

EASTER DAY

9:00 AM
FESTIVAL
WORSHIP

SUNDAY

MARCH 31, 2024

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HE IS RISEN! HE IS RISEN, INDEED!
ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA!

*With this centuries-old proclamation,
we welcome you to Easter worship at Roseville Lutheran Church.
On this new day we are reminded of that first Easter morning when sorrow turned to joy.
Jesus is risen from the dead! He is risen! Alleluia!*

PRELUDE

Trumpet Voluntary

John Travers
Kendra Brodin, organ

Flourish for Brass

Ralph Vaughan Williams
RLC Brass

HYMN

Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

ELW 365
arr. Jeff Bowar

**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 you heav'nly host, Alleluia!
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia!**

PRAISE AND PROCLAMATION

Christ is risen!
He is risen, indeed! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

God is alive...
New birth is given.

Hope is alive...
A new age is dawning.

Joy is alive...
Redemption is here.

Love is alive...
Death cannot harm us.

We are alive...
New life is within us.

The church is alive...
God's spirit is within us.

God of life, we worship you.
God of creation, we praise you.
God of revelation, we learn from you.
God of resurrection, we come to celebrate you.

May we celebrate our risen Lord! Christ is risen!
He is risen, indeed! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
And also with you.

HYMN

That Easter Day With Joy Was Bright
vs. 1, 3, 4

ELW 384
arr. John Helgen

That Easter day with joy was bright;
the sun shone out with fairer light
When, to their longing eyes restored,
the apostles saw their risen Lord!

O Christ, you are the Lord of all
in this our Easter festival,
For you will be our strength and shield
from ev'ry weapon death can yield.

All praise, O risen Lord, we give
to you, once dead, but now alive!
To God the Father equal praise,
and God the Spirit, now we raise!

*God's Son has made me free from Satan's tyranny;
From sin and death and bonds of sin, from all that plagues my soul within.
The Holy One divine became a friend of mine.
From heaven high, from starry sky, he came to live, to die.
O boundless love, he came, he died, he rose forever glorified!
He came to give, to die that I might live.
From heaven high, from starry sky, he came to die that I might live
With him eternally. God's Son has made me free.*

EASTER MORNING PRAYER

Alleluia!

Jesus is risen from the dead. Jesus is here right now around us and within us. Alleluia!
Life is eternal and there is a new life beyond this one. Knowing we have nothing to fear,
help us to live life to the fullest right now, unafraid and full of love and laughter.
Help us to spread the joy of this day with anyone who will listen.

Lord, your kingdom is here and your time is now. Alleluia and Amen!

EASTER GOSPEL

John 20:1-18

Early 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. So 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." Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went toward the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus's head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed, for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes.

But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb, and 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. They 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." When she had said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus 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." Jesus said to her, "Mary!" She turned and said to him in Hebrew, "Rabbouni!" (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, "Do not touch 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.'" Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, "I have seen the Lord," and she told them that he had said these things to her.

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

Pastor Marty Wyatt

HYMN

Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen!
(vs. 1, 4, 5)

ELW 377
arr. John Helgen

Alleluia! Jesus is risen!
Trumpets resounding in glorious light!
Splendor, the Lamb, heaven forever!
Oh, what a miracle God has in sight!

Refrain:

Jesus is risen and we shall arise.
Give God the glory! Alleluia!

Weeping, be gone; sorrow, be silent:
Death put asunder, and Easter is bright
Cherubim sing: O grave, be open!
Clothe us in wonder, adorn us in light. *Refrain*

City of God, Easter forever,
Golden Jerusalem, Jesus the Lamb,
River of life, saints and archangels,
Sing with creation to God the I AM! *Refrain*

OFFERING

*We gather as a people of God, in the presence of God, to offer up our thanks and praise.
Offering is one way in which we support and sustain our shared ministry.
You may text your gift: Text <amount> to 651-383-1504,
or scan the QR code in this bulletin.*



Children are invited to bring their offering up to the front of the Worship Center.

OFFERING ANTHEM

God's Right Hand and Holy Arm

K. Lee Scott
Festival Choir
and RLC Brass

*God's right hand and holy arm have won the victory.
Christ being raised from the dead shall die no more.
Death has no power over him, he lives to God.
Why seek the living now among the dead?
Recall his promise unto you; he lives again.
Gone is death's victory, gone is death's sting.
God gives to us the victory through Christ our Lord.*

PRAYERS

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever.
Amen**

BLESSING

Dance, celebrate, sing, and shout for joy!
Christ is risen and goes before us
into this world of wilderness places.
He has called us to bring the Good News
of healing and hope, of redemption and new life.

Go in peace,
and feel the presence of the Risen Lord with you,
now and forever!
Thanks be to God!

HYMN

Thine Is the Glory

ELW 376
arr. John Helgen

**Thine is the glory, risen, conqu'ring Son;
endless is the vict'ry thou o'er death hast won!
Angels in bright raiment rolled the stone away,
kept the folded grave-clothes where thy body lay. *Refrain***

Refrain: **Thine is the glory, risen, conqu'ring Son;
endless is the vict'ry thou o'er death hast won!**

**Lo, Jesus meets thee, risen from the tomb!
Lovingly he greets thee, scatters fear and gloom;
let his church with gladness hymns of triumph sing,
for the Lord now liveth; death hath lost its sting! *Refrain***

**No more we doubt thee, glorious Prince of life;
life is naught without thee; aid us in our strife;
make us more than conqu'rors, through thy deathless love;
bring us safe through Jordan to thy home above. *Refrain***

DISMISSAL

Go now and share the good news: Christ is risen!

Christ is risen indeed!

Alleluia!

Alleluia!

Alleluia!

POSTLUDE

Battle Galliard

Samuel Scheidt
RLC Brass

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INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILY HELPERS NEEDED

It takes many helpers to make a Sunday run smoothly at RLC, and to show good hospitality to all who enter our doors. If you or members of your family are interested in helping on Sunday mornings, please contact Mary in the church office at mjohnson@rosevillelutheran.org or 651-487-7752, or stop by the Welcome Desk this morning. We are looking for ushers, communion servers, greeters, and readers.

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