

Our Service of Worship

Easter Day

10:55 am

April 16, 2017

*We invite those who are able, to stand during these acts of worship

Gathering Music

Prelude

Celebration

Michael Norris, Organist

David Paxton

Anthem (1)

Christ is Risen

Chancel Choir

Resurrection Account from Luke

Luke 24:1-9 (CEV)

Very early on Sunday morning the women went to the tomb, carrying the spices that they had prepared.

They found the stone rolled away from the entrance.

They went in the tomb, but did not find the body of the Lord

Jesus, and they did not know what to think.

Suddenly two men in shining white clothes stood beside them. T

The women were afraid and bowed to the ground.

But the men in shining white said, "Why are you looking in the place of the dead for someone who is alive? Jesus isn't here! He has been raised from death.

*Hymn

Aleluia! Alleluia!

Up From the Grave He Arose

Christ the Lord Is Risen Today

(insert)

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*Affirmation of Faith

WE are eager to reaffirm what we believe---that Jesus Christ is our Lord and Savior.

WE believe that He came to live with us on earth and then was tortured and killed for our sake as our loving redeemer.

WE believe that He rose from the dead on the third day and that He is now back in Glory with the Father as our Advocate.

WE believe He sent the Holy Spirit to fill us with His power and to equip us to unite in service.

WE believe that we are One in His body, the church, and that it is our responsibility to share His Grace and Truth in the world.

WE joyously state our belief that God in Christ is the ONLY One who can bridge the generation gap, the social gap, the acceptance gap and most of all the death gap. Jesus Is Lord of all.

*Hand Bells

Christ the Lord is Risen Today

*Hymn

Easter Song

Hear the bells ring-ing they're sing-ing that we can be born a-gain!
Hear the bells ring-ing they're sing-ing Christ is ris-en from the dead!
The an-gel up on the tomb-stone said, "He is ri-sen just as he said.
Quick-ly now, go tell His dis-ci-ples that Je-sus Christ is no long-er
dead. Joy to the world, He is ri-sen, Al-le-lu-ia! He is ri-sen, Al-le-lu-
ia! He is ri-sen, Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia!!

Greeting

Prayer

Story for All Ages

Jesus Loves Me

Amy Rooks

Call to Giving

Offertory Bells

Come Christians Join to Sing

*Doxology

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Prayer of Dedication

Anthem (2)

Lamb of God

Chancel Choir

Sermon

"CPR of Easter"

Rev. Ankeny

*Hymn

Thine Be the Glory

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*Benediction (3x)

He is Risen!

He is Risen indeed!

Postlude

Celebrate Life

Michael Norris, Organist

Beryl Red

Worship Matters

We want to **remember and lift up in prayer**: Mike Taylor and all who are home bound. Also the men and women serving in our military especially those overseas and our sister church Santa Clara in Cuba.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Each Sunday – 12:15pm – Hand Bell rehearsal

Children’s Church Helper:

April 23 – Betty Suber

Tuesday, April 18

1pm – UMW Cir #1

6pm – Church Council

Saturday, April 29 – 9am

NW District UMW “Day Apart” – Salem UMC, Havana

Guest speaker: Dr. Latricia Scriven, Exec. Dir. of FAMU Wesley Foundation

Sunday, April 30 – UMW Sunday

Guest speaker: Gail Christy-Jones

Tuesday, May 2 – 10:30am

You are invited to break ground at the Madison Youth Ranch for a Chapel and the Counseling and Support Services Center.

RSVP to church office by April 25.

Our Presence Last Week

Worship last Sunday	95
Sunday school	21

Our Stewardship Last Week

General Fund 2017	\$1,720.00
Plate cash	118.67
Sunday school	16.00

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