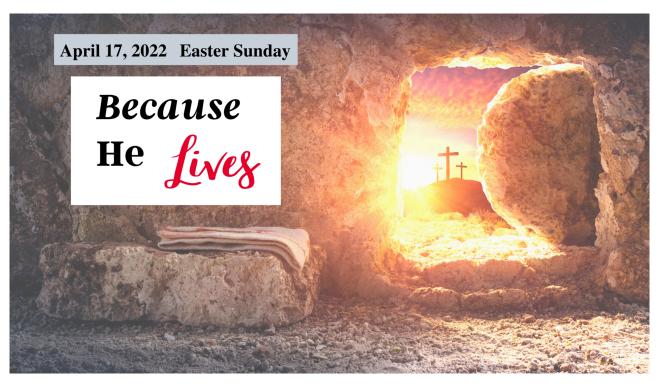


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PRE-SERVICE The Night Before Easter

Donnie Sumner Soloist: Bruce Snyder

## WELCOME AND PRAYER

PRELUDE Eight Hands in Worship arr. Joel Raney for Four pianos, eight hands (A medley of hymns: Here I Am To Worship; Worthy of Worship; The Majesty and Glory of Your Name; Oh Worship the King; Holy Manna)

Pianists: Kendall Bankert, Jane Bittner, Todd Davis, Beth Sider

### CALL TO WORSHIP\*\*

Worship Leaders: 8:15- Barbara Hawk; 10:45- Rev. Raymond Brooks

L: On this day of the Resurrection, we affirm,

A: That God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

- L: On this day, we celebrate the victory of truth over evil and we affirm,
- A: That the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.
- L: On this special day we celebrate the fact that Christ is risen, and we therefore affirm,
- A: That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord to the glory of God the Father.
- L: Amen and Amen! May I invite you to join me in affirming our faith in this historic confession of the Christian faith:

A: I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy universal church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## HYMN Christ the Lord is Risen Today

Jesus Christ is ris'n today, Alleluia! our triumphant holy day, Alleluia! who did once upon the cross, Alleluia! suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!

Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia! unto Christ, our heav'nly King, Alleluia! who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia! sinners to redeem and save. Alleluia!

But the pains which he endured, Alleluia! our salvation have procured; Alleluia! now above the sky he's King, Alleluia! where the angels ever sing. Alleluia!

Sing we to our God above, Alleluia! praise eternal as his love; Alleluia! praise him, all ye heav'nly host, Alleluia! Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia!

OPENING PRAYER \*\* Worship Leader

What a glorious morning, Lord! We gather once again with joy and wonder. We lift our hearts and our praises. We bend our knees and our wills. We count our blessings and our privileges.

We celebrate our victory and our joy. We join our brothers and sisters in your church across the nations and declare along with them that, "Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again in glory".

Come Lord and take your rightful place among us. We yield ourselves to you in worship. Be glorified. Be exalted. Be lifted up. In the name of the One who is the Resurrection and the Life. Amen.

ANTHEM Praise the Lord With Drums and Cymbals Sigfrid Karg-Elert, arr. Andrea Handley
Handbell Choir, Director: Wilma Rockey

SCRIPTURE Matthew 28:1-10 Worship Leader

CHILDREN'S TALK Marjorie Creamer

ANTHEM Christ Has Arisen. (Tanzanian melody) arr. John Purifoy Chancel Choir

## 8:15 Hymn He Lives \*

I serve a risen Savior he's in the world today I know that He is living whatever men may say I see His hand of mercy, I hear His voice of cheer And just the time I need Him, He's always near

Chorus

He lives, He lives
Christ Jesus lives today
He walks with me and talks with me
Along life's narrow way
He lives, He lives
Salvation to impart
You ask me how I know He lives
He lives within my heart

In all the world around me, I see His loving care And though my heart grows weary, I never will despair

I know that He is leading through all the stormy blast The day of His appearing will come at last

Chorus

Rejoice rejoice O Christian, I ift up your voice and sing Eternal hallelujahs to Jesus Christ the King The Hope of all who seek Him, the Help of all who find None other is so loving, so good and kind **Chorus** 

### 10:45 PRAISE AND WORSHIP IN SONG

#### Hosanna\*

Hosanna hosanna Hosanna in the highest Hosanna hosanna Hosanna in the highest Chorus Lord we lift up Your name With hearts full of praise Be exalted oh Lord my God Hosanna hosanna Glory to the King of kings Hosanna hosanna Glory to the King of kings **Chorus** 

## Majesty \*

Majesty worship His majesty
Unto Jesus be all glory
Honor and praise
Majesty kingdom authority
Flow from His throne
Unto His own His anthem raise

So exalt lift up on high
The name of Jesus
Magnify come glorify
Christ Jesus the King
Majesty worship His majesty
Jesus who died now glorified
King of all kings

## Victory in Jesus\*

Chorus
O victory in Jesus
My Savior forever
He sought me and bought me
With His redeeming blood
He loved me ere I knew Him
And all my love is due Him
He plunged me to victory
Beneath the cleansing flood

I heard an old old story
How a Savior came from glory
How He gave His life on Calvary
To save a wretch like me
I heard about His groaning
Of His precious blood's atoning
Then I repented of my sins
And won the victory
Chorus

SERMON Because He Lives Pastor Arun

**HOLY COMMUNION** 

INVITATION

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

#### CONFESSION/TIME OF REFLECTION

#### THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, We confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. we have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray, free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

CONSECRATION

**PARTAKING** 

**PRAYER** 

LORD'S PRAYER

## Hymn # 364 Because He Lives

God sent His Son they called Him Jesus He came to love heal and forgive He bled and died to buy my pardon An empty grave is there to prove My Savior lives

Chorus

Because He lives I can face tomorrow Because He lives all fear is gone Because I know He holds the future And life is worth the living Just because He lives How sweet to hold our newborn baby And feel the pride and joy he gives But greater still the calm assurance This child can face uncertain days Because Christ lives

Chorus

And then one day I'll cross that river I'll fight life's final war with pain And then as death gives way to vict'ry I'll see the lights of glory And I'll know He reigns

Chorus

## **BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE Hallelujah Chorus George Frideric Handel arr. Larry Shackley
Pianists: Kendall Bankert, Todd Davis

In Charge of Trinity: The Heavenly Father
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Rev. Carl Ford Peterson, Pastor Emeritus
Todd Davis, Director of Music Ministries
Barbara Zimmerman, Parish Nurse
Nihal Andrews, Director of Media Ministry
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# National Day of Prayer

Kick Off - Pray and Go on May 4 at 6:00 pm on the front Steps of Trinity UMC Short service to PRAY, Assignments given – walk or drive, GO into our community to pray for homes and places of influence.

Sign up for the Prayer Kick Off at the Prayer table or online.

**24 hour Prayer Vigil** - Wednesday, May 4 at 6 PM to Thursday, May 5 at 6 PM at Church or at Home Please be a part of the Trinity 24 hour Prayer Vigil, praying in your home or at the church for one-half hour. Sign up for a one-half-hour prayer slot for the 24-hour vigil at the Prayer table or online.

<u>Prayer Rally</u> on May 5 at 6PM on the front Steps of Trinity UMC Music, Prayers, Meditation. Seats available on the sidewalk

For more information please contact Beth Sider.