#### LORD's Day Service -- April 12, 2020 Resurrection Day A.D. 2020

Good morning House of God! Greetings in the name of the risen Lord & Savior!

## God Calls us into His presence; we respond with praise.

\*Call to Worship: Matthew 28:1-10

Minister: Alleluia! Christ is risen! People: **He is risen indeed!** 

Minister: Grace to you and peace, in the name of the Father & of the Son & of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen!

Minister: The Lord be with you. People: **And also with you.** 

Hymn: "Christ the Lord is risen today" (see below)

### God Cleanses us; we gladly confess of our sins to Him.

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

But if we confess our sins, God, Who is faithful and just, will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 1 Kings 8:38,39,47b-50b

Let us kneel before the Lord our God.

"O Lord, great and awesome God...we have sinned and committed iniquity, we have done wickedly and rebelled, even by departing from Your precepts and Your judgments. Neither have we heeded Your servants the prophets, who spoke in Your name...O Lord, righteousness belongs to You...to us belongs shame of face...because we have sinned against You. To You, Lord our God, belong mercy and forgiveness, though we have rebelled against You. We have not obeyed Your voice to walk in Your laws...therefore the curse in the Law has been poured out on us, because we have sinned against You. I pray, let Your anger and Your fury be turned away. (Silent prayer) Amen! (from Daniel 9)

Assurance of Pardon: Hebrews 7:25; 8:12

Beloved, your sins are forgiven through Christ.

Thanks be to God! Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name. AMEN!

Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up to the Lord!

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

It is proper and right to do so!

Truly it is our greatest joy to give thanks to You at all times and in every situation, O Lord, holy Father, Almighty and everlasting God; Thank you for cleansing us and filling us with joy. Renew our zeal in faith and life, and bring us to the fullness of grace that belongs to us as Your children. Therefore, with all saints on earth and the heavenly host, we praise Your holy name and join their glorious song, singing:

Sanctus: Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord, God of Hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of Your glory!

Hosanna in the Highest! Blessed is he who comes in the name of The Lord. Hosanna in the Highest!

Hymn: (you could pause & add a psalm or hymn of your choosing here)

Prayer: Almighty Father, Who through Your only begotten Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin by Your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen!

### God Consecrates by His Word; we listen & offer ourselves to Him.

Old Testament Lesson: Isaiah 25:6-9

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

New Testament Lesson: 1 Corinthians 15:3-8, 19-26, 50-58

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Gospel Lesson: Luke 24:25-27, 36-47

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus. **Praise to You, O Christ!** 

Sermon: "O Death, I will be your plagues!"

Hymn: "And Can it Be" (see below)

Dedication of tithes & offerings. (You may mail your tithes to Deacon Hummel)

Prayers of the Church

# God communes with us; we eat with joy at His Table.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper We confess our faith in the Triune, Incarnate God

# God commissions & blesses us; we march out to serve Him

The Lord's Commission of us: 1 Corinthians 15:58
We receive God's blessing, His good Word to us: Hebrews 13:20-21
We bless the Lord, lifting our hands and voices to Him: Gloria Patri

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#### 360 Christ the Lord Is Risen Today



#### And Can It Be that I should Gain

1 And can it be that I should gain An int'rest in the Savior's blood?

Died He for me, who caused His pain? For me, who Him to death pursued?

Amazing love! how can it be That Thou, my God, should die for me?

Chorus: Amazing love! how can it be That Thou, my God, should die for me!

2 He left His Father's throne above, So free, so infinite His grace;

Emptied Himself of all but love, And bled for Adam's helpless race;

'Tis mercy all, immense and free; For, O my God, it found out me. (Chorus)

3 Long my imprisoned spirit lay Fast bound in sin and nature's night;

Thine eye diffused a quick'ning ray, I woke, the dungeon flamed with light;

My chains fell off, my heart was free; I rose, went forth and followed Thee. (Chorus)

4 No condemnation now I dread; Jesus, and all in Him is mine!

Alive in Him, my living Head, And clothed in righteousness divine,

Bold I approach th'eternal throne, And claim the crown, through Christ my own. (Chorus)

# "O Death, I will be your plagues."

# Hosea 13:14; 1 Corinthians 15:55 4/12/2020

Intro: 1 Co 3:21-23
1 Jehovah will be our King and save us, where is any other? (Hos 13:9-12; 14:1-5)
2 Jehovah will be our ransom and redeem us, who else can be Death's plagues? (Hos 13:14; 14:6-9)
<b>Concl</b> : (1 Co 15:57)