



Welcome to Worship!
Seventh Sunday of Easter

Prelude

Gathering Song - "Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen!"

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

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

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

City of God, Easter forever, golden Jerusalem, Jesus the Lamb,
River of life, saints and archangels, sing with creation to God the I Am!

Opening

P - Alleluia! Christ is risen!

C - Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Thanksgiving for Baptism

P - Blessed be the Holy Trinity, one God, the fountain of living water, our light and our salvation.

C - Amen.

P - Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism, we are clothed with God's mercy and forgiveness. Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

C - We give you thanks, O God, for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters and by your Word you created the world, calling forth life in which you took delight.

P - Through the waters of the flood you delivered Noah and his family. Through the sea you led your people Israel from slavery into freedom. At the river your Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Holy Spirit.

C - By water and your Word you claim us as daughters and sons, making us heirs of your promise and servants of all.

P - We praise you for the gift of water that sustains life, and above all we praise you for the gift of new life in Jesus Christ.

C - Shower us with your Spirit. And renew our lives with your forgiveness, grace, and love.

P - To you be given honor and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

C - Amen.

Greeting

P - The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C - And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

P - Lord of the resurrection,

C - you died and were raised so that ultimately death would not prevail. Remind us daily that sin, and even death, have no power over us. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Announcements

Children's Time - Judy Jacobson

Reading - 1 Corinthians 15:1-26, 51-57

L - Word of God, word of life!

C - Thanks be to God!

Song - "Neither Death nor Life"

Neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor trials in the present, nor any trial to come, neither height, nor depth, nor all of creation can ever separate us from the love of God poured out in Christ Jesus, our Lord.

Dwell in the one who raised Christ from the dead;
Though your body shall die, in Christ you shall rise
Through the Spirit who brings you to life.

All who are led by the Spirit shall live as children of God,
And heirs with Christ Jesus, God's adopted and chosen and loved.

Who can separate us from the love of Christ?

Will hardship or distress, persecution or famine, or nakedness or peril or sword?

Sermon

Song - "Jesus Messiah"

He became sin, who knew no sin;
That we might become His righteousness;
He humbled Himself, and carried the cross.
Love so amazing, Love so amazing.

Jesus, Messiah; Name above all names;
Blessed Redeemer; Emmanuel.
The Rescue for sinners, the Ransom from heaven;
Jesus, Messiah, Lord of all.

His body the bread, His blood the wine
Broken and poured out, all for love.
The whole earth trembled, and the veil was torn.
Love so amazing, Love so amazing.

All our hope is in You, all our hope is in You;
All the glory to You, God, the Light of the world.

Apostle's Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe 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.*
On the third day he rose again;
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 universal church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the Church

Song - "Set A Fire"

No place I would rather be (x3) than here in Your love, here in Your love.

So set a fire down in my soul that I can't contain and I can't control.
I want more of You God; I want more of You God.

Thanksgiving for the Word

Lord's Prayer

C - Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Blessing

P - The blessing of the Lord God Almighty,

C - the blessing of Christ, the Lamb who was slain,

P - and the blessing of the Holy Spirit of truth be among you and remain with you always.

C - Amen

Sending Song - "Stand In Your Love"

When darkness tries to roll over my bones,
When sorrow comes to steal the joy I own,
When brokenness and pain is all I know,
I won't be shaken, I won't be shaken.

My fear doesn't stand a chance when I stand in Your love. (x3)

Shame no longer has a place to hide;
I am not a captive to the lies.
I'm not afraid to leave my past behind.
I won't be shaken, I won't be shaken.

My fear doesn't stand a chance when I stand in Your love. (x3)

There's power that can break off ev'ry chain.
There's power that can empty out a grave.
There's resurrection power that can save.
There's power in Your name, power in Your name.

My fear...

Dismissal

A - Alleluia! Go in peace. Share the good news!

C - Thanks be to God! Alleluia!

Postlude

Readings for Next Sunday: 1 Corinthians 12:1-13; Acts 2:1-11 and Mark 1:4-8

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