

Christ is risen!



1st Sunday of Eastertide
April 8, 2018
11am Contemporary Worship

Welcome!
We're glad
YOU
are here!



CHRIST
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH

A community
centered in Christ,
gathering in love,
growing by grace,
going forth to serve.

OPENING PRAISE

Santo es el Señor (Holy is the Lord)

Call to Worship

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Jesus said, "I have come that they may have life, and may have it abundantly."

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!

Revelation Song

Christ is Risen, He is Risen Indeed

Prayer of Adoration & Confession (Leader/People)

Almighty God, all of creation sings of Your glory!
The world reverberates with Your praise, resonating with Your love, and with the wonder of Your resurrection...

**Forgive us God, for the ways in which we fall out of Your rhythm.
We are a noisy gong,
when we should be quiet vessels of Your love.
We blatantly sing out of key with You,
ignoring the way this effects others and ourselves.**

Tune our hearts again to sing Your grace, O Lord.
Direct us and restore us;
synchronize us and inspire us
that we would realize our need of You,
that we might be Your community of the resurrection,
abundant in Your grace and power
to tell of Your wonder and sing of Your care. Amen.

(silent prayers are offered to God)

Assurance of Forgiveness

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel:
In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

In Christ Alone

Ministers
The People

Pastor
Dale Chapin

Prayers of the People
Jean-René Watchou

Worship Director
Vocals, Piano
Natalie Handley

Vocals
Rich Henderson

Flute
Angie Dickens

Bass Guitar, Vocals
John Itson

Harmonica
Lindy Anderson

Drums
Bill Cheadle

Slides
Jessica Reed

Audio-Visual
Coordinator
Bryan Yates

First Impressions Team
Rebecca Wahl
Lindsay Clay
Liz McCarthy
The Mayefske family

Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

COMMUNITY

Welcome & Announcements

HEARING THE WORD

Scripture John 20:19-31

Message Jesus Came to Them

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Offering Our Tithes & Gifts

Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God

(by Keith Getty and Stuart Townend, 2006)

*Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God, breathe new life into my willing soul.
Bring the presence of the Risen Lord to renew my heart and make me
whole. Cause Your word to come alive in me, give me faith for what I
cannot see. Give me passion for Your purity, Holy Spirit breathe new life
in me.*

*Holy Spirit, come abide within, may Your joy be seen in all I do. Love enough
to cover every sin in each thought and deed and attitude. Kindness to
the greatest and the least, gentleness that sows the path of peace. Turn
my striving into works of grace, Breath of God, show Christ in all I do.*

*Holy Spirit, from creation's birth, giving life to all that God has made. Show
Your power once again on earth, cause Your church to hunger for Your
ways. Let the fragrance of our prayers arise, lead us on the road of
sacrifice, that in unity the face of Christ will be clear for all the world to
see.*

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

God with Us

Blessing

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