

Easter Sunday

Blended Worship Service

(Traditional & Contemporary Elements)

The Gathering 8:15 a.m.

Date: March 27, 2016

- *Childcare is available for children 5 and under downstairs in the nursery.*
- *Hearing Assistance Devices are available. Please ask one of the ushers.*
- *Please write PRAYERS on a prayer paper and place in the offering plate as it is passed.*

Welcome to Worship

** indicates please rise in body or spirit*

8:00 Pre-Service Music:

“Did You Feel the Mountain,” “At the Name of Jesus,” “Your Love, O Lord”

Introduction to Worship and Prayer

Prelude

“Sing This Joyful Morning”
Sounds of Faith & Ringers of Glory

By Raney

Bringing in the Light of Christ

***Call to Worship**

On Screen

***Passing the Peace**

***Worship in Song** “Christ the Lord Is Risen Today” #302 Hymnal (vv. 1-3, 5)
(Children are invited to move up front for the Children’s Gathering on last verse.)

Children’s Gathering

(Please Pass Attendance Pads)
Books of the New Testament Song

On Screen

Scripture Reading

Philippians 4:10-13, 18-20

#1830 Pew Bible

Leader: This is the Word of God for the People of God.

People: THANKS BE TO GOD!

****“Gloria Be”**

On screen

Ministry of Music

“The Lord is Risen This Morning”
Celebration Voices

By Price / Besig

Sermon:

“God’s Purpose-Full Prayer Plan for Life
Prayer and Gratitude”
Pastor Steve Reinhard
(Message Notes are included on the back of the bulletin)
A Time of Reflection on the Word of God

***Worship in Song**

“He Lives”

#310 Hymnal

Offering of our Gifts and Lives / Offertory Prayer

- *Whether making a donation or not, EVERYONE is invited to touch the offering plates, offering a prayer to give ourselves to God in heart, soul, mind and strength.*

Offertory

"Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones"
****“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”**
***Dedication of Our Gifts / Communal Blessing**

Arr. by Dunford
#94 Hymnal

Prayer Requests -- Sharing of Our Joys and Concerns

Pastor’s Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer

Welcoming Our Guests

***Song of Sending Forth**

“The Lord Whom We Love”

On Screen

***Closing Blessing and Sending to Serve**

On Screen

Postlude

"Alleluia! The Strife Is O’er"

Arr. by Smith

***Following worship you are invited to stay for fellowship in Baldrige Hall at the east end of the building.