Order of Worship 8:30am

Welcome
Prelude *"Crown him with Many Crowns"* Instrumental Ensemble
(we stand)
In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen
This is the day that the Lord has made;
Let us rejoice and be glad in it.
We are witnesses to all that Jesus did. Then, they put him to death by hanging him on a tree;
but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people, but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead!
Christ is risen!
He is risen indeed! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Hymn 365 Jesus Christ is Risen Today
Prayer
(we are seated)
Welcome

A Reading from Acts 10:34-43 Pew Bible page 895
God raised him on the third day...
The Word of God for the people of God!
Thanks be to God!

Psalm 118:1, 14-17, 22-24 *(chanted responsively)*
1 Give thanks to the Lord, for the | Lord is good;
God's mercy en- | dures forever.
14 The Lord is my strength | and my song,
and has become | my salvation.
15 Shouts of rejoicing and salvation echo in the tents | of the righteous:
"The right hand of the | Lord acts valiantly!
16 The right hand of the Lord | is exalted!
The right hand of the | Lord acts valiantly!"
17 I shall not | die, but live,
and declare the works | of the Lord.
22 The stone that the build- | ers rejected
has become the chief | cornerstone.
23 By the Lord has | this been done;
it is marvelous | in our eyes.
24 This is the day that the | Lord has made;
let us rejoice and be | glad in it.

A reading from First Corinthians 5:7-8 Pew Bible page 928

Children's Message
(we stand)

Gospel Processional Hymn 385 Good Christian Friends vs. 1
Good Christian friends, rejoice and sing! Now is the triumph of our king!
To all the world glad news we bring: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

The Holy Gospel according to Mark, the 16^{h} chapter (vs. 1-8) Pew Bible page 829
Glory to you, O Lord!
"He has been raised!"
The Gospel of the Lord!
Praise to you, O Christ!
Gospel Processional Hymn 385 Good Christian Friends vs. 2
The Lord of life is ris'n this day; death's mighty stone is rolled away;
Let all the earth rejoice and say: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!
(we are seated)
Sermon
(we stand)
Hymn 361 The Day of Resurrection

Page 104 Nicene Creed
Prayers

Page 149 This is the Feast
Page 152 Great Thanksgiving
Page 153 Holy, Holy, Holy
Page 154 Lord's Prayer

(We are seated. Communion is served today both at the chancel railing and at the base of the steps.)

Communion Hymns
Page 154 Lamb of God
376 Thine is the Glory

(After all who desire have communed, we stand)
Blessing and Prayer

Benediction:
The God of resurrection power, the Christ of unending joy, and the Spirit of Easter hope + bless you now and always.
Amen.

Hymn 382 Christ is Risen! Alleluia!

Christ is Risen!
He is Risen Indeed! Alleluia!

Postlude

Soli deo Gloria!

Worship Servants

Sunday, March 31, 2024 8:30 am		Sunday, March 31, 2024 10:30 am	
Service Team		**Service Team**	
Ushers		**Ushers**	
Carter, Mike	Usher 8:30am	Barone, Dawn	Usher 10:30am
Pless, Chick	Usher 8:30am	Kraft, Jeremy	Usher 10:30am
Yeates, Bill	Usher 8:30am	**Greeters**	
Greeters		Wagoner, Jan	Greeter 10:30am
Carter, Betty	Greeter 8:30am	**Lectors**	
Lectors		Tyree, Catherine	Lector 10:30am
Mattingly, Harrison	Lector 8:30am	**Communion Assistants**	
Communion Assistants		No volunteer needed, *	Assistant 10:30am
No volunteer needed, *	Assistant 8:30am	**Acolytes**	
Acolytes		Martin, Charles	Acolyte 10:30am
Goethals, Ryder	Acolyte 8:30am	Sifford, Brenden	Acolyte 10:30am
Proefrock, Mackenzie	Acolyte 8:30am	**AV Team**	
Goethals, Reagan	Acolyte 8:30am	Bostian, Susan	Monitors 10:30
Proefrock, Paige	Acolyte 8:30am	**Counters**	
AV Team		Davis Jr., Colin	Counter
Joy, Alison	Monitors 8:30	Enroth, Donna	Counter
Kowatschitsch, Niko	Livestream	**Church Closers**	
		Wagoner, David	Closer

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Mooresville NC

March 24, 2024
8:30am

Christ is risen! Jesus is alive, and God has swallowed up death forever. With Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, and Salome, we may feel astonished and confused, unsure of what to make of the empty tomb. But this is why we gather: to proclaim, witness, praise, and affirm the liberating reality of Christ's death and resurrection. In word and feast, we celebrate God's unending love, and depart to share this good news with all the world. Alleluia!

The flowers on the altar today are given to the glory of God in celebration of our risen Savior by Melanie & Jack Altman.

Join us after worship for an Easter egg hunt! Kids pre-k through 5th grade who would like to participate should meet on the front lawn at 9:50. Snacks and crafts to follow in the FLC.