

Washington Street United Methodist Church OUTDOOR SERVICE

April 4, 2021 Easter Sunday

GATHERING MUSIC Rick Frierson, piano

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

PROCESSIONAL HYMN 302 "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" Adorning the Worship Space

EASTER HYMN

(1, 5, 6)

Christ the Lord is risen today,

Alleluia!

Earth and heaven in chorus say,

Alleluia!

Raise your joys and triumphs high,

Alleluia!

Sing, ye heavens, and earth reply,

Alleluia!

Hail the Lord of earth and heaven,

Alleluia!

Praise to thee by both be given,

Alleluia!

Thee we greet triumphant now,

Alleluia!

Hail the Resurrection, thou.

Alleluia!

King of glory, soul of bliss,

Alleluia!

Everlasting life is this,

Alleluia!

Thee to know, thy power to prove,

Alleluia!

Thus to sing, and thus to love,

Alleluia!

Pato Aravena, tenor: Rick Frierson, piano

Words: Charles Wesley, 1739; Music: Easter Hymn, Lyra Davidica, 1708

CALL TO WORSHIP

ONE: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

ALL: Christ is risen, indeed! Alleluia!

ONE: This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

ALL: Christ is risen, indeed! Alleluia! *

OPENING PRAYER

Almighty God,

through Jesus Christ you overcame death

and opened to us the gate of everlasting life.

Grant that we,

who celebrate the day of our Lord's resurrection,

may, by the renewing of your Spirit

arise from the death of sin to the life of righteousness;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

WELCOME

SOLO Alleluia, Sing To Jesus

Pato Aravena, tenor; Rick Frierson, piano

GOSPEL LESSON

Mark 16:1-8

PROCLAMATION "The Unfinished Narrative"

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

We believe in one God:

Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Our God is the true and living God,

worthy to receive glory and honor and power.

God created all things:

by God's will they existed and were created.

We believe in the Lord Jesus Christ:

all things came into being through him.

He is the image of the invisible God,

the firstborn of all creation.

In him all things in heaven and on earth were created.

He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together.

Being in the form of God, he emptied himself,

he took the form of a slave,

and was born in human likeness.

Being found in human form, he humbled himself:

he became obedient to the point of death

-even death on a cross.

Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures;

he was buried:

he was raised on the third day

according to the scriptures.

God also highly exalted Jesus:

God gave him the name that is above every name.

God has put all things under his feet:

God made him the head over all things for the

church, which is his body.

We believe that Jesus died and rose again:

through Jesus, God will bring with him

those who have died.

As all die in Adam.

so all will be made alive in Christ.

Thanks be to God

who gives us the victory.

THE GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

HYMN 2267 (1, 2, 3)

"Taste and See"

RAQUEL

arr. Mark Hayes

Reverend Parrish

During the singing of the hymn, please prepare the elements that you brought from home for distribution among your family or the elements provided here at the service. If you need the elements, please visit the registration table or signal one of the ushers.

Refrain:

Taste and see, taste and see the goodness of the Lord. O taste and see, taste and see the goodness of the Lord, of the lord.

> Pato Aravena, tenor; Rick Frierson, piano Words: Carl. P. Daw, Jr.; Music: Raquel, Skinner Gavez-Melo

THE SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION (See Insert)

PRAYER OF RESPONSE

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery of death and resurrection in which you have revealed the depth of your love for us. Grant that we may go into the world in the joy and hope of Easter, and in the power and strength of your Spirit to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (In Unison)

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. Amen.

HYMN 303 "The Day of Resurrection" LANCASHIRE

(1, 2, 3)

- 1. The day of resurrection!
 Earth, tell it out abroad;
 the passover of gladness,
 the passover of God.
 From death to life eternal,
 from earth unto the sky,
 our Christ hath brought us over,
 with hymns of victory.
- 2. Our hearts be pure from evil, that we may see aright the Lord in rays eternal of resurrection light; and listening to his accents, may hear, so calm and plain, his own "All hail!" and, hearing, may raise the victor strain.
- B. Now let the heavens be joyful!
 Let earth the song begin!
 Let the round world keep triumph,
 and all that is therein!
 Let all things seen and unseen
 their notes in gladness blend,
 for Christ the Lord hath risen,
 our joy that hath no end.

Pato Aravena, tenor; Rick Frierson, piano

Words: John of Damascus, trans. By John Mason Neale, 1862; Music: Lancashire, Henry T. Smart, 1835

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Rick Frierson, piano

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The Liturgy for Holy Communion

ONE: The Lord be with you. **ALL:** And also with you.

ONE: Lift up your hearts.

ALL: We lift them up to the Lord.

ONE: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **ALL:** It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing,

always and everywhere to give thanks to you, almighty God, creator of heaven and earth....

...And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ.

By the baptism of his suffering, death, and resurrection you gave birth to your Church,....

.....And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Please take the elements in your hands. If you need elements, please raise your hand and one of the ushers will bring them to you.

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, and on these gifts of bread and wine that we have prepared....
...Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty *God*, now and forever. **Amen.**

Let us Share in the Feast

Easter Hydrangeas 2021

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