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EASTER SUNDAY - APRIL 5, 2026

# SERMON OUTLINE

Colossians 1:13-23  
A New Day

## WELCOME | ANNOUNCEMENTS

### PIANO MEDITATION

#### CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Isaiah 25)

O LORD, You are my God. I will exalt You, for You have worked wonders, plans formed long ago, with perfect faithfulness. You have been a defense for the helpless, a defense for the needy in his distress, a refuge from the storm, a shade from the heat. The LORD of hosts will prepare a lavish banquet for all peoples on this mountain; a banquet of aged wine, choice pieces with marrow, and refined, aged wine. And on this mountain He will swallow up death for all time, and the Lord GOD will wipe tears away from all faces, for the LORD has spoken. And it will be said in that day, "Behold, this is our God for whom we have waited that He might save us. Let us rejoice and be glad in His salvation."

### HYMN OF INVOCATION

*Christ the Lord is Risen Today* #277

### PRAYER OF INVOCATION

### SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 24:1-12

### CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Almighty God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, we confess that we were born in sin. We have not loved You as we ought, for we have not loved You above all nor our neighbor as ourselves. We have fallen short of Your

glory. Have mercy on us! Forgive all that is past, and grant by Your Spirit that, going forward, we might walk increasingly in newness of life! Hear now our private confessions of sin.

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Jesus is the one whom God exalted to His right hand as a Prince and a Savior, to grant repentance to Israel, and forgiveness of sins. Acts 5:31

### HYMNS OF PRAISE

*Up From the Grave He Arose* #276  
*Lion of Judah*

### CONFESSION OF FAITH

Westminster Shorter Catechism, Q&A 68

**Leader:** What benefits do believers receive from Christ at the resurrection?

**Congregation:** At the resurrection, believers, being raised up in glory,<sup>1</sup> shall be openly acknowledged and acquitted in the day of judgment,<sup>2</sup> and made perfectly blessed in the full enjoying of God,<sup>3</sup> to all eternity.<sup>4</sup>

<sup>1</sup> 1 Cor 15:43

<sup>2</sup> Matt 25:23; Matt 10:32

<sup>3</sup> 1 John 3:2; 1 Cor 13:12

<sup>4</sup> 1 Thess 4:17-18

### PASTORAL PRAYER

### PRESENTING OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

### GOD'S WORD PREACHED

### HYMN OF RESPONSE

*By the Sea of Crystal* #549

### BENEDICTION

### DOXOLOGY

- The new creation has broken through.
- Our King is something else!
- God's invitation to all to breathe in the air of this marvelous new day.

# MINISTRY STAFF & CHURCH INFORMATION

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## WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP TEAM

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## BETHEL CHURCH GROUPS

### EMAIL GROUPS

Want to receive church emails with prayer requests and information about upcoming events?

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### CHURCH BUSINESS OFFICE

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## MISSION STATEMENT

Because the gospel of Christ changes everything, our mission is to spread the gospel of Christ so that Bethel Church, North Dallas, and the world grow in Him.