



Sunday April 17, 2022

Easter Sunday – The Sacrament of Holy Communion

The “I Am” Sayings of Jesus Conclusion

We Gather as God’s People

Praise Band

Organ Prelude

* Processional Hymn *Jesus Christ is risen today* #243

Words of Welcome

Silent Reflection:

Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead... (1 Peter 1:3)

Call to Worship: Mason Girard

L: Rejoice! There is great news! Christ is risen!

P: Christ is risen indeed!

L: Let all the earth proclaim the joy!

P: Let all heavens show forth in praise.

L: Alleluia!

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L: Let us worship God

Easter Prayer

Minister: The Peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

We Listen for God’s Word

* Praise Time *Mighty to Save* *please see insert*

Children’s Time *(children will remain in church)*

Prayer for Illumination Clare Mezes

Scripture Readings John 11:25-27 NT p. 105

Luke 24:1-12 NT p. 90

L: The word of the Lord.

P: Thanks be to God.

Sermon: The Resurrection and the Life Rev. Dr. H. Vais

Choir: Easter Declaration Williams

We Respond to God’s Word

The Apostles’ Creed

Invitation to the Table

Presentation of the Offerings and Elements

Prayer of Dedication

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving *please see insert*

Preparatory Songs

He is Lord, He is Lord *Jesus, Lamb of God*

He is risen from the dead *Worthy is Your name*

and He is Lord! *Jesus, Lamb of God*

Every knee shall bow, *Worthy is Your name.*

Every tongue confess *(repeat 2x)*

That Jesus Christ is Lord

(repeat 2x)

The Breaking of the Bread

Prayer after Communion

*Recessional Hymn *Thine be the glory* #258

We Are Sent Out as God’s People

*Charge and Benediction

*Sung Benediction

Go now in peace, never be afraid,

God will go with you each hour of every day.

Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true,

Know God will guide you in all you do.

Go now in love, and show you believe,

Reach out to others so all the world can see.

God will be there, watching from above.

Go now in peace, in faith, and in love. Amen

Organ Postlude

.....
* if you are able, please stand

Welcome

We welcome everyone who is worshipping

here with us today. We hope that you

feel comforted in our fellowship and that

you leave here refreshed and inspired in

your personal life. You are invited to fill out a pew card.

****We welcome all children in worship. If you need to take a child out during the worship service, the service can still be heard in the lobby. Our ushers are available to assist you.**

COVID Restrictions: We ask that masks be worn at all times.

Thank you to those who are assisting in today's service.

Thank you and welcome to Hazel Ogilvie
who is our guest organist today.



The Sacrament of Holy Communion

We invite all who profess Jesus as Lord
to receive the Sacrament.

Appreciation for Maria & Stephanie

We have an opportunity to properly thank two people who
have served TPC for many, many years.

On Sunday, May 1st, the Session will recognize and
celebrate their service to our Church - Maria Lim for her
31 years of faithful service as Director of Music Ministry,
and Stephanie Vandermey for her 16 years of faithful
service as Office Administrator.

We are also planning a time after the service for light
refreshment in the Fellowship Hall where everyone will
have an opportunity to meet and greet Maria and
Stephanie.



with Rev. Heather

HEY KIDS!

Bible Time with
Rev. Heather
Will be starting again
After Easter!
Sundays 6:45 - 7:15
ON ZOOM!

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Weekly Offerings and Gifts

To continue to support the church through your regular
offerings during this pandemic there are several options
available to do so.

Offerings can be mailed (address below) or dropped
off at the church mail slot in the old wooden doors to the
right of the entryway any time.

You may also donate on-line at Canada Helps
through our web site at www.tpchurch.net or directly to
Canada Helps.Org at
[https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/thornhill-
presbyterian-church/](https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/thornhill-presbyterian-church/)

Pre-Authorized Debit (PAR) If you are interested in
joining the PAR program contact Nadine at the church.

Thank you for your support!

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Praise Time



Mighty to Save

Everyone needs compassion, love that's never failing
 Let mercy fall on me
 Everyone needs forgiveness, the kindness of a Saviour
 The Hope of nations

*Saviour, He can move the mountains.
 My God is mighty to save, He is mighty to save
 Forever, Author of Salvation
 He rose and conquered the grave, Jesus conquered the grave*

So take me as You find me, all my fears and failures
 Fill my life again
 I give my life to follow, ev'rything I believe in
 Now I surrender

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**Shine your light and let the whole world see
 We're singing for the glory of the risen King
 Jesus, Shine your light and let the whole world see
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The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

The prayer opens with thanksgiving for creation and for God's mighty acts throughout salvation history.

The people join in the ancient song after these or similar words:

... we join with the whole creation to lift our hearts in joyful praise.

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,
 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.

Prayers of thanksgiving continue for the work of Jesus Christ, his life, death, and resurrection and for the institution of the Lord's Supper. The people are invited to "proclaim the mystery of faith:"

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Thanksgiving continues for the gift of the Holy Spirit.

*The presence of the Holy Spirit is invoked followed by a doxology and the people say: **Amen.***

As our Lord taught us, we now pray:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done

On earth, as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread and

forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory

Forever. Amen

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Hymn

Jesus Christ is risen today

Jesus Christ is risen today, halleluja!
our triumphant holy day, halleluja!
who did once upon the cross, halleluja!
suffer to redeem our loss. halleluja!

Hymns of praise then let us sing, halleluja!
unto Christ, our heavenly King, halleluja!
who endured the cross and grave, halleluja!
sinners to redeem and save. halleluja!

But the pains which he endured, halleluja!
our salvation have procured; halleluja!
now above the sky he's King, halleluja!
where the angels ever sing. halleluja!

Sing we to our God above, halleluja!
praise eternal as his love; halleluja!
praise him, all ye heavenly host, halleluja!
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. halleluja!

Hymn

Thine be the glory

Thine be the glory, risen, conquering son,
endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won;
angels in bright raiment rolled the stone away,
kept the folded grave clothes, where Thy body lay.

Thine be the glory, risen, conquering son;
endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won.

Lo! Jesus meets us, risen from the tomb;
lovingly he greets us, scatters fear and gloom;
let the church with gladness hymns of triumph
sing,
for her Lord now liveth; death hath lost its sting.

Thine be the glory, risen, conquering son;
endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won.

No more we doubt thee, glorious prince of life;
life is naught without thee: aid us in our strife;
make us more than conquerors, through thy
deathless love:
bring us safe through Jordan to thy home above.

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