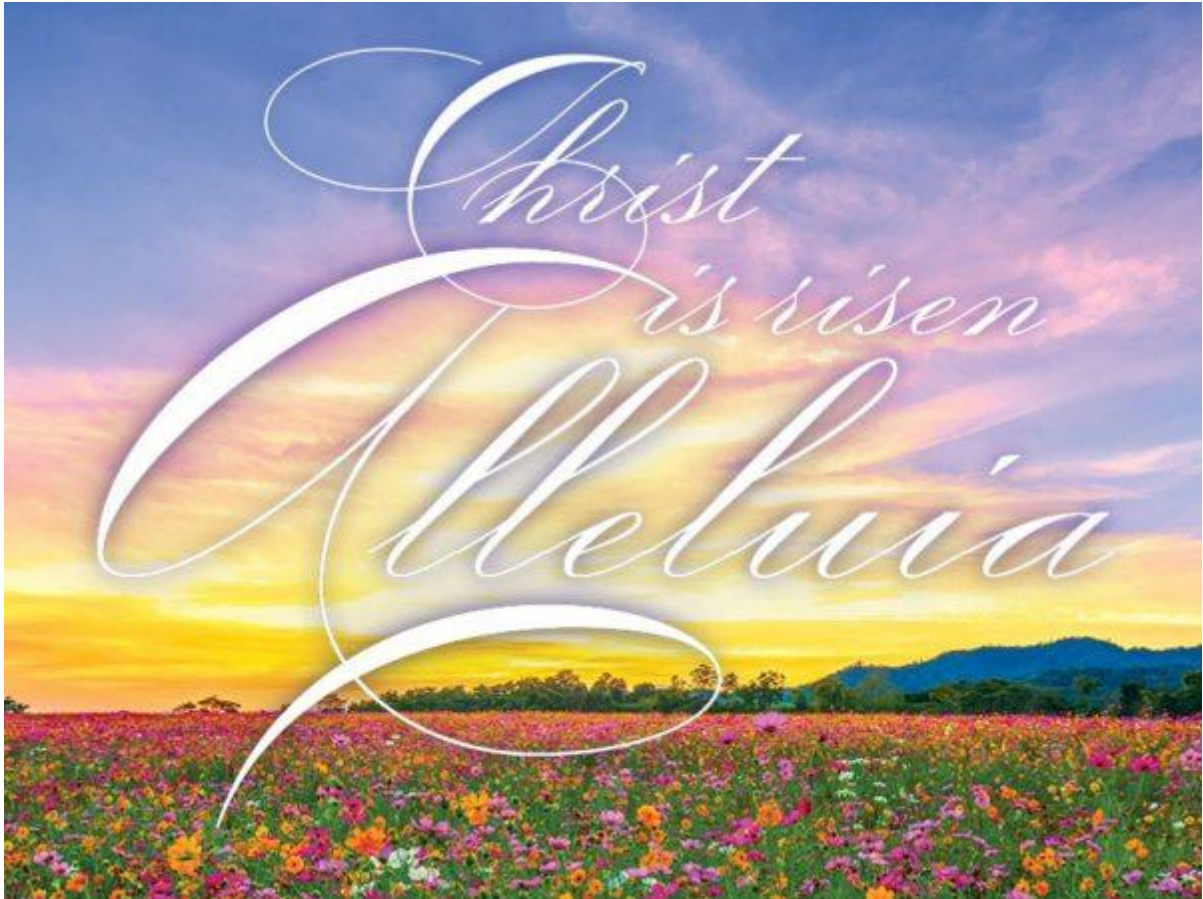


St. Andrews Presbyterian Church



April 9, 2023

# Resurrection of the Lord/Festival of Easter

April 9, 2023

10:30 A.M.

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### ***THE GATHERING***

PRELUDE "Oh Hail This Brightest Day of Days" J.S. BACH

CHORAL INTROIT "Praise the Lord, His Glories Show" HOPSON

EASTER GREETING

\*TRUMPET FANFARE

\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 232 "Jesus Christ Is Risen Today" EASTER HYMN

\*PRAYER OF ADORATION (Responsive) Liturgist

Glory to you, O God: on this day you won victory over death, raising Jesus from the grave and giving us eternal life.

**Glory to you, O Christ: for us and for our salvation you overcame death and opened the gate to everlasting life.**

Glory to you, O Holy Spirit: you lead us into the truth.

**Glory to you, O Blessed Trinity, now and forever. Amen.**

\*CONFESSION AND PARDON

The Lord says: Come. Let anyone who wishes take the water of life as a gift. Trusting in God's grace, let us confess our sin.

**Almighty God, in raising Jesus from the grave, you shattered the power of sin and death. We confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear, bound by the ways that lead to death. We overlook the poor and the hungry, and pass by those who mourn; we are deaf to the cries of the oppressed, and indifferent to calls for peace; we despise the weak, and abuse the earth you made. Forgive us, God of mercy. Help us to trust your power to change our lives and make us new, that we may know the joy of life abundant given in Jesus Christ, the risen Lord.**

SILENT CONFESSION

\*KYRIE

**Lord, have mercy,  
Christ, have mercy,  
Lord, have mercy upon us.**

All of us, like sheep, have gone astray, but now we have returned to the shepherd and guardian of our souls. In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

**Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Amen.**

### ***THE WORD***

CHILDREN'S TIME

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Traditional)  
SINGING WITH THE CHILDREN: "Jesus Loves Me"

(Page 35, *Glory to God Hymnal*)  
(Hymn 188)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Liturgist

THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES: Acts 10:34-43

The Word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

CHORAL ANTHEM

"See What a Morning"

GETTY, TOWNSEND

THE GOSPEL READING: John 20:1-18

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON

"Calling Your Name"

***THE RESPONSE***

\*HYMN 238

"Thine Is the Glory"

JUDAS MACCABEUS

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (From the *Book of Common Worship*)

**This is the good news which we have received, in which we stand, and by which we are saved, if we hold it fast: that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day, and that he appeared first to the women, then to Peter, and to the Twelve, and then to many faithful witnesses. We believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the living God. Jesus Christ is the first and the last, the beginning and the end; he is our Lord and our God. Amen.**

\*GLORIA PATRI (Hymn 581)

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD AND ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING

OFFERTORY

"Offertorio"

DOMENICO ZIPOLI

\*DOXOLOGY/Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow (Hymn 607)

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
praise Christ, all people here below;  
praise Holy Spirit evermore;  
praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.**

\*PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

**The Eucharist**

**The Invitation to the Table**

**The Prayer of Great Thanksgiving**

(Responsive, Congregation please read **bold** print.)

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

It is truly right and our greatest joy...who forever sing to the glory of your name:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes  
in the Lord's name. Hosanna in the highest.**

You are holy, O God of majesty...Great is the mystery of faith:  
**Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.**  
Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit upon us...  
As our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray:

**The Words of Institution**

**The Sharing of the Meal**

*(To receive communion when you come forward, please open your hands and a portion of bread will be given to you to partake. Then pick up a small cup from the tray and partake. As you return to your seat, there will be a basket in which you can place your cup. If you would like a server to come to you, please raise your hand.)*

**Communion Hymn 526**

"Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ"

LINSTEAD

**The Prayer After Communion** (Unison)

**Loving God, you have given us a share in the one bread and the one cup and made us one with Christ. Help us to bring your salvation and joy to all the world! We ask this through Christ our Risen Savior. Amen.**

***THE SENDING***

\*HYMN 245

"Christ the Lord Is Risen Today!"

LLANFAIR

\*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

"Laudation"

GILBERT MARTIN

\*Those who are able, please stand.