

EASTER PROCLAMATION Matthew 28:1-10

A TIME OF PRAYER

Choral Call to Prayer *Alleluia* No. 186

Prayers of the People

Choral Response *Alleluia* No. 186

SOLO *The Holy City* Frederic Weatherly

SCRIPTURE Colossians 3:1-4, 12-17

HYMN (please remain seated) *He Lives* No. 310

SERMON Rev. Mary Birgelaitis

"CHANGED FROM GLORY INTO GLORY"

OFFERING

Call to Stewardship and Mission

Offertory *Crown Him King of Kings* Sharon Damazon/arr.James Koerts

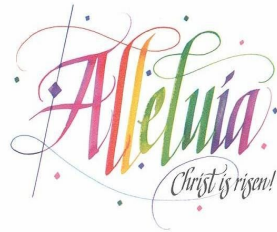
Doxology/Prayer of Dedication Hymnal, No. 94

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Praise God, the Source of all our gifts!  
Praise Jesus Christ whose power uplifts!  
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

\*CLOSING HYMN *Crown Him with Many Crowns* No. 327

\*BENEDICTION

Christ is risen!  
**Go and proclaim the Risen Christ**  
 Go and live as the risen children of God.  
**We are Easter people, filled with hope and life and love!**  
 Go in peace.  
**Amen.**



\*RESPONSE *Alleluia! He Lives!* (reprisal) Joel Raney

POSTLUDE *Hallelujah Chorus* G. F. Handel/  
 abridged/arranged by Edward Broughton

\* Please stand as able.

Today's Scripture

Matthew 28:1-10

After the sabbath, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. And suddenly there was a great earthquake; for an angel of the Lord, descending from heaven, came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. For fear of him the guards shook and became like dead men. But the angel said to the women, 'Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples, "He has been raised from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him." This is my message for you.'

So they left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. Suddenly Jesus met them and said, 'Greetings!' And they came to him, took hold of his feet, and worshipped him. Then Jesus said to them, 'Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me.'

Colossians 3:1-4, 12-17

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

As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Today's Liturgist: BG Perriguey

ALL-CHURCH SUNDAY HOSPITALITY TIME IS LAST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH

WEEK	8:30	10:30	IN- PERSON	VIDEO	TOTAL	STEWARDSHIP
03/12	30	42	72	54	126	\$1,574
03/19	39	54	93	38	131	\$3,426
03/26	28	65	93	18	111	\$1,603
4/2	32	60	92	4	96	\$7,322
Weekly offering needed: \$6,160						
FISCAL YEAR TO DATE: YTD Budgeted: \$246,400						YTD Received: \$236,001
Easter Budgeted: \$3,300						Easter Received: \$1,391 UMCOR: \$740

HOSPITALITY TIME

Today's Hosts:  
**UNITED WOMEN  
 IN FAITH**

Next Sunday-April 16

Hosted by  
**ENDOWMENT/ELT**

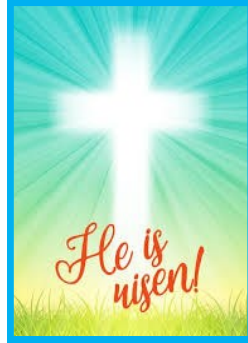
## TODAY, EASTER SUNDAY

You are invited to an EASTER BRUNCH between our 8:30 a.m. service and our 10:30 a.m. service. An EASTER EGG HUNT will take place after the second service shortly after 11:30 a.m. Come with your kids, and bring your cameras!



## THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

- Mon Apr 10** 6:00 PM Quilt Class—CH.
- Tue Apr 11** 9:00 AM Senior Exercise—CH,  
10:00 AM Sew n Sews—MMR, 11AM Chair Yoga--CH,  
1:00 PM, Bible Study—CH, 5:00 PM Bell Practice--HR,  
6:30 PM Board of Trustees--CH.
- Wed Apr 12** 9:00 AM Senior Exercise—CH, 9:00 AM Church Work Day,  
10:00 AM UWF Steering Committee--L, 6:30 PM JOY Circle--CH
- Thu Apr 13** 9:00 AM Senior Exercise---CH, 10 AM Clergy Cluster--MM.  
5:00 PM Bell Practice--HR, 6:30 PM Choir Rehearsal--S.
- Sat Apr 15** 11:00 AM Memorial Service for Judy Atwood in the Sanctuary,  
followed by a Reception in Criswell Hall.



- Sun Apr 16** 8:30 AM Contemporary Worship Service  
**Sun Apr 16** 10:30 AM Traditional Worship Service

### Abbreviation Legend

CH--Criswell Hall S--Sanctuary  
K--Kitchen L--Library Room #123  
MMR--McMillen Room #113  
PS--Pastor's Study HR--Handbell Rm  
#115

## FUTURE EVENTS

**Sun Apr 23--11:30-12:00** AGUMCC SUNDAY, followed by an Art Show, Silent Auction & Ice Cream Social.

**Sun Apr 30--4:00 PM** MOVIE "80 for Brady" starring Jane Fonda, Lily Tomlin, Rita Moreno, Sally Fields and Tom Brady. Four best friends embark on a wild trip to see their hero play in the 2017 Super Bowl. Program Ministry.



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April 9, 2023

10:30 AM

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### Easter Sunday

- PRELUDE *Come People of the Risen King* Getty/Townend
- INTROIT *Alleluia! He Lives* Joel Raney
- \*CALL TO WORSHIP
- Christ is risen!  
**The Lord is risen indeed!**  
Christ is risen!  
**Alleluia!**
- \*OPENING HYMN *Christ the Lord is Risen Today* verses 1-4 No. 302
- WELCOME
- OPENING PRAYER
- O God,  
Our light, our beauty, and our rest:  
In the resurrection of Your Son  
You have brought us into Your new creation.  
Form us into Your people, and order our lives in You,  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**
- CHILDREN'S MOMENT Carolyn Russell
- CHOIR ANTHEM *Sing to the King* Foote & Horne/arr.Mark Hayes