

## PARK LAKE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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# Easter Sunday

**April 17, 2022**

Order of Worship 10:30 am

### GATHERING

Easter Greeting

Prelude

Improvisation on Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Tom Hazelton

Will Benton, organist

reconstructed by John Hyunil Hong

Call to Worship

This is the day:

**when tears are wiped away; shattered hearts are mended; fears are replaced with joy.**

This is the day the Lord:

**rolls away the stone of fear; throws off death's clothes; goes ahead of us into God's future.**

This is the day the Lord has made:

**death has no fear for us; sin has lost its power over us;**

**God opens the tombs of our hearts to fill us with life.**

This is the day - Easter Day!

**Let us rejoice and be glad this day. Christ is Risen! Hallelujah!**

Prayer of Praise and Adoration

Hymn No. 232

Jesus Christ is Risen Today

Scripture Reading

Isaiah 65:17-25

Pew Bible, OT, p.654

Call to Confession

Unison Prayer of Confession

**God, our hope in life and death,**

**we confess we live as though death has the last word, as though Jesus is not risen.**

**We see the poor and do nothing to help.**

**We know people who are lonely and hurting, and do not speak to them.**

**We hear of injustice and think there's nothing we need to change.**

**We keep silent when we could speak the truth.**

**We live with fear, even when you tell us, "Don't be afraid."**

**Forgive us, Lord. Renew us in the power of your resurrection.** (silent prayers of confession)

Declaration of Forgiveness

Christ conquered death to restore us to life. Believe this good news. Live this resurrection.

Hope in God's promise because we are forgiven in Jesus Christ.

**Alleluia! Thanks be to God!**

Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you.

**And also with you.**

Hymn of Response No. 485

We Know That Christ is Raised

## THE WORD

### Welcoming the Children

*Following the time on the steps, children are invited to pick up a lap desk from the west side of the chancel and go sit on the floor near their families. This is PRAYground time. The children are provided with coloring and activity pages, as well as other supplies, allowing them to continue exploring today's gospel message.*

### Hymn No. 188

### Jesus Loves Me!

*(v1) Jesus loves me this I know, for the Bible tells me so. Little ones to him belong. they are weak, but he is strong.*

*Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me. The Bible tells me so.*

*(v.2) Jesus loves me! This I know, as he loved so long ago, taking children on his knee, saying "Let them come to me."*

*Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me. The Bible tells me so.*

### Scripture Reading

Luke 24:1-12

Pew Bible, NT, pg. 84

### Sermon

Easter's Question

Dr. Dan DeBevoise

### \*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

Glory to God Hymnal, pg. 17

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.  
And in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead;  
the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

### Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

### Offertory

Christ The Lord Is Risen Today  
Chancel Choir

Everett Titcomb

### Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

## SENDING

### Hymn No. 233

The Day of Resurrection

### Charge and Benediction

### Choral Response

Risen Indeed!  
Chancel Choir

Allen Pote

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**Ushers for April** are John Bowers, Pam Coburn, Vic Evans, Aaron Hull, John Hunter, Doug Lawton, John Rogers and Mark Sonderman. **Greeter** is Evie Park.

1 Je - sus Christ is risen to - day,  
 2 Hymns of praise then let us sing, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 3 But the pains which he en - dured,  
 4 Sing we to our God a - bove,

5

our tri - um - phant ho - ly day,  
 un - to Christ, our heavenly King, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 our sal - va - tion have pro - cured.  
 praise e - ter - nal as God's love.

9

who did once up - on the cross,  
 who en - dured the cross and grave, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Now a - bove the sky he's King,  
 Praise our God, ye heavenly host,

13

suf - fer to re - deem our loss.  
 sin - ners to re - deem and save. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 where the an - gels ev - er sing.  
 Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

# We Know That Christ Is Raised 485

Capo 3: (D)

(Asus) (A)

(A/G)

(D/F#)

F

Csus

C

C/B<sup>b</sup>

F/A



1 We know that Christ is raised and dies no more.  
 2 We share by wa - ter in his sav - ing death.  
 3 The Fa - ther's splen - dor clothes the Son with life.  
 4 A new cre - a - tion comes to life and grows

(D)

(A)

(D)

(E7)

(A)

F

C

F

G7

C



Em - braced by death he broke its fear - ful hold,  
 Re - born we share with him an Eas - ter life  
 The Spir - it's pow - er shakes the church of God.  
 as Christ's new bod - y takes on flesh and blood.

(Am)

(D)

(G)

(Em)

(Bm)

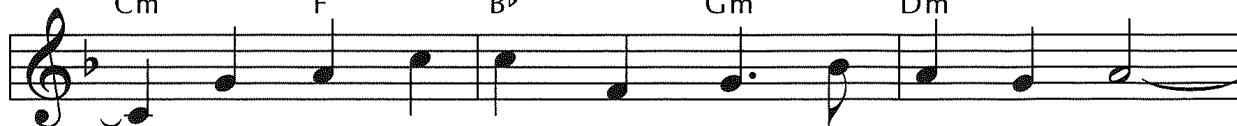
Cm

F

B<sup>b</sup>

Gm

Dm



and our de - spair he turned to blaz - ing joy.  
 as liv - ing mem - bers of a liv - ing Christ.  
 Bap - tized we live with God the Three in One.  
 The u - ni - verse, re - stored and whole, will sing:

1-3

4

(Em)

(D)

(Asus)

(A)

(Em)

(D)

Gm

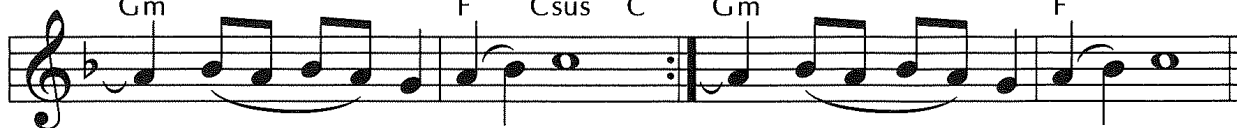
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Csus

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Al - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - ia!

*Guitar chords do not correspond with keyboard harmony.*

Beginning with an allusion to Romans 6:9, this exuberant baptismal hymn unfolds the implications of our incorporation into Christ's new life, making us "a new creation" (2 Corinthians 5:17). The text was written to fit this expansive tune by a distinguished British composer.

TEXT: John Brownlow Geyer, 1967, alt.

MUSIC: Charles Villiers Stanford, 1904

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ENGELBERG

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(this tune in a higher key, 641)

# Jesus Loves Me!

1 Je - sus loves me! This I know, for the Bi - ble tells me so.  
 2 Je - sus loves me! This I know, as he loved so long a - go,

Lit - tle ones to him be-long. They are weak, but he is strong.  
 tak - ing chil-dren on his knee, say - ing, "Let them come to me."

*Refrain*

Yes, Je - sus loves me! Yes, Je - sus loves me!

Yes, Je - sus loves me! The Bi - ble tells me so.

Few songs of faith have supported people from cradle to grave like this one. The great theologian Karl Barth said that its opening two lines were a summary of all that he had learned. The composer formed the refrain from those lines when creating this universally used tune.

# 233 The Day of Resurrection!

1 The day of res - ur - rec - tion! Earth, tell it out a - broad,  
 2 Let hearts be purged of e - vil that we may see a - right  
 3 Now let the heavens be joy - ful; let earth its song be - gin;

the Pass - o - ver of glad - ness, the Pass - o - ver of God.  
 the Lord in rays e - ter - nal of res - ur - rec - tion light,  
 the round world keep high tri - umph and all that is there - in.

From death to life e - ter - nal, from sin's do - min - ion free,  
 and lis - tening to his ac - cents, may hear, so calm and plain,  
 Let all things seen and un - seen their notes of glad - ness blend,

our Christ has brought us o - ver with hymns of vic - to - ry.  
 his own "All hail!" and hear - ing, may raise the vic - tor strain.  
 for Christ the Lord has ris - en, our joy that has no end.

The roots of this English text come from a mid-8th century Greek hymn that continues to be used in Orthodox churches at the midnight Eucharist marking the beginning of Easter. The tune is named for the county in northwestern England where the composer was then an organist.