



# **Contemporary Communion Service**

## ***The Resurrection of Our Lord***

**March 31, 2024    10:45 a.m.**



## **OPENING WORSHIP**

**“This is Amazing Grace”**

### **Verse 1**

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness  
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger  
The King of Glory the King above all kings

### **Verse 2**

Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder  
Who leaves us breathless in awe and wonder  
The King of Glory the King above all kings

### **Chorus 1**

(Yeah) This is amazing grace  
This is unfailing love  
That You would take my place  
That You would bear my cross  
You laid down Your life  
That I would be set free  
Jesus I sing for all that You've done for me

### **Verse 3**

Who brings our chaos back into order  
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter  
The King of Glory the King of Glory

### **Verse 4**

Who rules the nations with truth and justice  
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance  
The King of Glory the King above all kings

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### **(Bridge)**

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain  
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave  
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Worthy worthy worthy

### **Chorus 1**

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## **WELCOME AND GREETING**

### **SONG**

**“You Are My King”**

#### **Verse 1**

I'm forgiven  
Because You were forsaken  
I'm accepted  
You were condemned  
I'm alive and well  
Your Spirit is within me  
Because You died  
And rose again

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#### **Chorus 1**

Amazing love  
How can it be  
That You my King  
Would die for me  
Amazing love  
I know it's true  
It's my joy to honor You  
In all I do I honor You

**Verse 1**

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**Chorus 1**

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**Misc 1**

(ENDING)

You are my King  
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Jesus You are my King  
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**Chorus 1**

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## **CONFESSION**

## **WORDS OF FORGIVENESS**

### **THE OLD TESTAMENT READING**

**Isaiah 25:6-9**

R: The Old Testament Reading for the Resurrection of Our Lord is from the 25<sup>th</sup> chapter of Isaiah.

On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wine, of rich food full of marrow, of aged wine well refined. And he will swallow up on this mountain the covering that is cast over all peoples, the veil that is spread over all nations. He will swallow up death forever; and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has spoken. It will be said on that day, "Behold, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us. This is the LORD; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."

R: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

### **EPISTLE READING**

**I Corinthians 15:1-11**

R: The Epistle Reading is from the 15<sup>th</sup> chapter of First Corinthians.

Now I would remind you, brothers, of the gospel I preached to you, which you received, in which you stand, and by which you are being saved, if you hold fast to the word I preached to you - unless you believed in vain. For I delivered to you as of first

importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have fallen asleep. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unworthy to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me was not in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them, though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we preach and so you believed.

R: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God!**

## **THE HOLY GOSPEL**

## **Mark 16:1-8**

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the 16<sup>th</sup> chapter.

When the Sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices so that they might go to anoint Jesus' body. Very early on the first day of the week, just after sunrise, they were on their way to the tomb and they asked each other, "Who will roll the stone away from the entrance of the tomb?" But when they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had been rolled away. As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man dressed in a white robe sitting on the right side, and they were alarmed. "Don't be alarmed," he said. "You are looking for Jesus the Nazarene, who was crucified. He has risen! He is not here. See the place where they laid him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter, 'He is going ahead of you into Galilee. There you will see him, just as he told you.'" Trembling and bewildered, the women went out and fled from the tomb. They said nothing to anyone because they were afraid.

## **APOSTLES' CREED**

**C:** 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 Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## **CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**MESSAGE**                      *"Of First Importance"*

**VOLUNTARY**                *"You Are For Me"*

**Sheila Gardner, John Priebe**

As we listen to the Voluntary, we ask that each worship household fill out the attendance "Green Card," located in your ministry folder. Please place them in the offering plate when you leave. Thank you.

## **PRAYERS**

### **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**A:** 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

## **WORDS OF INSTITUTION**



## COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

## “Remembrance”

### Verse 1

I take the bread of life  
Broken for all my sin  
Your body crucified  
To make me whole again

### Verse 2

I will recall the cup  
Poured out in sacrifice  
To trade this sinner's end  
For Your new covenant

### Chorus 1

Hallelujah  
I'll live my life in remembrance  
Hallelujah  
Your promise I won't forget

### Verse 3

I'll walk salvation's road  
With fear and trembling  
Your way borne as my own  
As Christ is formed in me

### Chorus 1

Hallelujah  
I'll live my life in remembrance  
Hallelujah  
Your promise I won't forget

## **Chorus 2**

If ever I should lose my way  
If ever I deny Your grace  
Remind me of the price You paid  
Hallelujah  
I'll live in remembrance

## **Bridge**

You've been so so good to me  
You've been so so good to me  
Oh to think where I would be  
If not for You  
If not for You

## **Chorus 3**

As far as heights reach from the depths  
As far as east is from the west  
So far Your grace has carried me

## **Chorus 4**

Until I see You face to face  
Until at last I've won my race  
Remind me You're not finished yet

## **Tag**

Hallelujah  
Hallelujah  
Hallelujah I'll live in remembrance

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## **COMMUNION BLESSING**

## **THE SENDING**

## SONG OF SENDING

## “My Redeemer Lives”

I know He rescued my soul  
His blood has covered my sin  
I believe I believe  
My shame He's taken away  
My pain is healed in His name  
I believe I believe  
I'll raise a banner  
'Cause my Lord has conquered the grave

My Redeemer lives  
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You lift my burden  
I'll rise with You  
I'm dancing on this mountaintop  
To see Your kingdom come

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