

Sr. Youth Sunrise Service



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Hartley United Methodist Church
April 21, 2019

THE COMING OF DAWN OUT OF DARKNESS

April 21, 2019

7:00 A.M.

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WELCOME

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN

"Alleluia, He Is Coming"

Butler

*CALL TO CELEBRATION

J.P. Mutombo

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

May all the darkness of our hearts and minds be dispelled by the Light of Christ who rises on Easter morning with glory.

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

THE FIRST LIGHT

Jennie Riedemann, Liz Mutombo

SCRIPTURE LESSON **Isaiah 25:6-9**

Now at last he is here. Christ has risen, he is alive. Let us remove the crepe from the cross.

THE SECOND LIGHT

Jessica Riedemann, Taya Mason

SCRIPTURE LESSON **Psalms 118:1-2, 14-24**

As we then rededicate ourselves to the proclamation of the Love of God made man, crucified for us, and resurrected for our sakes, let us uncover the pulpit and the lectern, the repositories of the mighty Word of God.

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

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THE THIRD LIGHT

Paige Dagel, Natasha Adrian

SCRIPTURE LESSON **I Corinthians 15:19-28**

Our altar lies bare and empty before us, ready for the sacrificial animal. But - no longer is it necessary for us to buy the perfect lamb, the pair of pure white doves, to lay before the priest for him to offer as sacrifice in our name. Our Christ has offered himself for all time. And so our altar need no longer be dripping with the blood of slain animals, no longer must the incense and smoke rise to Heaven. The sacrifice is complete.

And so, we return to the altar the brass vases and the linen, making our altar pleasing to God in its beauty, and an everlasting symbol of the completed sacrifice.

THE FOURTH LIGHT

Brenton Thomas, Jayna Dolphin

SCRIPTURE LESSON **John 1:1-15**

In the beginning was the Word; the Word was with God and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning. Through him all things came to be, not one thing had its being but through him. All that came to be had life in him and that life was the light of men, a light that shines in the dark, a light that darkness could not overpower.

What is the Word? The Word is the truth of the love of God for his creation, the Word is the light that brightens our weary way and gives peace and courage in darkness, the Word is the Son of God made man.

Without the Word, we are lost, trembling our way through a hostile world. With the Word, we have guidance and trustworthy help in all things. We therefore restore to the altar the Word of God, so that the proclamation of the Risen Lord may be made to all men.

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN

"In Christ Alone"

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(* congregation rises)

THE FIFTH LIGHT

Taya Mason, Carley Vial

SCRIPTURE LESSON **I Peter 1:3-9**

Beloved is the Lord, on this most holy day. Let us celebrate Christ's glorious Resurrection and rejoice with great joy.

The Apostle Paul says: We are buried with him by baptism into death that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life. For if we have been planted together in the likeness of his death, we shall be also in the likeness of his Resurrection; knowing this, that our old self is crucified with him, that the body of sin might be destroyed, that henceforth we should not serve sin...likewise, reckon ye also your selves to be dead indeed unto sin, but alive unto God through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Let us renew the promises once made in Holy Baptism.

Do you truly and earnestly repent of your sins and accept Jesus Christ as your Savior?

I do.

Do you believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; and in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life?

I do.

Will you then obediently keep God's holy will and commandments and walk in the same all the days of your life?

I will, by God's help.

Let us pray.

O merciful God, grant that all sinful affections may die in these thy servants, and that all things belonging to thy Spirit may live and grow in them. Grant that they may have the power and strength to triumph over evil, may receive the fullness of thy grace, and ever remain in the number of thy faithful and beloved children; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE SIXTH LIGHT

Paige Dage, Natasha Adrian

SCRIPTURE LESSON **Mark 16:1-2**

But simply saying, "I believe" isn't enough. The Epistle of James tells us that faith without works is useless. And there are many ways in which we can show our faith through works. There are the many, individual personal things that we can do for others. Mary Magdalene, and Mary, the mother of James, and Salome did what they could by buying spices and anointing his body. And there are the things that can be done in the name of the Church through our contributions of money and talents and time.

Therefore, we will return to the altar the collection plates, not merely as representative of the collection of money, but also our contributions of all that we are in whatever capacity we may serve. Let us not return them empty, but with our tithes and offerings.

OFFERTORY

"Come Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain of Triumphant Gladness"

Sullivan

*DOXOLOGY

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

JP Mutombo

THE SEVENTH LIGHT

Liz Mutombo, Jennie Riedemann

SCRIPTURE LESSON **Mark 16:3-8**

Easter morning has come once again! Once again we celebrate the Risen Lord! Alleluia! Alleluia! Christ has risen! He is risen indeed! Once more the shadows of the world have been driven away by the Light of the World. Once more we may rest, secure in the knowledge that death has been conquered, that sin can be vanquished by the might of the Love of God made man.

Alleluia! Christ has risen! Christ has risen indeed!

"CHRIST IS RISEN" VIDEO

Matt Maher

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*CONGREGATIONAL HYMN

"Because He Lives"

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*BENEDICTION

Once more we celebrate the dawning of yet another Easter. May the peace of the Risen Lord fill your hearts this day and through the days to come, that in your lives, your thoughts and your hearts, you glorify the Resurrected One, Jesus Christ, the same yesterday, today and forever.

And now depart in peace; the peace of the Lord go with you. Amen.

*CONGREGATIONAL HYMN

"Days of Elijah"

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ORGANIST: Bonnie Linder

USHERS: J.P. Mutombo, Darin Patton, Dawson Schiphoff, Brenton Thomas

MULTIMEDIA:

PowerPoint: Jazzmyn Adrian

Sound: Larry Espey

GOOD MORNING! The Sr. Youth welcome you to this Easter worship service at HUMC. We are delighted to have you share in this service. A special welcome to any visitors who may be with us today.

FOLLOWING THIS SERVICE you are invited to come to Fellowship Hall for the Easter Breakfast served by the Middle School students, sponsors and their parents. Freewill offering.

REMINDER: The Sub Sandwich Order forms are due this Wednesday, April 24th. Blank order forms are located on the Mission Table in the entryway for your convenience. Please either drop them off in the office or hand the filled out order forms to Kari Schiphoff. Thank you!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY: 8:00 a.m. Easter Breakfast in Fellowship Hall
10:30 a.m. Easter Worship Service
No Youth Groups

NEXT SUNDAY: 9:15 am Adult Bible Study
10:30 a.m. Worship Service and Confirmation



EASTER LILIES are given in loving memory of:

Paul Linder from Bonnie Linder & family

Delbert "Bush" Westphalen and Mr. & Mrs. O.M. "Joe" Burley from Arla Rae Westphalen and family

Les & Margret Getting & Jerry Getting from Don & Susie Stanley and family

Fiesta Foods