April 17, 2022 Easter

Welcome

Easter Call to Worship

Christ is Risen!

He is Risen Indeed!

On this day we celebrate resurrection.

The light of love has shattered the darkness of fear.

The Prince of Peace has prevailed over the violence of evil.

The power of life has overcome the power of death.

We come to worship the God whose resurrection power lives on in the Christ we serve.

Hallelujah!

Christ the Lord is Risen Today (He is Not Dead)

God's Greeting

Greet Each Other

Low in the Grave He Lay

Easter Prayer

God, you open our eyes, to see your glory revealed through your son Jesus Christ,

Who died and rose again to lead us into life.

God, you open our ears, to hear the power of your resurrection story,

Once we were dead but now in Christ we are alive.

God, you set free our tongues, to rejoice and sing with all the hosts of heaven,

Holy, holy, holy is the One

who transforms our world with the Spirit of life,

Holy, holy holy is the One

in whose light we see that all creation will be made new.

We give you thanks, great God, for the hope we have in Jesus, who died but is risen and rules over all. We praise you for his presence with us. Because he lives, we look for eternal life, knowing that nothing past, present, or yet to come can separate us from your great love made known in Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Song: Hope of the Nations

Profession of Faith

Prayers of the People

Children's Blessing (No Sunday School this week)

Prayer Scripture

Sermon: While It Was Still Dark

Songs of Response: Praise the King

The Lamb Has Overcome

Offering: O Praise the Name

God's Parting Blessing Great is He