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**Prelude**      *Christ Hath Burst His Prison!* (Fantasy on *St. Kevin*)      Gilbert M. Martin

## Welcome and Announcements

### \*Call to Worship

Christ is risen! Alleluia!

**Christ is risen indeed!**

Come, let us sing to the Glory of God.

**Let us sing songs of joy and thanksgiving.**

For we have been offered the gift of life eternal. Alleluia!

**Christ is risen! Alleluia! Christ is risen indeed! Let us worship God.**

### \*Hymn #268

*Crown Him with Many Crowns*

### \*Prayer of Adoration

**God of salvation, the stone has been rolled away from the grave. The tomb is empty. Christ is risen, Alleluia. Christ is risen to offer us life made new. We raise our voices with songs of praise. We rejoice in your promised redemption from sin. The power of love overcomes all our heartache and despair. Hear our shouts of glad adoration as we enter the courtyard of your redeeming grace. Alleluia! Alleluia! Amen.**

### \*Gloria Patri #581

*Glory Be to the Father*

### Responsive Reading from Psalm 118:19-29

**Open to me the gates of righteousness that I may enter through them and give thanks to the Lord.**

**This is the gate of the Lord; the righteous shall enter through it.**

I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation.

**The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.**

This is the LORD's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.

**This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.**

**Save us, we beseech you, O Lord! O Lord, we beseech you, give us success!**

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the LORD.

**The Lord is God who has given us light.**

You are my God, and I will give thanks to you.

**O give thanks to the Lord whose steadfast love endures forever. Amen.**

### Anthem.

*The Stone Is Rolled Away*    Carl J. Nygard, Jr.

### Scripture Readings:

Matthew 28:1-10

### Sermon:

*Becoming Part of the Story*

### \*Hymn #245

*Christ the Lord is Risen Today*

### Pastoral Prayer (*concluding with 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil for Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen."**

**Recognition of Offering** - Today we collect the One Great Hour of Sharing offering which provides funds to support ministries of disaster response, refugee assistance and resettlement, and community development that help people find safe refuge, start new lives and work together to strengthen their families and communities. The Presbyterian Hunger Program receives 36 percent of undesignated gifts, while Self-Development of People and Presbyterian Disaster Assistance each receives 32 percent. (You may also give on-line at [pcusa.org](http://pcusa.org).)

### \*Doxology #606

*Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

### \*Prayer of Dedication

**By your hand, O God, we have been blessed with life, with refreshment and with hope. Day by day you are saving us, healing our brokenness, calling forth our gifts and granting us strength to serve Christ's church and your world. Thank you for all that you are for us and all that you bring to us. May this offering be received in the spirit in which it was given and our hearts renewed on this resurrection day. Amen.**

### \*Hymn #263

*All Hail the Power of Jesus Name*

### \*Benediction

## **Postlude**

**Looking Ahead:** The church office will be closed on Monday, April 10 for Easter Monday.

**Our Revelation Bible Study** will conclude on Tuesday, April 11. We will look at the final two chapters of our book, and then we will say, "Alleluia!"

**Rummage Sale News.** Mark your calendars. Start gathering your items for the April rummage sale, which will be April 21 & 22. You can start bringing your items next Sunday, April 16. See the schedule on the bulletin board. How can you help? A sign-up sheet for cashiers and clerks is in the parlor. We are looking for new workers who bring extra energy and enthusiasm. Cashiering is easier as we will be dealing in \$1 increments. This is a big event that funds worthy mission projects. Take advantage of an opportunity to recycle and pass on items at reasonable prices to people who need them. It saves on landfill space. It's a way to pay forward our blessings. Call Rose Elam at 309-255-8970 if you have questions.

## 2022 Easter Memorials



<b>Given by</b>	<b>in Memory/Honor of</b>
<b>Dolores Butler</b>	<b>Marion Butler, James &amp; Helen Van Arsdale</b>
<b>Judy Calhoun</b>	<b>Jim Calhoun &amp; Other Loved Ones</b>
<b>Dan &amp; Nancy Colvin</b>	<b>Orville &amp; Doris Colvin, Fred &amp; Ethel Clark</b>
<b>Pat Crane</b>	<b>Carlson Crane, Richard &amp; Margaret Kirtley</b>
<b>Rooney Dively</b>	<b>Our Families</b>
<b>Keith &amp; Linda Engel</b>	<b>Our Families</b>
<b>Brian, Donna, &amp; Henry Locke</b>	<b>Phil Locke, Norman Jefferson</b>
<b>Marsha McCormick</b>	<b>Marvin &amp; Mary Alene McCormick, Carissa McCormick, Evelyn McCormick, Irma McCormick, &amp; Loved Ones</b>
<b>Deb McDaniel</b>	<b>David McDaniel, Joanne Findley</b>
<b>Russ &amp; Mary Ann Morey</b>	<b>Our Families</b>
<b>Rosemary Neblock</b>	<b>Chuck Neblock, Bessie McQueen, Mary Alice Neblock</b>
<b>Donna &amp; Bob Quesal</b>	<b>Don &amp; Joyce Livingston, Anne, Phyliss &amp; John Quesal</b>
<b>Tom &amp; Ann Stites</b>	<b>Loved Ones</b>
<b>Paul &amp; Alice Trimmer</b>	<b>Loved Ones</b>
<b>Rev. Rene Whitaker</b>	<b>Father-Curtis Whitaker, Mother-Avis Whitaker</b>

# Crown Him with Many Crowns 268

1 Crown him with man - y crowns, the Lamb up - on his throne;  
2 Crown him the Lord of love; be - hold his hands and side,  
3 Crown him the Lord of peace, whose power a scep - ter sways  
4 Crown him the Lord of years, the po - ten - tate of time;

hark, how the heaven-ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own!  
rich wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, in beau - ty glo - ri - fied:  
from pole to pole, that wars may cease, ab - sorbed in prayer and praise.  
cre - a - tor of the roll - ing spheres, in - ef - fa - bly sub - lime.

A - wake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,  
no an - gel in the sky can ful - ly bear that sight,  
His reign shall know no end; and round his pierc - ed feet  
All hail, Re - deem - er, hail! For thou hast died for me;

and hail him as thy match-less King through all e - ter - ni - ty.  
but down-ward bends his burn-ing eye at mys - ter - ies so bright.  
fair flowers of par - a - dise ex - tend their fra-grance ev - er sweet.  
thy praise shall nev - er, nev - er fail through-out e - ter - ni - ty.

This text is so familiar that it is easy to miss all its paradox, mystery, suffering, and beauty; it rewards careful reading and meditation outside corporate worship. The tune's composer, chapel organist at Windsor Castle, had much experience in creating a royal sound.

# Glory Be to the Father 581

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the

Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the be -

gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be,

world with - out end. A - men, a - men.

## Christ the Lord is Risen Today!

"Christ the Lord is risen to - day!"  
 Love's re - deem - ing work is done,  
 Lives a - gain our glo - rious King,  
 Hail the Lord of earth and heaven!

All cre - a - tion, join to say:  
 Fought the fight, the bat - tle won,  
 Where, O death, is now your sting?  
 Praise to you by both be - given,

Raise your joys and tri - umphs high,  
 Death in vain for - bids him rise,  
 Je - sus died, our souls to save,  
 Ev - ery knee to you shall bow,

Sing, O heavens, and earth re - ply,  
 Christ has o - pened par - a - dise.  
 Where your vic - to - ry, O grave?  
 Ris - en Christ, tri - um - phant now.

Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Al - le - lu - ia!

TEXT: Charles Wesley 1739, alt.  
 MUSIC: Robert Williams, 1817; harm. David Evans, 1927  
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## SERVICE MUSIC

## 606 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow Doxology

Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; praise \*him, all crea - tures  
 here be - low; praise \*him a - bove, ye heaven - ly host; praise  
 Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

\*Or "God"

TEXT: Thomas Ken, 1695, 1709  
 MUSIC: Genevan Psalter, 1551

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## All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

*Descant*



4.O — that with yon - der sa - cred throng we at his feet may fall! We'll

All hail the power of Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pros - trate fall; bring  
cho - sen seed of Is - rael's race, ye ran - somed from the fall; hail  
Let ev - every kin - dred, ev - every tribe on this ter - res - trial ball; to  
O that with yon - der s - cred throng we at his feet may fall! We'll

TEXT: Stanzas 1-3, Edward Perronet, 1779, 1780; stanzas 2-3 alt. John Rippon, 1787; stanza 4, John Rippon, 1787  
MUSIC: Oliver Holden, 1793; desc. Michael E. Young, 1979  
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Crown Him with Many Crowns

TEXT: Matthew Bridges, 1851

MUSIC: George Job Elvey, 1868

Glory Be to the Father

TEXT: Trad. liturgical text

MUSIC: Henry W. Greatorex, 1851

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Easter Chant

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