

April 17, 2022



EASTER SUNDAY

7:00 am SUNRISE CELEBRATION



Welcome and Invitation to Worship

Dave Steane

Pastor: Christ is risen!

All: He is risen indeed!

*Songs of Celebration

Christ the Lord Is Risen

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 oh death is now thy sting, Alleluia
Dying once He all doth save, Alleluia
Where thy victory oh grave, Alleluia

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

Because He Lives

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

Moment of Confession & Assurance

Brett Hurst

Gracious Lord, You are our faithful God and worthy to be praised. Today we celebrate the most significant day in all of human history.

On Easter Sunday, two thousand years ago, You miraculously achieved the impossible with the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ.

And yet, we often live our daily lives as if the tomb were not empty. We often walk in denial and fail to welcome the new life You have so graciously given.

We confess our sins of indifference and faithlessness; forgive our fear and doubt. Deepen our faith, through Christ's resurrection power, to live our lives fully for the One who died and rose again for us.

We pray this in the Name of our precious Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Song

Agnus Dei/He Is Lord

Alleluia, alleluia
For the Lord God Almighty reigns
Alleluia alleluia
For the Lord God Almighty reigns
Alleluia

Holy, holy are You, Lord God Almighty
Worthy is the Lamb
Worthy is the Lamb
You are holy

Holy are You, Lord God Almighty

Worthy is the Lamb
Worthy is the Lamb
Amen

He is Lord, He is Lord
He is risen from the dead
And He is Lord
Ev'ry knee shall bow
Ev'ry tongue confess
That Jesus Christ is Lord

Message

The Third Day

Alf Halvorson

Matthew 16:21 From that time on, Jesus began to show His disciples that He must go to Jerusalem and undergo great suffering at the hands of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised.

Matthew 17:22-23 As they were gathering in Galilee, Jesus said to them, "The Son of Man is going to be betrayed into human hands, and they will kill Him, and on the third day He will be raised." And they were greatly distressed.

Acts 10:39-43 "We are witnesses to all that He did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put Him to death by hanging Him on a tree; but God raised Him on the third day and allowed Him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with Him after He rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that He is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about Him that everyone who believes in Him receives forgiveness of sins through His Name."

Song of Celebration

Christ Our Hope in Life & Death

What is our hope in life and death
Christ alone Christ alone
What is our only confidence
That our souls to Him belong
Who holds our days within His hand
What comes apart from His command
And what will keep us to the end
The love of Christ in which we stand

(Chorus) O sing hallelujah
Our hope springs eternal
O sing hallelujah

Now and ever we confess
Christ our hope in life and death

What truth can calm the troubled soul
God is good God is good

Where is His grace and goodness known
In our great Redeemer's blood
Who holds our faith when fears arise
Who stands above the stormy trial
Who sends the waves that bring us nigh
Unto the shore the rock of Christ

Unto the grave what will we sing
Christ He lives Christ He lives
And what reward will heaven bring
Everlasting life with Him
There we will rise to meet the Lord
Then sin and death will be destroyed
And we will feast in endless joy
When Christ is ours forevermore

Moment of Prayer

Dave Steane

*Charge & Benediction

Alf Halvorson

Musicians at 7:00am Service: Michael Middleton and Meliza Gómez, MDPC worship leaders

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8:30, 9:45, & 11:15am CELEBRATIONS



8:30 BLENDED SERVICE

Opening Song	<i>He Lives</i>	
Welcome and Invitation to Worship		Meliza Gómez
Leader:	Christ is risen.	
All:	He is risen indeed.	
Paschal Meet & Greet		
*Song of Praise	<i>He Lives / Living Hope</i>	
Moment of Confession & Assurance		Dan Aikins
Song of Preparation	<i>Agnus Dei / All Hail King Jesus</i>	
Message	The Third Day Matthew 16:21; 17:22-23; Acts 10:39-43 NRSV	Alf Halvorson
Song of Celebration	<i>Death Was Arrested</i> <i>Christ Our Hope in Life & Death</i>	
Moment of Prayer & Announcements		Dave Steane
*Benediction		Alf Halvorson

Musicians at the 8:30 and 9:45 Services: Asher Pudlo • drums; Uvaldo Callejas • bass; Daniel Martinez • keys; Chris Parrott • guitar; Michael Middleton and Meliza Gómez • worship leaders

9:45 FAMILY SERVICE

Opening Song of Praise	<i>He Lives</i>	
Welcome and Invitation to Worship		Rachel Poysky
Leader:	Christ is risen.	
All:	He is risen indeed.	
Paschal Meet & Greet		Meliza Gómez
*Song of Praise	<i>He Lives / Living Hope</i>	
Moment of Confession		Lyndsey Dottavio
Kids' Moment		Mayra Escamilla
Song of Preparation	<i>Agnus Dei / All Hail King Jesus</i>	
Message	The Third Day Matthew 16:21; 17:22-23; Acts 10:39-43 NRSV	Alf Halvorson
Song of Celebration	<i>Death Was Arrested</i> <i>Christ Our Hope in Life & Death</i>	
*Benediction		Alf Halvorson

11:15 TRADITIONAL SERVICE

Prelude	<i>Highland Cathedral with Jesus Christ is Risen Today</i>	arr. K. White
*Hymn of Celebration	<i>Christ the Lord Is Risen Today</i>	arr. John Rutter (b. 1945)
Welcome & Invitation to Worship		Beth Case
Leader:	Christ is risen.	
All:	He is risen indeed.	
Paschal Meet & Greet		
*Hymn of Praise #371	<i>Lift High the Cross</i>	Vs. 3 & 4 CRUCIFER
*Prayer of Confession and Assurance		Clay Brown
Anthem	<i>Christ the Lord is Risen Again</i>	Philip Stopford (b. 1977)
Moment of Prayer		Beth Case
Anthem of Preparation	<i>Most Glorious Lord of Life</i>	John Rutter (b. 1945)
Message	The Third Day Matthew 16:21; 17:22-23; Acts 10:39-43 NRSV	Alf Halvorson
Choral Benediction	<i>Hallelujah Chorus (from Messiah)</i>	G. F. Handel (1685-1759)
*Benediction		Alf Halvorson
Postlude	<i>Trumpet Tune in D</i>	Bert Landman (b. 1958)

Musicians at the 11:15 service: John Parker, Danny Wilson • trumpet; Deborah Harvey • French horn; Rick White, Brian Logan • trombone; Julio Sanchez • percussion; Kathryn White • organ; Charles Hausmann • conductor; the Sanctuary Choir

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

To see more events at **MDPC**, visit events.mdpc.org.

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give.mdpc.org



Wed, Apr 20 • 6:30pm

The Well is back with three new speakers - women just like you from the MDPC family! Get the details and RSVP at thewell.mdpc.org.



Thu, Apr 28 • 7:00-8:15pm

Join us to hear Dr. Licona, a world-renowned scholar who has studied and defended proofs for the historical resurrection of Jesus. Info and RSVP at speakers.mdpc.org.



Apr 18-May 15

Let's help the food pantry at our local partner, ECHOS, meet the increased summer demand! You can see their needs and three ways to give at fooddrive.mdpc.org.



Rotating Volunteer Opportunity

Each month, a new bite-sized "serving" is offered! The next one up is on **Apr 22 at MDPC**. Learn more at bites.mdpc.org.



Youth Summer Mission Trips

MS Trip: San Antonio, TX, May 29
HS Trip: Asheville, NC, June 19
Junior-Senior Trip: Puerto Rico, Jul 16
Visit youth.mdpc.org and click the Linktree links. Registration is open!



Mon-Thu Lunch • Sun Breakfast Fellowship Hall

MDPC Café offers an extensive lunch menu, plus a pantry of fresh-frozen items to simplify your dinners. View the menu and hours (even order online!) at cafe.mdpc.org.



Remember Our Mission Partners on the Front Lines

Each week, we pray for three of MDPC's partners in ministry, both local and global. They truly covet your prayers! Find this week's prayer recipients at partners.mdpc.org, or pick up one of the prayer booklets available around campus.

Financial Update as of Apr 10, 2022

2022 Annual Budget	\$12,294,000
Income to Date	\$2,970,986
Needed to Meet Budget	\$9,323,014

Births and Deaths

Don Weinmann passed away on April 8.