# ORDER OF SERVICE April 4, 2021 10:00 AM

## **Prayer of Preparation**

God of life, we praise you for the miracle of Easter. We pray for great joy for ourselves and for all who worship today to celebrate Jesus' resurrection. May our hearts burn within us and our faith be strengthened by your presence and power. Amen.

## Call to Worship

"Easter Prelude: Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

## Easter Greeting

#### Welcome & Greeting

## Songs of Praise

"Christ The Lord Is Risen Today"

## **Corporate Prayer of Confession**

Almighty God, you have raised Jesus from the grave and crowned him Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed before him as we should, or acknowledged his rule in our lives each day. Through the resurrection of Jesus, you shattered the power of sin and death. We confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear, bound by the ways that lead to death. Forgive us, O God of mercy, and raise us from sin, that we may be your faithful people. Resurrect hope in us, that we may live in freedom. Help us to trust your power to make us new, that we may know the joy of life abundant given in Jesus Christ, the risen Lord, in whose name we continue to pray.

## **Personal Prayers of Confession**

## The Lord's Prayer

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 sins, as we forgive those who sin 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. Amen.

## Song of Assurance

"Scandal of Grace"

## Easter Story

Luke 24:1-12

## Children's Message

Offering: "Thine Is The Glory"

## Sermon

"Recognizing Resurrection"

## Sacrament of Communion

## Pastoral Praver

## Song of Sending

"Christ Is Risen He Is Risen Indeed"

## Benediction

## Postlude

"I Know that My Redeemer Liveth"

**Twelve Bell Ensemble** Art Nelson, Trumpet & Linda Clugston, Organ

> Neil Trainer Barry & Catherine Baker

> > **Emily Mitchell**

Worship Ensemble

Linda Clugston, Organ



Parrilla Family & Nisha

The Wu Family

Emily Mitchell **Barry & Catherine Baker Neil Trainer**