

WORSHIP GUIDE - EASTER, APRIL 12

Be sure to make copies of the lyric sheets and sermon notes for your family. We will also be celebrating the ordinance of Communion or the Lord's Supper during the service. Be sure to gather elements (bread or crackers, juice or wine) before you begin and have them ready.

Welcome - Bob & Terry Lancaster
Scripture - Grace Hubbard, Matthew 28:1-7

Song *Christ the Lord is Risen Today*
Song *Hallelujah, What a Savior*

Reading/Prayer Apostles Creed
The creed will be in a video. Stand and read this confession of our faith together as a prayer.

Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 (read with your family)

Sermon *Jesus Resurrection & Ours, Part 1 - The Good News of Jesus' Resurrection*

Communion Follow video
This morning we will be participating in a celebration that was given by Jesus to His followers, and passed on to us. This symbolic meal is called the Lord's Supper or Communion, and was given by Jesus as a reminder of the incredible price that He paid when He died on the cross for us. There is nothing magical in the bread or the juice, but they are images of the body of Jesus that was broken by the nails that put Him on the cross and the blood that He shed for our rebellion. This celebration was given to people who have repented of their sin and trusted in Jesus for their redemption and salvation, and are actively involved in His church and mission. If you have not trusted in Jesus, we would encourage you to spend this time to consider what Christ has done and place your faith in Him. If you have children in the room who have not trusted in Jesus, that is fine. Use this time as a teaching moment.

Offering Take a moment to give online or prepare your offering for mailing

Song *Living Hope*

Benediction Prayer - Read together as a family.

Ephesians 3:20-21

Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen. (ESV)

Christ the Lord is Risen Today

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Christ the Lord is risen today
Alleluia
Sons of men and angels say
Alleluia
Raise your joys and triumphs
high
Alleluia
Sing ye heavens and earth reply
Alleluia

Lives again our glorious King
Alleluia
Where O death is now thy sting
Alleluia
Dying once He all doth save
Alleluia
Where thy victory O grave
Alleluia

He is not dead
He is alive
We Have this hope In Jesus
Christ

Love's redeeming work is done
Alleluia
Fought the fight the battle won
Alleluia
Death in vain forbids Him rise
Alleluia
Christ has opened paradise
Alleluia

He is not dead
He is alive
We Have this hope in Jesus
Christ

Soar we now where Christ has
led Alleluia
Following our exalted Head
Alleluia
Made like Him like Him we rise
Alleluia
Ours the cross the grave the
skies Alleluia

He is not dead
He is alive
We Have this hope in Jesus
Christ

Hallelujah What a Savior

Stuart Townend

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Man of sorrows, what a name
For the Son of God who came
Ruined sinners to reclaim
Hallelujah! What Savior

Stand unclean, no one else
could
In my place condemned He
stood
Now his nearness is my good
Hallelujah! What a Savior

Hallelujah, praise to the one
Whose blood has pardoned me
Oh what a Savior, Redeemer
and King
Your love has rescued me

Lifted up was He to die
"It is finished!" was His cry
Now in Heaven lifted high
Hallelujah! What a Savior

When He comes, our Glorious
King
All his ransomed home to bring
Then anew this song we'll sing
Hallelujah! What a Savior
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Living Hope

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How great the chasm that lay
between us
How high the mountain I could not
climb
In desperation, I turned to heaven
And spoke Your name into the night
Then through the darkness, Your
loving-kindness
Tore through the shadows of my
soul
The work is finished, the end is
written
Jesus Christ, my living hope

Who could imagine so great a
mercy?
What heart could fathom such
boundless grace?
The God of ages stepped down from
glory
To wear my sin and bear my shame
The cross has spoken, I am forgiven
The King of kings calls me His own
Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours forever
Jesus Christ, my living hope

Hallelujah, praise the One who set
me free
Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on
me
You have broken every chain

There's salvation in Your name
Jesus Christ, my living hope

Then came the morning that sealed
the promise
Your buried body began to breathe
Out of the silence, the Roaring Lion
Declared the grave has no claim on
me

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Your buried body began to breathe
Out of the silence, the Roaring Lion
Declared the grave has no claim on
me
Jesus, Yours is the victory!

Hallelujah, praise the One who set
me free
Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on
me
You have broken every chain
There's salvation in Your name
Jesus Christ, my living hope
Jesus Christ, my living hope
Oh God, You are my living hope

THE GOOD NEWS OF THE RESURRECTION 1 Corinthians 15:1-11

*What's the best news you could get today?

Our Goal today - To show you that the resurrection, a real event in time is still the best news we can offer and has unbelievable meaning and hope for us this morning.

Four things the Gospel proclaims

- Christ _____ for our sins
- He was _____
- He _____ on the third day
- He _____ to people

Why this story is such good news for us.

1. _____ fulfilled

The Cross and Resurrection is the climactic moment, the fulfillment of all promises, and the reality that all of the promises made by God in Scripture are true, and available, and are good.

2. Proven _____

"If Jesus rose from the dead, then you have to accept all that he said; if he didn't rise from the dead, then why worry about any of what he said? The issue on which everything hangs is not whether or not you like his teaching but whether or not he rose from the dead."

Tim Keller

Some proofs that this event really happened:

3. Present _____

Because Jesus rose again....

* _____ is defanged

*Failure is not _____

* _____ is defeated

“No matter how devastating our struggles, disappointments, and troubles are, they are only temporary. No matter what happens to you, no matter the depth of tragedy or pain you face, no matter how death stalks you and your loved ones, the Resurrection promises you a future of immeasurable good.” – Josh McDowell

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross (v. 4)
Were the whole realm of nature mine
That were an offering far too small
Love so amazing, so divine
Demands my soul, my life, my all

