



Service sheet For Sunday 27th April at 10 am

Leader: Travers. Preacher: Fiona. Music: Chris

Welcome

Alleluia, Christ is risen!

He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us!

Therefore let us keep the feast!

Christ being raised from the dead will die no more: Death has no more dominion over Him.

**Christ is risen from the dead,
The first fruits of those that slept.**

MP 843

He is the Lord, and He reigns on high

He is the Lord

Spoke into the darkness, created the light

He is the Lord

Who is like unto Him, never ending in days

He is the Lord

And He comes in power when we call on His name

He is the Lord.

Show Your power, O Lord our God

Show Your power, O Lord our God, our God

Your gospel, O Lord is the hope of our nation

You are the Lord

It's the power of God for our salvation

**You are the Lord
We ask not for riches, but look to the cross
You are the Lord
And for our inheritance give us the lost
You are the Lord.**

*Send Your power, oh Lord our God
Send Your power, oh Lord our God, our God*
Kevin Prosch

King of Kings (Not in MP)

**In the darkness we were waiting
Without hope, without light
till from Heaven You came running
There was mercy in Your eyes
To fulfil the law and prophets
To a virgin came the word
From a throne of endless glory
To a cradle in the dirt.**

*Praise the Father, praise the Son
Praise the Spirit, three in one
God of glory, Majesty
Praise forever to the King of Kings*

**To reveal the kingdom coming
And to reconcile the lost
To redeem the whole creation
You did not despise the cross
For even in your suffering
You saw to the other side
Knowing this was our salvation
Jesus for our sake you died**

*Praise the Father, praise the Son
Praise the Spirit, three in one
God of glory, Majesty
Praise forever to the King of Kings*

**And the morning that You rose
All of Heaven held its breath
Until that stone was moved for good
For the Lamb had conquered death
And the dead rose from their tombs
And the angels stood in awe
For the souls of all who'd come
To the Father are restored**

**And the church of Christ was born
Then the Spirit lit the flame
Now this gospel truth of old
Shall not kneel, shall not faint
By His blood and in His name
In His freedom I am free
For the love of Jesus Christ
Who has resurrected me.**

***Praise the Father, praise the Son
Praise the Spirit, three in one
God of glory, Majesty
Praise forever to the King of Kings
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Brooke Ligertwood, Scott Ligertwood and Jason Ingram

MP 1079

**Jesus, hope of the nations
Jesus, comfort for all who mourn
You are the source of heaven's hope on earth**

**Jesus, light in the darkness
Jesus, truth in each circumstance
You are the source of heaven's light on earth**

**In history, You lived and died,
You broke the chains, You rose to life**

**You are the hope, living in us
You are the Rock, in whom we trust
You are the Light
shining for all the world to see**

**You rose from the dead, conquering fear
Our Prince of Peace, drawing us near
Jesus our Hope
Living for all who will receive
Lord we believe.**

Brian Doerksen

Confession,

Jesus Christ, risen Master and triumphant Lord, we come to you in sorrow for our sins,
and confess to you our weakness and unbelief.

We have lived by our own strength,
and not by the power of your resurrection.
In your mercy, forgive us.

Lord, hear us and help us.

We have lived by the light of our own eyes,
as faithless and not believing.
In your mercy, forgive us.

Lord, hear us and help us.

We have lived for this world alone,
and doubted our home in heaven.
In your mercy, forgive us.

Lord, hear us and help us.

Assurance of forgiveness

May the God of love and power forgive us and free us from our sins
Heal and strengthen us by his Spirit,
and raise us to new life in Christ our Lord.
Amen

Collect

Prayer for Sonlight and MEGA

Christian literature. Travers & Jane

MP870

**Jesus is the name we honour;
Jesus is the name we praise.
Majestic name above all other names,
the highest Heaven and Earth proclaim
that Jesus is our God.**

***We will glorify, we will lift him high,
we will give him honour and praise,
we will glorify, we will lift him high,
we will give him honour and praise.***

**Jesus is the name we worship;
Jesus is the name we trust.
He is the King above all other kings,
let all creation stand and sing
that Jesus is our God.
*We will glorify...***

**Jesus is the Father's splendour;
Jesus is the Father's joy.
He will return to reign in majesty,
and every eye at last will see
that Jesus is our God.
*We will glorify...***

Phil Lawson Johnston

Reading. Ann Martin

John 1:1-5, 14 (page 1063)

1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. ²He was with God in the beginning.³Through him all things were made; without him nothing was made that has been made. ⁴In him was life, and that life was the light of all mankind. ⁵The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome^[a] it.

¹⁴The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.

Colossians 2:8-12 (Page 1153)

⁸ See to it that no one takes you captive through hollow and deceptive philosophy, which depends on human tradition and the elemental spiritual forces^[a] of this world rather than on Christ.

⁹ For in Christ all the fullness of the Deity lives in bodily form, ¹⁰ and in Christ you have been brought to fullness. He is the head over every power and authority. ¹¹ In him you were also circumcised with a circumcision not performed by human hands. Your whole self ruled by the flesh^[b] was put off when you were circumcised by^[c] Christ, ¹² having been buried with him in baptism, in which you were also raised with him through your faith in the working of God, who raised him from the dead.

Sermon. Fiona

MP 1000 - King of Kings, Majesty

King of kings, majesty,
God of Heaven living in me,
gentle Saviour, closest friend,
strong deliverer, beginning and end,
all within me falls at your throne.

*Your majesty, I can but bow.
I lay my all before you now.
In royal robes I don't deserve
I live to serve your majesty.*

Earth and Heaven worship you,
love eternal, faithful and true,
who bought the nations, ransomed souls,
brought this sinner near to your throne;
all within me cries out in praise.

Your majesty, I can but bow...

Jarrold Cooper

Affirmation of faith

Let us affirm the core of our faith:

**Christ died for our sins
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he was buried;
he was raised to life on the third day**

**in accordance with the Scriptures;
afterwards he appeared to his followers,
and to all the apostles:
this we have received,
and this we believe. Amen.**

Prayers. Sue Metcalfe

As our Saviour taught us so we pray:

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us
Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours
Now and forever. Amen**

Prayer of thanks for our offering

Notices and family news

Hymn 839

***He has risen, He has risen,
He has risen, Jesus is alive!***

**When the life flowed from his body,
Seemed like Jesus' mission failed.
But his sacrifice accomplished,
victory over sin and hell.
*He has risen...***

**In the grave God did not leave him,
for his body to decay;
Raised to life, the great awakening,
Satan's power he overcame.
*He has risen...***

**If there were no resurrection,
we ourselves could not be raised;**

but the Son of God is living,
so our hope is not in vain.
He has risen...

When the Lord rides out of heaven,
mighty angels at his side,
they will sound the final trumpet,
from the grave we shall arise.
He has risen...

He has given life immortal,
We shall see him face to face;
through eternity we'll praise him,
Christ, the Champion of our faith.
He has risen...

Gerald Coates, Noel and Tricia Richards

Conclusion and blessing

God the Father,
by whose glory Christ was raised from the dead,
strengthen us to walk with him in his risen life;
and the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be among us and remain with us always. **Amen.**

Alleluia. Christ is risen.

He is risen indeed. Alleluia.

Praise the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

He has given us new life and hope.

He has raised Jesus from the dead.

God has claimed us as his own.

He has brought us out of darkness.

He has made us light to the world.

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