

MORNING WORSHIP

The beginning of the prelude is a call to silent, personal preparation for the worship of God.

PRELUDE	Praise the Lord with Drums and Cymbals	<i>Sigfrid Karg-Elert</i> <i>arr. Thomas Brantigan</i>
	Prelude and Fugue in D Major	<i>Johann Sebastian Bach</i>
	Awake, Thou Wintry Earth	<i>J. S. Bach</i> <i>arr. Roberta Bitgood</i>
	The Holy Christ Has Arisen	<i>J. S. Bach</i>
	Canzon Septimi Toni no. 1	<i>Giovanni Gabrieli</i> <i>arr. Robert King</i>

INTROIT	“Alleluia. The Lord Is Risen”	<i>George Thalben-Ball</i>
	Alleluia. The Lord is risen indeed. O come, let us adore him. Alleluia.	

***DOXOLOGY AND INVOCATION** (The Hymnal, 592)

***HYMN 123** “Jesus Christ Is Risen Today” *Tune: EASTER HYMN*

PRAYER OF THE DAY *(unison)*

**Brightness of God’s glory, whom death could not conquer
nor the tomb imprison, as you have shared our frailty in
human flesh, help us to share your immortality in the Spirit.
Let no shadow of the grave terrify us and no fear of darkness
turn our hearts from you. Reveal yourself to us
this day and all our days, as the first and the last,
the Living One, our immortal Savior and Lord. Amen.**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(unison)*

**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.
Forgive our dread of dying, our hopelessness,
and set us free for the victory of Jesus Christ,
who was dead but lives among us.
Help us 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. Amen.**

DECLARATION OF PARDON

Minister: Friends, believe the good news.
People: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

MINUTE FOR DISCIPLESHIP

PSALTER Psalm 118:1–2, 14–24 (*responsively*) (page 534, O.T.)

ANTHEM “Christ Is Risen” *Paul Sjolund*
Christ is risen; now is Christ risen from the dead and become the firstfruits of them that slept. For since by man came death, by man came also the resurrection of the dead. For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality. O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory? Alleluia.

FIRST LESSON Isaiah 25:6–9 (page 613, O.T.)

Minister: The Word of the Lord.
People: **Thanks be to God.**

***GLORIA PATRI** (The Hymnal, 579)

SECOND LESSON Mark 16:1–8 (page 51, N.T.)

SERMON Something Happened CALUM I. MACLEOD
“*He is not here.*” Mark 16:6 (NRSV)

***HYMN 302** “I Danced in the Morning” *Tune: SIMPLE GIFTS*

***APOSTLES’ CREED** (*unison*)
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER (unison)

**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 debts,
as we forgive our debtors;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom
and the power and the glory forever. Amen.**

PRAYER RESPONSE "Amen"

Dale Wood

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM "Ye Choirs of New Jerusalem" *Charles Villiers Stanford*

Ye choirs of new Jerusalem, your sweetest notes employ, the paschal victory to hymn, in strains of holy joy. For Judah's lion bursts his chains, crushing the serpent's head, and cries aloud through death's domains to wake the imprisoned dead. Devouring depths of hell their prey at his command restore; his ransomed hosts pursue their way where Jesus goes before. Triumphant in his glory, now to him all power is given. To him in one communion bow all saints in earth and heaven while we, his children, praise our King. His mercy we implore, within his palace bright to bring, and keep us evermore. All glory to the Father be, all glory to the Son, all glory, Holy Ghost to thee, while endless ages run. Alleluia. Amen.

***PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND RESPONSE**

For the life that you have giv- en, for the love in Christ made known,
with these fruits of time and la - bor, with these gifts that are your own:
here we of - fer, Lord, our prai-ses; heart and mind and strength we bring.
Give us grace to love and serve you, liv - ing what we pray and sing.

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***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION**

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

All: **Eternal God,**

**we praise you that your glory has dawned on us
and brought us into this Day of Resurrection.**

**We rejoice that the grave could not hold your Son
and that he has conquered death and is risen
to rule over all powers of this earth.**

**We praise you that he summons us into new life,
to follow him with joy and gladness.**

**By your Spirit, lift us from doubt and despair,
and set our feet in Christ's holy way,
that our lives may be signs of his life
and all we have may show forth his love.**

**Praise, glory, and thanksgiving to you,
our God, forever and ever.**

Amen.

***HYMN 113**

“Christ the Lord Is Risen Today!”

Tune: LLANFAIR

***BENEDICTION**

(please remain standing for the Benediction and Closing Response)

***CLOSING RESPONSE**

“Hallelujah!” from *Messiah*

George Frideric Handel

Hallelujah! For the Lord God omnipotent reigneth. The kingdom of this world is become the kingdom of our Lord and of his Christ; and he shall reign forever and ever. King of kings and Lord of lords forever and ever, hallelujah!

POSTLUDE

Toccata from *Symphony V*

Charles-Marie Widor

EASTER FLOWERS

*Gifts supporting Eastertime Sanctuary flowers have been made in memory
and in honor of family, friends, and loved ones.*

In Memory of

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In Honor of

A Friend's Sister	Glenn L. Oliver	Sierra Segar
Emily Roberts Brown	Vicki Reynolds	Roger Whitmer
Josephine and George Horsman	Terry Stumpf	

WORSHIP LEADERS

- 8:00 a.m. Victoria G. Curtiss, Hardy H. Kim, Calum I. MacLeod
9:30 a.m. John W. Vest, Judith L. Watt, Calum I. MacLeod
11:30 a.m. Joyce Shin, Adam H. Fronczek, Calum I. MacLeod

THE MUSIC TODAY

- 8:00 a.m. Tower Brass; The Chancel Choir
9:30 a.m. Tower Brass; The Morning Choir
11:30 a.m. Tower Brass; The Morning Choir

John W. W. Sherer, Organist and Director of Music
Thomas E. Gouwens, Associate Organist
Matthew Comerford, Artistic Director of Tower Brass

WORSHIP NOTES

This morning's Minute for Discipleship is presented by Juli Crabtree on behalf of the Pastor Nominating Committee.

Gifts to the One Great Hour of Sharing Offering support Chicago Lights Tutoring and the Elam Davies Social Service Center as well as Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, the Presbyterian Hunger Program, and the Presbyterian Self-Development of People Program. Gifts can be made by using the envelopes in the pew racks or by writing "One Great Hour" on the memo line of a check made payable to Fourth Presbyterian Church.

Tower Brass, Fourth Church's brass ensemble, participates in 9:30 and 11:00 worship monthly during the academic year.

The Easter banners and the Communion Table and pulpit paraments were made by Nancy Chinn and Eliza Linley and depict the joy of the Resurrection.

The bulletin cover image of an Easter lily, photographed in the chancel of Fourth Church, not only bursts forth, as in joyful hallelujah, but also evokes the form of a dove and thus the gospel acclamation, "This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased." The quote, from the prayer anthology *Bread of Tomorrow*, is from a poem by Brazilian bishop Pedro Casaldaliga.

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