

Christ is risen! Alleluia! Welcome, one and all,
as we celebrate Jesus' resurrection—and ours!

This worship service can be watched live on YouTube, as it happens, anywhere you have an internet connection. Additionally, past services will be archived so you can stay up-to-date or relive your favorite Sunday morning moments. You can find the link on our website or check it out at <https://bit.ly/FPClive>

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NOTE: Sheet music for the hymns can be found on the next page or pages.



Order of Worship

April 9, 2023

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seeking:
*Who are you
looking for?*

232 Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

1 Je - sus Christ is risen to - day,
2 Hymns of praise then let us sing,
3 But the pains which he en - dured,
4 Sing we to our God a - bove,
Al - le - lu - ia!

our tri - um-phant ho - ly day,
un - to Christ, our heaven-ly King,
our sal - va - tion have pro - cured.
praise e - ter - nal as God's love.

who did once up - on the cross,
who en - dured the cross and grave,
Now a - bove the sky he's King,
Praise our God, ye heaven-ly host,

Al - le - lu - ia!

It seems likely that this beloved Easter text began in Latin and moved through German before reaching English, where it combined with the present tune in the emerging English evangelical style, a reaction to the restrained one-note-per-syllable psalmody that preceded it.

TEXT: Stanzas 1–3, *Isra Davidica*, 1708; stanza 4, Charles Wesley, 1740
Spanish trans. Juan Bautista Cabrera, alt.; Korean trans. The Christian Literature Society of Korea
MUSIC: *Isra Davidica*, 1708; adapt. from *The Compleat Psalmist*, 1749
Korean Trans. © The Christian Literature Society of Korea

EASTER HYMN
7.7.7.7 with alleluias

suf - fer to re - deem our loss,
sin - ners to re - deem and save,
where the an - gels ev - er sing,
Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

Al - le - lu - ia!

SPANISH

- 1 El Señor resucitó, ¡Aleluya!
muerte y tumba ya venció. ¡Aleluya!
Con su fuerza y su virtud ¡Aleluya!
cautivó la esclantitud. ¡Aleluya!
- 2 El que al polvo se humilló, ¡Aleluya!
vencedor se levantó. ¡Aleluya!
Cante hoy la cristiandad ¡Aleluya!
su gloriosa majestad. ¡Aleluya!
- 3 Cristo, que la cruz sufrió, ¡Aleluya!
y en desolación se vio, ¡Aleluya!
hoy en gloria celestial ¡Aleluya!
reina vivo e inmortal. ¡Aleluya!
- 4 Cristo, nuestro Salvador, ¡Aleluya!
de la muerte es triunfador. ¡Aleluya!
En El hemos de confiar ¡Aleluya!
Cantaremos sin cesar. ¡Aleluya!

KOREAN

- 1 예수부활 했으니
만민찬송 하여라
천사들이 즐거워
기쁜찬송 부르네
- 2 대속하신 주에 수
선한씨름 이겼네
사망권세 이기고
하늘문을 여셨네
- 3 마귀권세 이긴 주
왕의왕이 되셨네
높은아름 세상에
넉리반포 하여라
- 4 길과진리 되신 주
우리부활 하겠네
부활생명 되시니
우리부활 하겠네

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Be Not Afraid 243

Be not a - fraid; sing out for joy! Christ is ris-en, al-le - lu - ia!

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Intended for repeated singing like other chants from the Taizé Community, this text began in Czech as "Nebojte se." The English version uses the language of the angel's greeting to Mary Magdalene and "the other Mary," who went to Jesus' tomb on Easter morning (Matthew 28:5-6).

TEXT: Taizé Community, 1998
MUSIC: Jacques Berthier, 1998
Text and Music © 1998 Les Presses de Taizé (admin. GIA Publications, Inc.)

BE NOT AFRAID
4.4.8.D

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1 That Eas - ter day with joy was bright; the sun shone
2 He bade them see his hands, his side, where yet the
3 From ev - ery weap - on death can wield, your own re -

out with fair - er light when, to their long - ing
glo - rious wounds a - bide, the to - kens true which
deemed for - ev - er shield; O Lord of all, with

eyes re - stored, the a - pos - tles saw their ris - en Lord.
made it plain their Lord in - deed was risen a - gain.
us a - bide in this our joy - ful Eas - ter - tide.

These Easteride stanzas are derived from a longer Latin text that was one of the earliest hymns written especially for a season of the church year. They are set here to a tune with Christmas associations, a means of linking the two great festivals of the Christian year.

TEXT: Latin hymn, 5th cent.; trans. John Mason Neale, 1852, alt.
MUSIC: Trier ms., 15th cent.; adapt. Michael Praetorius, 1609

PUER NOBIS NASCITUR
LM
(alternate harmonization, 67)

**THE ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP
EASTER**

10:00 AM

APRIL 9, 2023



THE FIRST NOTE OF THE PRELUDE begins our worship.
Please use the prelude time to turn your attention to God's presence and help.
Nurturing our relationships and friendships in fellowship is essential to our life
as a congregation, so please continue to do so following our time of worship.

** Those who are able are invited to stand.*

FOCUSING UPON GOD'S PRESENCE AND VOICE

PRELUDE

"Cornet Voluntary"

ARR. JOHN TRAVERS
PUBLIC DOMAIN

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: What are you looking for?

People: **The light before dawn.**

Leader: What are you looking for?

People: **A reason to hope.**

Leader: What are you looking for?

People: **Joy after grief and flowers after winter.**

Leader: What are you looking for?

People: **A place to belong.**

Leader: What are you looking for?

People: **We are looking for the Messiah.**

Leader: Good news! Come in. Love is alive!

People: **Surely God is in this place.**

***OPENING PRAYER**

***HYMN #232**

"Jesus Christ is Risen Today"

EASTER HYMN
PUBLIC DOMAIN

LITANY OF AFFIRMATION

Leader: Friends, there are times when we can't find something. When we swear we've looked everywhere and we slip into despair that it has been lost. Stolen. Taken away. And more often than not, it takes a second pair of eyes to find that which was missing. Mom always seemed to know how to find things. Our best friend wonders how they could see it when we couldn't. Sometimes, our relationship with God can feel a little bit like that. We seek after God. We swear that we're looking, and yet so often we miss when the Divine is right under our noses. So let us pray together, knowing that our seeking has its limits, but God's love does not. Let us pray.

People: God of resurrection, we confess, like a dog with a bone, we run aimlessly. We chase our tails, looking for things that provide answers to the suffering of the world, looking for comfort to our longest nights. You meet us in the darkness before dawn, but we mistake you for the gardener. Forgive us for seeking after worldly things. Forgive us for forgetting to seek you. Speak to us. Call us by name, that we might recognize you in our midst. With hope and gratitude we pray.

Leader: Lord, in your mercy,

People: hear our prayers.

(A moment is given for silent confession to God.)

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

*SHARING THE PEACE

Leader: Since God has forgiven us, let us also forgive one another.
The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Let us share our forgiven joy with one another.

Be not afraid; sing out for joy!

Christ is risen, alleluia!

Be not afraid; sing out for joy!

Christ is risen, alleluia!

THE WORD OF GOD TO THE CHURCH

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON

COLOSSIANS 3:1-4

³So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. ²Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, ³for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. ⁴When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON

JEREMIAH 31:1-6

³¹At that time, says the LORD, I will be the God of all the families of Israel, and they shall be my people. ²Thus says the LORD: The people who survived the sword found grace in the wilderness; when Israel sought for rest, ³the LORD appeared to him from far away. I have loved you with an everlasting love; therefore I have continued my faithfulness to you. ⁴Again I will build you, and you shall be built, O virgin Israel! Again you shall take your tambourines, and go forth in the dance of the merry-makers. ⁵Again you shall plant vineyards on the mountains of Samaria; the planters shall plant, and shall enjoy the fruit. ⁶For there shall be a day when sentinels will call in the hill country of Ephraim: "Come, let us go up to Zion, to the LORD our God."

THIRD SCRIPTURE LESSON

JOHN 20:1-18

²⁰Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. ²So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and

said to them, “They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.” ³Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went toward the tomb. ⁴The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. ⁵He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. ⁶Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, ⁷and the cloth that had been on Jesus’ head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. ⁸Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; ⁹for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. ¹⁰Then the disciples returned to their homes.

¹¹But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; ¹²and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. ¹³They said to her, “Woman, why are you weeping?” She said to them, “They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.” ¹⁴When she had said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. ¹⁵Jesus said to her, “Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you looking for?” Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, “Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.” ¹⁶Jesus said to her, “Mary!” She turned and said to him in Hebrew, “Rabbouni!” (which means Teacher). ¹⁷Jesus said to her, “Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, ‘I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.’” ¹⁸Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, “I have seen the Lord”; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

MESSAGE

“Who Are You Looking For?”

REV. REBECCA MALLOZZI

*HYMN #254

“That Easter Day with Joy Was Bright”

PUER NOBIS NASCITUR
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SHARING JOYS & CONCERNS
INTERCESSIONS AND PETITIONS
THE LORD'S PRAYER

GLORY TO GOD HYMNAL – PG. 35
(Please use “debts & debtors”.)

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD

CALL FOR OFFERTORY

OFFERTORY

“Thine is the Glory”

HYMN 238
CCLI 1695793

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*HYMN

“Hallelujah Chorus”

FROM HANDEL'S MESSIAH
PUBLIC DOMAIN

*CHARGE & BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

“Alleluia from Exultate Jubilante”

ARR. MOZART
PUBLIC DOMAIN

Please feel free to sit and reflect during the postlude or depart and join us in Fellowship Hall.



Faith Life

SUNDAY, APRIL 9, 2023



KNOW THYSELF

In the midst of cold and flu season (and whatever else might be going around), remember to pay attention to how you are feeling and who is around you. Stay home if you aren't feeling well. Listen to your body and get rest when you need it. Feel free to skip the handshake parts of passing of the peace. Masks are not required, but are welcomed for anyone who might feel more comfortable with a mask or anyone who might be feeling even a little under the weather. We can love our neighbors as we love ourselves when we take consideration for everyone's physical health!

THE CHURCH NURSERY IS OPEN!

Children are welcome to go to the nursery to join our nursery volunteer in a fun activity! (Ages up to and including those in first grade.)

DISCIPLESHIP & FELLOWSHIP



TODAY: NO CLASSES: Happy Easter Day! Enjoy breakfast at church before worship.

April 16 Clean-Up Day: Help spruce up the church, light lunch provided.

THURSDAY WOMEN'S STUDY GROUP

We meet Thursday mornings, 9:30-11:30 a.m. in homes of our members for coffee, study, prayer, and laughter. New members are very welcome!

Join us for an 8-10 week study of the seven churches in Revelation 1-3! Check out the flyer on the Ministry to the Congregation bulletin board across from Fellowship Hall. See Deanna Robinson if you have questions.

CHURCH CLEANUP DAY

April 16 following worship

The **Ministry of Support** and the **Ministry to the Congregation** will be holding a **Clean-Up** day on **April 16** following worship. A **light lunch** will be provided. There will be a variety of jobs both inside and out. Please plan on participating.



For additional information contact Sally Heimbach.

THE FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY

The flowers beautifying the church this Easter Sunday were placed by the following:

Gloria Arndt

John & Carolyn Baittinger, in memory of their parents

Donna Call, in memory of Douglas Call

Eleanor DePhillips, in memory of my cousin Pauline White

Steven Eck, in memory of Sally Eck; and in honor of Betsy Turner and Gail Corvaia

Terry Eck, in memory of Sally W. Eck; in honor of his grandchildren

Peter & Deb Ferguson, in memory of Barbara Ferguson; in honor of Susan Greenough

Beth Folio, in memory of Bill & Gladys Stewart

Christina Godiska, in memory of Pappy and Uncle Bobby

Linda Kennington, in memory of her grannie Evelyn Ziegler

Liz & Jim Kenny, in memory of parents

Bruce & Beth Kunkle, in memory and honor of loved ones

Luff family, in memory of James Slamon

Pam Martin, in memory of Doloris Reitmeier and Mike & Rhea Martin

Pam Mongi

Jim & Penny Pantano

Lynda & Dick Scheirer, in memory of loved ones

Chas & Melanie Shimer, in memory of James Fehr and Ernie & Margaret Shimer

Yvonne Stauffer, in honor of the people of Ukraine

Helen Underwood, in memory of George & Othie Underwood, and Charlie & Irma Duh

VanHorn family

Barb & David Webb, in memory of Julius & Margery McIntosh, Alison Shuemaker, Maurice Webb, and Michael Webb

Anne Zayaitz, in memory of her parents.

Flowers may be picked up following worship.

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday from 9:00 AM to Noon.
Closed on Fridays.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The theme this year is "Bug Zone—
Transformed By Your Big God"



Don't mean to "bug" you, but I will anyway.
VBS - June 19 - 22 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. each
evening. Volunteers have already signed up - THANK
YOU! **But We Need More of YOU!** It's such a great time
with the kids. Consider yourself "bugged." **Call me.**

Doug Boyd

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



VOLUNTEERS

You may sign up to be a Worship
Assistant, Nursery Caregiver, or
Fellowship Hour host via Sign up Genius,
an online tool familiar to many. It's easy
to use once you create your own sign-in
criteria. You can also go to our website
and click on Volunteer Opportunities to
find a link to the sign up sheets, or use
these links:

- Worship Assistant— <https://bit.ly/3rqIBVk>
- Fellowship Hour Host—<https://bit.ly/3Md9RyK>
- Nursery Caregiver— <https://bit.ly/3PkTIsS>
- Usher—To sign-up to serve as an usher, please use the
sign-up sheet on the table in the narthex.

If you have not served before, easy instructions for
ushering, worship assistance, or fellowship hour are provided
in an email reminder for the Sunday you have signed up for.

PRAYER CHAIN REQUESTS



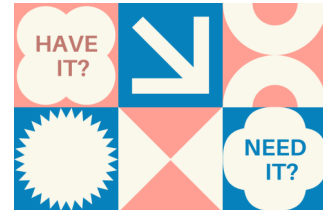
Messages to be shared via
the Prayer Chain may be emailed
directly to the following email:
prayers@faithchurchemmaus.org.
Messages can also be sent
through a form on the Prayer
Requests page of the church
website. If you wish to be included
in our Prayer Chain distribution list

(or if you don't think you are receiving messages), please
contact the office.

PRESBYTERIAN DISASTER ASSISTANCE

Scan this QR code to donate to aid
hurricane/disaster relief, or send a check
with PDA in the memo line, mail to:

Presbyterian Disaster c/o
Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)
P.O. Box 643700
Pittsburgh, PA 15264-3700



HAVE IT/NEED IT BULLETIN BOARD

This has been a wonderful resource church
members have used to find homes for useful things
they no longer need. Perhaps there is something you
have been looking for.

Currently there is only one item on the board.
Can you add something? Will you be doing some
household reorganizing now that spring is here?
Let's get this going again!

NOTE: Please only post notes and photos. Don't
bring the items to the church.



SATURDAY, JUNE 3

The Borough of Emmaus will be holding their
community wide yard sale on Saturday, June 3.

The Ministry to the Community committee will be
"hosting" a yard sale in the Fellowship Hall on that
day.

This will be different than the yard sales that were
held in previous years. We will be "selling" space for
folks to have their own table. We will also be opening
up the space for community involvement.

If you would like to have a table in the Fellowship
Hall on that day, please contact Sally Heimbach.

EVENING ON THE LAWN

Every 3rd Friday in Spring and Fall
7:00 p.m.—4/21, 5/19, 9/15, 10/20
Bring your blanket or chair
enjoy the fire and fellowship



TWO WEEKS OF FAITH

This calendar is prepared a few days prior to distribution.
Please see the church [website](#) for the most up-to-date information.

Key	
BR	Brick Room
FH	Fellowship Hall
MR	Music Room
P	Parlor
S	Sanctuary
Z	Zoom

THIS WEEK

Sunday, April 9

Easter

- 8:30 a.m.— Easter Breakfast
- 9:00 a.m.— Senior Choir Rehearsal (MR)
- 10:00 a.m.— Worship Service
- No Sunday Morning Together

Monday, April 10

Church Office Closed

- 7:00 p.m.— Emmaus Chorale (S)

Tuesday, April 11

- 7:00 p.m.— Session Meeting (BR)

Wednesday, April 12

- 8:00 a.m.— Rotary Food Program (FH)
- 9:30 a.m.— Women of Faith (BR)
- 7:00 p.m.— EPNHN (P)

Thursday, April 13

- 9:30 a.m.— Women's Study Group
- 7:00 p.m.— Narcotics Anonymous (FH)

Friday, April 14

Church Office Closed

Saturday, April 15

Helping Hands Mission Trip

- 10:00 a.m.— Crazy Quilters (FH)

NEXT WEEK

Sunday, April 16

- 9:00 a.m.— Senior Choir Rehearsal (MR)
- 10:00 a.m.— Worship Service
- 11:00 a.m.— Sunday Morning Together (*see first page*)
- Clean-Up Day
- 5:00 p.m.— Middle School Youth Group
- 6:30 p.m.— High School Youth Group Book Club

Monday, April 17

- 7:00 p.m.— Ministry to the Community meeting (P)
- 7:00 p.m.— Emmaus Chorale (S)

Tuesday, April 18

- 10:00 a.m.— Emmaus Garden Club Board (FH)
- 7:00 p.m.— Deacons Meeting (BR)

Wednesday, April 19

- 8:00 a.m.— Rotary Food Program (FH)
- 9:30 a.m.— Women of Faith (BR)

Thursday, April 20

- 9:30 a.m.— Women's Study Group
- 7:00 p.m.— Narcotics Anonymous (FH)

Friday, April 21

Church Office Closed

- 7:00 p.m.— Evening on the Lawn

Saturday, April 22

Daybreak Meal—May 8
Summer Flyer deadline—May 14
2023 Per Capita—\$48.00

ARE YOU GETTING THE INFO YOU NEED?

Faith Church has four email lists. Are you interested in being added to one or more of them? Please indicate your interest, add your email address, tear off this tab, and drop in the offering plate.

- ☐ Weekly Announcements
- ☐ Quarterly Newsletter
- ☐ Prayer Chain
- ☐ Emergency Alerts

Name & email: _____

LOOKING AHEAD...

- Apr. 30 Faith's 65th Anniversary Luncheon
- May 14 Summer Newsletter Deadline
- May 16 Election Day
- May 19 Evening on the Lawn
- May 21 SMT Last Day Celebration,
Youth Group End of Year Party
- May 28 Pentecost
- May 29 Office Summer Hours begin
- Jun. 3 Yard Sale
- Jun. 19-22 Vacation Bible School
- Jul. 8-16 Work Camp
- Jul. 16 Work Camp Sunday
- Aug. 1 Pastor's Maternity Leave ends
- Aug. 13 Autumn Newsletter Deadline
- Sept. 11 Office returns to regular hours
- Sept. 15 Evening on the Lawn
- Sept. 30 Autumn Fest