



First United Methodist Church of Gilbert

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

April 9, 2023

EASTER SUNDAY—6:00AM—SUNRISE SERVICE

Stream, Attendance, Prayer Request and Comment online at gilbertumc.org

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Song of Praise**“Living Hope”***CCLI Song # 7106807 Brian Johnson | Phil Wickham © Phil Wickham Music (Fair Trade Music) et al.***Scripture Reading**

Matthew 28:1-10

Message

Pastor Rick Casebolt

Pastoral Prayer**The Lord’s Prayer****Song of Response****“Because He Lives” vs. 1***CCLI Song # 16880 Words and Music by Gloria and William J. Gaither***Offering*****Doxology*****Offering Prayer**

Mighty God of Resurrection and Redemption, we offer our gifts alongside our alleluias! We long for Easter to fill us and soak into our bones like those who were confronted in a graveyard by angels announcing, “He is not here, he is risen!”

May we run from here, not walk, because we and every corner of the world so desperately need to hear the news the angels share! Before we speak a word, may others see in our faces that the world has been turned upside down. You win; death loses. In the name of the risen Christ, we pray. Amen.

Closing Song*“He Lives” vs. 1-3****#310***UM Hymnal #310 WORDS and MUSIC: Alfred H. Ackley****Blessing**

Thank you for joining our service this morning!

If you have any questions or comments please contact us at connection@gilbertumc.org

CLERGY: Pastor Rick Casebolt and Pastor Adriana Hernandez

MUSIC DIRECTOR: Randy Van Der Pol

FirstKidz and Resurrection Episcopal Church Present
Easter Egg Hunt
All are welcome!  10:30 am April 9
Everyone is invited to a combined Easter Egg Hunt!
The entire family can gather eggs filled with
Easter blessings and surprises!

**Pancake Breakfast
on Easter Sunday
All are Welcome!**

BSA Scouting is hosting Easter Breakfast
on Sunday, April 9 from 7 -11am in the Activity Center

All families and friends are welcome – you don't have
to be a member of the Church or Scouting unit.

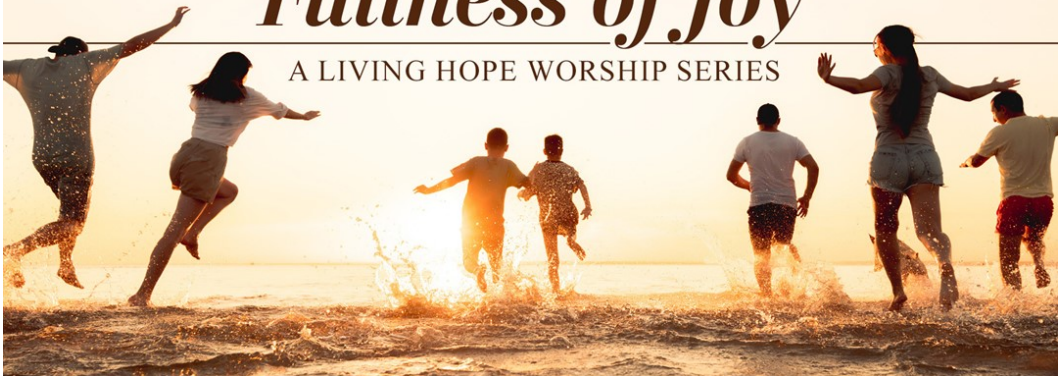
Donations are accepted and help Scouts attend
Summer Camp and purchase camping equipment for
Troops 88 and 3088.

Join us next week for Sunday worship!

John 20:19-31

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