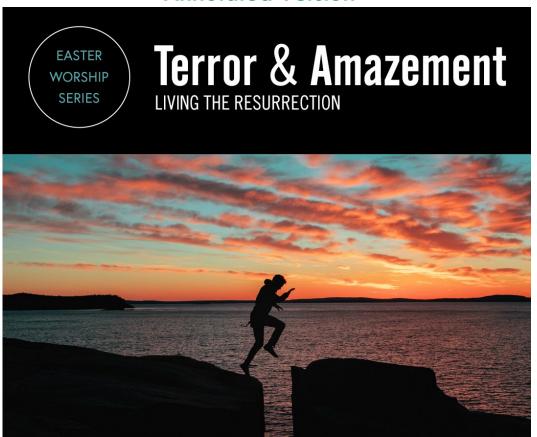
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First United Methodist Church of Gilbert

Serving, Giving, Welcoming, Growing in the likeness of Christ

April 4, 2021 **EASTER SUNDAY**

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Welcome!

Services at 8:30 and 10:00 am • See gilbertumc.org for important information

Pre-service Slides: Attendance Links, Upcoming Worship Series

Pre-service Music: "Low In the Grave He Lay" | "Because He Lives" Piano

by Robert Lowry; public domain | UM Hymnal #364 WORDS and MUSIC: William J. Gaither; Gloria Gaither

Ringing of the Bell

Welcome and Greeting Cue Video Pastor Diamond and The Redman Family

Bringing in the Light of Christ

Altar

Prelude "Lift High the Cross" Organ

CCLI Song # 6169301 Romanacce | Cook | Cook © 2011 Sovereign Grace Worship (Capitol CMG et al.)

Call to Worship

Pulpit: Gunter Scharff; Lindsy Lillie

Leader: Look, life is here,

People: even when the tomb is empty.

Leader: Listen, love is calling,

People: even when death is all around. Leader: Believe, for hope reigns victorious;

People: this is the gift of resurrection. Leader: This is the miracle of Easter.

All: Hallelujah! Amen.

Organ + Choir processes in Cue: Lyrics

Opening Hymn/Processional "Christ The Lord is Risen Today" vs. 1-4 #302

UM Hymnal #302 WORDS: Charles Wesley MUSIC: Lyra Davidica

Opening Prayer

Pulpit: Gunter Scharff; Lindsy Lillie

Risen Christ, rise in our hearts with faith. Raise our voices in praise, and lift our eyes to the hills of hope. Reveal to us your presence. Raise us up to new life, even as you were risen, that we may proclaim to the world: "Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed!" Amen.

Anthem "Then Came The Morning" Choir, Piano

CCLI # 30921 Chris Christian | Gloria Gaither | William |. Gaither © 1983 Gaither Music (Gaither © Mgmt)

Scripture Readings 1 Corinthians 15:1-10 | Mark 16:1-8

Lectern: Diamond | Pulpit: Gunter Scharff; Lindsy Lillie

Message Pulpit: Pastor Rick

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Choir, Piano Cue: Lyrics

Hymn of Response "Becan

"Because He Lives" vs. 1

#364

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Offering Lectern: Diamond

Offertory "This is Amazing Grace" (10:00) Praise Band *CCLI Song # 6333821 Jeremy Riddle | Josh Farro | Phil Wickham © 2012 Phil Wickham Music (BMG) et al.*

Presentation of the Offering "Praise God, from whom all Blessings Flow" #95

UMC Hymnal #95 Thomas Ken, 1674 Choir; Organ; Cross Cue: Lyrics

Offering Prayer

Lectern: Diamond

Mighty God of Resurrection Power: You offer us life that overcomes death, light that overcomes darkness, hope that overcomes our deepest despair! What could we possibly offer in return? Our tithes and gifts, yes; but our minds, hearts, and bodies, as well. May the "Alleluias!" we offer leave this place with us to bring hope to everyone we meet! In the Risen Christ, we pray. Amen.

Closing Song "He Lives" vs. 1, 3 #310

UM Hymnal #310 WORDS and MUSIC: Alfred H. Ackley Cue: Lyrics Choir+Organ

Blessing <u>Cue: Lyrics</u> Center

Pastor: Christ is risen!

People: Alleluia!

Pastor: The tomb is empty.

People: Alleluia!

Pastor: Go in peace with joy to meet the risen Christ.

People: Alleluia! Amen!

Postlude "Because He Lives" (Reprise) Organ

UM Hymnal #364 WORDS and MUSIC: William J. Gaither; Gloria Gaither

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Thank you for joining our services today!

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Music Director: Randy Van Der Pol Organist: Jeffrey Hendrickson

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