

First Presbyterian Church

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TRADITIONAL WORSHIP: 8:30am / CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP: 11:00am

COFFEE FELLOWSHIP: 9:30am in Fellowship Hall / SUNDAY SCHOOL: 10:00

Sunday, March 27, 2016

Christ is Risen!

8:30am

As the prelude plays, silently come into the Lord's presence.

Open your heart and give yourself up to Christ

who is here to meet you today.

"Be still and know that I am God." Psalm 46:10

PRELUDE

"Joy and Gladness" – Stoltz

RINGING OF THE BELL/BAGPIPES

"Amazing Grace"

David Griffith

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: He is Risen!

People: He is Risen Indeed!

*HYMN

"Jesus Christ is Risen Today"

"He Lives"

No. 123

see insert

*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

God of mercy, we no longer look for Jesus among the dead, for he is alive and has become the Lord of life. From the waters of death You raise us with him and renew Your gift of life within us. Increase in our minds and hearts the risen life we share with Christ, and help us to grow as Your people toward the fullness of eternal life with You, through Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE

[Please share Christ's peace with one another with handshakes, hugs, kisses—however you feel led.]

*HYMN

"Thine is the Glory"

No. 122

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Brett Foote

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Joshua 1:1-9 (OT p194)

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 24:28-35 (NT p90)

SERMON

"Keeping the Promises"

Rev. Robert Bronkema

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

WE BRING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY

"Resurrection Victory" – Larson

Chancel Choir/ Henry Miller, Trumpet

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise Him, all creatures here below.

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*HYMN

"Christ Arose"

see insert

*BENEDICTION & RESPONSE *"Let There Be Peace on Earth"*

*POSTLUDE

"Now Thank We All Our God" – arr. Fox

NEXT WEEK

Youth Sunday

11:00am

Bagpipes

"Amazing Grace"

David Griffith

Greetings & Announcements

*Praise & Worship

Joyful (The One Who Saves)

All the Earth Will Sing Your Praises

How Great is Our God

Prayer & Peace

Children's Message: Brett Foote

Scripture Readings

Joshua 1:1-9; Luke 24:28-35

Sermon *"Keeping the Promises"*

*Offering/Closing Song

In Christ Alone

*Benediction

SERMON NOTES:
