holger Larson

The Leach Family

Loved ones

Cinda Madonna

Alyssa Madonna
Don and Bette McBride & Mabel Deloach
Blake Stromberg

Tom and Linda Morris

Harry and Carolyn Johnson
Vern and Florence Morris

Bryce and Bonnie Nelson

Our parents

Sandy Nelson, Chris Brown and Elsie

Margaret Furl, Bonita Blake
Mark Anderson

In loving memory

GIVEN BY:

IN MEMORY OF:

Jim and Annita Presti

Loved ones

Deeann and Rich Puffert

Beverly Burtch
Miriam and Larry Puffert

Diney and Tom Ruebel

Loren and Eva Cooper
Roy and Bettie Ruebel

George and Claire Scranton

Aaron and Vi Markham
Jack and Nancy Scranton

Paul and Marj Smedberg

Ed and Elsie Aura
Nels and Maude Smedberg

Carol Sundholm

Jim Sundholm

Dick and Carol Sundholm

Our Beloved Parents

In honor

GIVEN BY:

IN HONOR OF:

Peter and Linda Dahl

Forrest Dahl
Peter and Ruth Dahl
Elwood and Irma Gustafson

Sheri Johnson

Joan Hendricksen

Stephanie Johnson Blomgren

Fern Johnson

Todd and Donna Larson

Our parents

The Leach Family

Rosemary's graduation next month

Kendall Magnuson and Stephanie Nelson

Our daughters, Stella and Frances



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