

ALIVE
with
Christ





SUNDAY, APRIL 12, 2020

Easter Sunday

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Choral Introit

The Gospel Song

Call to Worship

Song

Christ the Lord is Risen Today – #152

Prayers of the People

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Old Testament

Psalm 16:7-11

Message

Rev. Keith Fink

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Romans 6:8-14

WE CELEBRATE AT GOD'S TABLE

Sacrament of Communion

WE DEPART TO SERVE GOD'S WORLD

Song

Thine Is the Glory – #161

Benediction

Benediction Response

Hallelujah Chorus

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I. The Story: Matthew 28:1-10

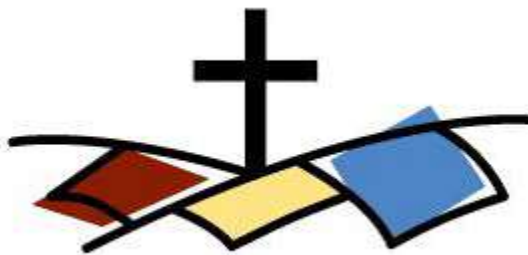
II. Our Union with Christ in Death and Life (Rom. 6:8-10)
A) We died with Christ (8) and He died to sin (10)
B) We live with Him (8) and He lives to God (10)

III. Our Considering/ Reckoning it to be True for Us (Rom. 6:11)
A) Dead to Sin
B) Alive to God

IV. Living into Our New Identity (Rom. 6:12-14)

Points to Ponder: Those who are united to Jesus live in the overlap of two ages. We know the pain and frustration of this age which has yet to be terminated; and yet gloriously we also know something of the age that is to come. Let's ponder: How might these truths cause us to see these uncertain times differently from others? In what area of my life do I need to again acknowledge the fact that we are not who we once were - for we have died with Him and have been made alive in Him?

Next Week: Next Week we will begin a new Sermon Series entitled *Adventures in Kings* which will be taken from the book of 2 Kings. Join us virtually as we consider **2 Kings 1:1-17 A God to Take Seriously**.



Christ the Lord Is Risen Today

Christ the Lord is risen today. Alleluia!
Sons of men and angels say: Alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high. Alleluia!
Sing ye heavens and earth reply Alleluia!

Lives again our glorious King; Alleluia!
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!
Once he died our souls to save. Alleluia!
Where thy victory, O grave? Alleluia!

Soar we now where Christ has led. Alleluia!
Following our exalted Head. Alleluia!
Made like Him like Him we rise; Alleluia
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies. Alleluia!

Words by Charles Wesley, 1739

Music arr. from *Lyra Davidica*, London, 1708

Thine Is the Glory

Thine is the glory, risen conquering Son
Endless is the victory Thou o'er hast won
Angels in bright raiment rolled the stone away
Kept the folded graveclothes where Thy body lay

Thine is the glory, risen conquering Son
Endless is the victory Thou o'er hast won

Lo! Jesus meets Thee, risen from the tomb
Lovingly He greets Thee, scatters fear and gloom
Let His church with gladness Hymns of triumph sing
For the Lord now liveth, death hath lost its sting

Thine is the glory, risen conquering Son
Endless is the victory Thou o'er hast won

Words by Edmond L. Budry, 1884 (tr. Richard B. Hoyle)

Music by George Frederick Handel, 1746