

**Easter Sunday**  
**A Prayer for Security**

10:15am – April 4, 2021

[Livestream the 10:15am on The Presbyterian Church of Jackson Hole's YouTube Channel](#)

**Thoughts for the Day**

*The resurrection blasts apart the finality of death, providing an alternative to the stifling, settling dust of death and opens the way to new life.*  
~ Billy Graham

*My security as a Christian does not reside in the strength of my faith but in the indestructibility of my Savior.*  
~ Sinclair B. Ferguson

*There are far, far better things ahead than any we leave behind.*  
~ C.S. Lewis

**COMING TOGETHER TO WORSHIP**

**Prelude**

Laura Huckin

**Welcome and Opening Prayer**

**Gathering Song**

*Were You There? (Hymn 102)*

*Were you there when they crucified my Lord?  
Were you there when they crucified my Lord? Oh!  
Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.  
Were you there when they crucified my Lord?*

*Were you there when they nailed Him to the tree?  
Were you there when they nailed Him to the tree? Oh!  
Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.  
Were you there when they nailed Him to the tree?*

*Were you there when they laid Him in the tomb?  
Were you there when they laid Him in the tomb? Oh!  
Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.  
Were you there when they laid Him in the tomb?  
Were you there when God raised Him from the tomb?*

**Call to Worship**

One: This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. He is risen!

**All: He is risen indeed!**

One: This is the good news we have received, in which we stand, and by which we are saved. He is risen!

**All: He is risen indeed!**

One: That Christ died for our sins, and was buried, and rose again on the third day. He is risen!

**All: He is risen indeed!**

One: He appeared to Mary, and to the twelve, and to hundreds of faithful witnesses. He is risen!

**All: He is risen indeed!**

One: At last he came to us, that we might come to believe and proclaim this good news to the world. He is risen!

**All: He is risen indeed!**

**Song of Praise**

*Come People of the Risen King  
Come people of the Risen King  
Who delight to bring Him praise  
Come all and tune your hearts to sing*

*To the Morning Star of grace  
From the shifting shadows of the earth  
We will lift our eyes to Him*

*Where steady arms of mercy reach to gather children in*

*Chorus:*

*Rejoice, rejoice, let ev'ry tongue rejoice  
One heart, one voice, O Church of Christ rejoice*

*Come those whose joy is morning sun  
And those weeping through the night  
Come those who tell of battles won  
And those struggling in the fight  
For His perfect love will never change  
And His mercies never cease  
But follow us through all our days  
With the certain hope of peace*

*Chorus*

*Come young and old from ev'ry land  
Men and women of the faith  
Come those with full or empty hands  
Find the riches of His grace  
Over all the world His people sing  
Shore to shore we hear them call*

*The truth that cries through ev'ry age, our God is all in all*

*Chorus*

**Unison Prayer of Confession** Sandra Guido Bultema  
Almighty God, in raising Jesus from the grave, you shattered the power of sin and death. We confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear, bound by the ways that lead to death. We overlook the poor and the hungry, and pass by those who mourn; we are deaf to the cries of the oppressed, and indifferent to calls for peace; we despise the weak, and abuse the earth you made. Forgive us, God of mercy. Help us to trust your power to change our lives and make us new, that we may know the joy of life abundant given in Jesus Christ, the risen Lord.

**Words of Assurance**

**Song of Response**

*Hear the Good News of Salvation (Hymn 355)*

*Hear the good news of salvation:  
Jesus died the show God's love.  
Such great kindness! Such great mercy!*

*Come to us from heaven above.*

*Chorus:*

*Jesus Christ, how much I love You!  
Jesus Christ, You save from sin!  
How I love You! Look upon me.  
Love me still and cleanse within.*

*All the sins I have committed to my Savior now I bring.  
I bow down with tears of anguish;  
Christ forgives and so I sing.*

*Chorus*

*Come Thou Fount of every blessing,  
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace;  
Streams of mercy, never ceasing,  
Call for songs of loudest praise.  
Teach me some melodious sonnet,  
Sung by flaming tongues above;  
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it,  
Mount of God's unchanging love!*

### Passing the Peace of Christ

#### SHARING LIFE TOGETHER

#### Time with Children

*Children are now dismissed to Sunday School*

#### News of the Church Family

*Please sign-in on our YouTube page and let us know  
you are worshipping with us!*

*Please also send in your prayer requests through YouTube.*

#### Giving Generously of our Tithes and Offerings

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#### Hymn of Praise

*Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks (Hymn 106)*

*Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.*

*Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to His Name.  
(x3)*

#### HEARING GOD'S WORD

**Old Testament Lesson** Psalm 16 Brian Bultema  
**New Testament Lesson** Acts 2:22-32

**Special Music** Megan Letts & Jake Anderson

*Bridge Over Troubled Waters*  
by Simon and Garfunkel

**Time for Reflection and Study** Rev. Ben Pascal

*A Prayer for Security*

## CELEBRATING THE LORD'S SUPPER

*All who have received Jesus Christ as their Savior and Lord  
are welcome to share in the sacrament. Those who are not  
ready to take communion will receive a blessing from the  
pastors.*

### Invitation to the Table

#### Pastoral Prayer 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 sins, As  
we forgive those who've sinned 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.*

#### Instructions for the Lord's Supper

*For those at home: Please prepare beforehand to have bread  
and juice (or some other fruit of the vine) to share among  
those in your household.*

*For those in the sanctuary: When prompted please come  
forward to receive the bread and cup and take them back to  
your seat and wait for the pastor to instruct you prior to  
consuming the bread and cup.*

*When everyone has a piece of bread and an individual cup in  
front of them, we will all take the bread and the cup at the  
same time in-person and over livestream as led by the  
pastors. Those who are not ready to take communion, for  
whatever reason, will receive a blessing from the pastors.*

#### Song of Reflection

*All I Need*

*Lord, you're all that I have, but you're all that I need  
You're my hope and my joy, my life and my strength  
You're a brand new start at the end of my road.*

*Lord, you're all that I have, but you're all that I need.  
Oh carry me while I carry my burdens.  
Walk with me until the morning light  
Lead me through the valleys and shadows*

*Oh carry me while I carry my burdens.  
Walk with me until the morning light  
Be my Rock, my Shield, and my Comforter.*

*Lord, you're all that I have, but you're all that I need  
You're my hope and my joy, my life and my strength  
You're a brand new start at the end of my road.  
Lord, you're all that I have, but you're all that I need.*

#### Sharing in the Lord's Supper

#### Closing Prayer

## BEING SENT OUT INTO THE WORLD

#### Benediction Song

*Jesus Christ is Risen Today! (Hymn 123)*

*Jesus Christ is risen today, Alleluia!  
Out triumphant holy day, Alleluia!*

*Who once upon the cross, Alleluia!  
Suffer to redeem our loss, Alleluia!*

*Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia!  
Unto Christ, our heavenly King, Alleluia!  
Who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia!  
Sinners to redeem and save, Alleluia!*

*But the pains which He endured, Alleluia!  
Our salvation have procured, Alleluia!  
Now above the sky He's King, Alleluia!  
Where the angels ever sing, Alleluia!*

*Sing we to our God above, Alleluia!  
Praise eternal as God's love, Alleluia!  
Praise our God, ye heavenly host, Alleluia!  
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, Alleluia!*

## **The Benediction Spoken**

### Musicians

Laura Huckin, piano and vocals  
Megan Letts, vocals and keyboard  
Jake Anderson, vocals and guitar  
Amanda Flosbach, horn  
Liz Sunshine, trombone  
Zach Singer, percussion

### PCJH Choralists:

Julie Birrer  
Lori Dodd  
Kraig Kobert  
Judith Weikle