

A glowing white dove with outstretched wings is the central focus, flying over a desert landscape at sunrise. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a golden glow and long shadows. The sky is a mix of blue and orange. The dove's wings are made of bright, wispy light, and it appears to be descending towards the horizon.

HIS HEALING WINGS

Easter

8:00 AM

APRIL 16, 2017

by Rev. Dr. Cathy Johns



Happy Easter!

We are glad you have joined us today! Please sign the friendship/attendance pad. Thank you for joining us for this celebration of the Resurrection of Jesus Christ! Whether you are a first-time guest or long-time member, we welcome you to this community of faith today. We are a congregation committed to connecting people with God, serving our neighbors and making disciples of Jesus Christ. Through our mission partners, we offer hope and healing both locally and around the world. Through small groups and care ministries, we are committed to helping children, youth and adults grow in their walk with Christ, supported and encouraged by loving friends. If you would like to hear more about Hyde Park Community United Methodist Church, please visit our web site at: www.hydeparkchurch.org, call the church office at 513-871-1345 or contact our senior pastors, Rev. Dr. Cathy Johns and Rev. Doug Johns at: cjohns@hpcumc.org; djohns@hpcumc.org.

Please honor us with your presence today by:

- *If you have special needs*, please ask an usher to provide you with an assistive listening device integrated with the sanctuary sound system or a large print hymnal and order of worship.
- *If your family needs child care*, our nursery services are provided in Room 120 for infants, 1 year olds, and 2 year olds. This room is on the first floor (same floor as the sanctuary) in the northwest wing of the building. If you need further assistance, our ushers, greeters, and staff are happy to help you and your family.

Connect with us in the future:

Live worship is available online each Sunday morning at 9:30 am and 11:00 am. Recordings of the sermons are updated weekly on our website (www.hydeparkchurch.org/media/), both in video and audio format.



Sharing the love of Jesus to transform lives,
Cincinnati and the world.

ENTRANCE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Liturgist - Rev. Doug Johns

9:00 Grace Chapel Communion - Rev. Dave Weaver

Sign and pass the friendship/attendance pad located in the pew rack.

**Please stand as you are able. Join together in reading/singing the bold type.*

Hymnal - *The United Methodist Hymnal*

PRELUDE *Jesus Christ is Risen Today*

Calvin Hampton

Brenda Portman, organist

SILENT PRAYER OF PREPARATION

O living and loving God, prepare our hearts for what You have for us this morning. Give us ears to hear Your good news, hearts to receive it, minds to comprehend it and the faith to live it. We offer ourselves in worship and praise. Amen.

***CALL TO WORSHIP** *(Please stand if able)*

Christ is Risen!

He is risen, indeed! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*** HYMN** *(Standing)* *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today*

Hymnal 302 verses 1-4

**Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia!
Earth and heaven in chorus say, Alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!
Sing, ye heavens, and earth reply, Alleluia!**

**Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia!
Fought the fight, the battle won, Alleluia!
Death in vain forbids him rise, Alleluia!
Christ has opened paradise, Alleluia!**

**Lives again our glorious King, Alleluia!
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!
Once he died our souls to save, Alleluia!
Where's thy victory, boasting grave? Alleluia!**

**Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia!
Following our exalted Head, Alleluia!
Made like him, like him we rise, Alleluia!
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Alleluia!**

*** OPENING PRAYER** *(Standing)*

God of all ages and all people, the shadows and gloom of Good Friday have been shattered by the light of Easter morning! We rejoice in the healing power of Your Resurrection that transforms our sorrow into joy, our defeat into victory, and our death into life. Help us embrace the truth this Easter: Because He lives, we are healed and given new life. We pray in the name of Jesus Christ, our Risen Lord, Amen.

(Please be seated)

PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

ANTHEM *Hail The Day That Sees Him Rise*

John Purifoy

The Wesley Choir, Neal Hamlin conductor

*Hail the day that sees Him rise, Alleluia!
To His throne beyond the skies, Alleluia!
Christ, the Lamb for sinners given, Alleluia!
Enters now the highest heaven, Alleluia!*

*There the glorious triumph waits, Alleluia!
Lift your heads, eternal gates. Alleluia!
He has conquered death and sin, Alleluia!
Take the King of glory in. Alleluia!*

*Still for us He intercedes, Alleluia!
His atoning death He pleads. Alleluia!
Near Himself prepares our place, Alleluia!
He the first-fruits of our race. Alleluia!*

*There we shall with You remain, Alleluia!
Partners of Your endless reign. Alleluia!
See You with unclouded view; Alleluia!
Find our heaven of heavens in You. Alleluia!*

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

*** GOSPEL LESSON** (*Standing*) Matthew 28:1-10

Pew Bible NT pg 33

This is the Gospel of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

Thanks be to God!

*HYMN (*Standing*) *Hark! the Harold Angels Sing*

Hymnal 240 vs.3
(adapted from Charles Wesley)

**Hail the heaven-born Prince of Peace! Hail the Sun of Righteousness!
Light and Life to all he brings, risen with healing in his wings.
Mild he lays his glory by, born that we no more may die,
born to raise us from the earth, born to give us second birth.
Hark! the herald angels sing: "Glory to our risen King!"**

OFFERTORY *Christ Lives Again*

John Purifoy

*Christ lives again that we may live and know His peace within.
He broke the bonds of death to free us from the bonds of sin.
He lives again, we sing for joy, our alleluias raise!
We lift our voices gratefully, the living Christ to praise.*

*Christ lives again that we may live abundantly each day,
With strength to face the road ahead because He leads the way.
He lives again, we sing for joy, our alleluias raise!
We lift our voices gratefully, the living Christ to praise.*

*All we like sheep have wandered astray, each to his own way.
He was despised and acquainted with grief,
By His stripes we are healed.
Sing alleluia for what the Lord has done.
Our Christ is risen from the grave, the victory is won!*

*Christ lives again that we may live according to His grace,
And someday rise above the skies and see Him face to face.
He lives again, we sing for joy, our alleluias raise!
We lift our voices gratefully, the living Christ to praise.*

***THE PRESENTATION AND DOXOLOGY** *(Standing)*

Hymnal 94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION** *(Standing)*

SENDING FORTH

***HYMN** *(Standing)* *Thine Be the Glory*

Hymnal 308

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.

Refrain 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 thee, scatters fear and gloom.
Let the Church with gladness hymns of triumph sing,
for our Lord now liveth; death hath lost its sting. *Refrain*

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. *Refrain*

***BENEDICTION** *(Standing)*

***HALLELUJAH** *(Standing)*

G. F. Handel

POSTLUDE *Finale on "Gelobt sei Gott"*

Gilbert M. Martin



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Next Sunday, April 23:

A new sermon series begins next Sunday: *He Lives!* Each week we will celebrate the gifts that we embrace as an Easter people. Pastor Doug's message, *Our Peace*, lifts up the assurance that we have as sisters and brothers of Jesus, our Risen Lord. The message is based on John 20:19-31. Invite a friend to join you next Sunday. Have a great week!

Hyde Park Community Worship:

Sundays 8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 am, Sanctuary

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Worship @ 11: 11:00 am

Over-the-Rhine Community Church Worship:

Sundays 10:30 am, Sanctuary

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1st Sunday of the month

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