

COMMUNITY
EASTER
SUNRISE
SERVICE

Celebrating the Resurrection of Christ

Sunday, April 5, 2026 7:00 A.M.

Mountain View Baptist Church

Rev. Stacey D. Mills, *Senior Minister*

Second Presbyterian Church

Dr. Richard D. Phillips, *Senior Minister*

EASTER SUNRISE Service April 5, 2026

PRELUDE *DEUS DIXIT* Hans Leo Hassler, arr. Howard
SPC Brass

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Dr. Richard D. Phillips

INTROIT *THE HEAD THAT ONCE WAS CROWNED WITH THORNS* Clarke
The head that once was crowned with thorns is crowned with glory now; a royal diadem adorns the Mighty Victor's brow!

CALL TO WORSHIP Isaiah 1:18 Dr. Richard D. Phillips

HYMN ✧ *THE STRIFE IS O'ER, THE BATTLE DONE*

SCRIPTURE READING Isaiah 53:4-12 Pew Bible, page 780

ANTHEM *CHRIST IS RISEN, ALLELUIA!* Jan Sanborn
Second Presbyterian Church Chancel Choir and Youth Choir
Christ is risen, Alleluia! Christ being raised from the dead dieth no more. Death has no dominion over Him. For in that He died, He died unto sin. For in that He lives, He lives unto God!

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION Rev. Stacey D. Mills

HYMN ✧ *THAT EASTER DAY WITH JOY WAS BRIGHT*

SCRIPTURE Isaiah 53:4-6 Rev. Stacey D. Mills

SERMON *THE NECESSITY OF CALVARY* Rev. Stacey D. Mills

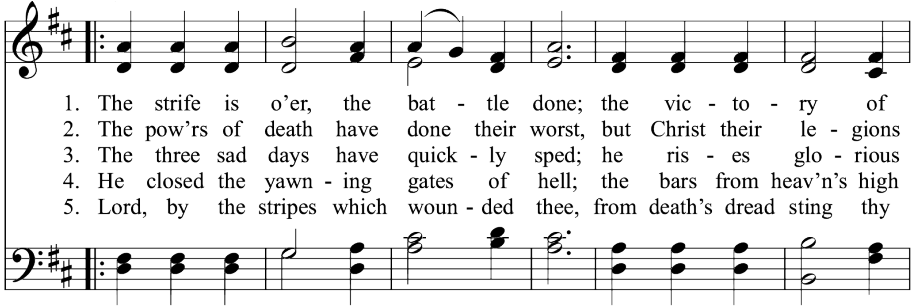
HYMN ✧ *THE DAY OF RESURRECTION!*

BENEDICTION ✧

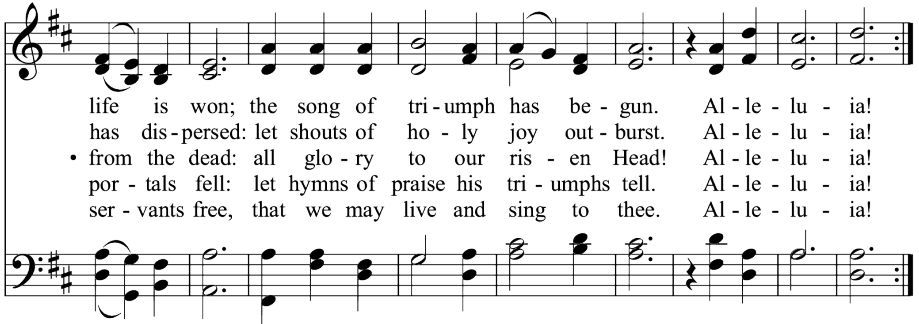
POSTLUDE *SING TO THE LORD!* Giuseppe Pitoni, arr. Frasier
SPC Brass

Congregation standing ✧

The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done



1. The strife is o'er, the bat - tle done; the vic - to - ry of
2. The pow'rs of death have done their worst, but Christ their le - gions
3. The three sad days have quick - ly sped; he ris - es glo - rious
4. He closed the yawn - ing gates of hell; the bars from heav'n's high
5. Lord, by the stripes which woun - ded thee, from death's dread sting thy



life is won; the song of tri - umph has be - gun. Al - le - lu - ia!
has dis - persed: let shouts of ho - ly joy out - burst. Al - le - lu - ia!
• from the dead: all glo - ry to our ris - en Head! Al - le - lu - ia!
por - tals fell: let hymns of praise his tri - umphs tell. Al - le - lu - ia!
ser - vants free, that we may live and sing to thee. Al - le - lu - ia!

Latin hymn
Tr. Francis Pott, 1861

VICTORY 8.8.8.al.
Giovanni P. da Palestrina, 1591
Adapted by William H. Monk, 1861

That Easter Day with Joy Was Bright

1. That Eas - ter day with joy was bright: the sun shone
 2. His ris - en flesh with ra - diance glowed, his wound - ed
 3. O Je - sus, King of gen - tle - ness, do thou thy -
 4. O Lord of all, with us a - bide in this, our

out with fair - er light when to their long - ing
 hands and feet he showed; those scars their sol - emn
 self our hearts pos - sess, that we may give thee
 joy - ful Eas - ter - tide; from ev - 'ry weap - on

eyes re - stored, th'a - pos - tles saw their ris - en Lord.
 wit - ness gave that Christ was ris - en from the grave.
 all our days the will - ing trib - ute of our praise.
 death can wield thine own re - deemed for - ev - er shield.

Early medieval Latin hymn
 Tr. in *Hymns Ancient and Modern*, 1861; alt.

PUER NOBIS NASCITUR L.M.
 Melody adapted by Michael Praetorius, 1609
 Arr. George R. Woodward, 1910

The Day of Resurrection!

1. The day of res - ur - rec - tion! Earth, tell it out a - broad;
 2. Our hearts be pure from e - vil, that we may see a - right
 3. Now let the heav'ns be joy - ful, let earth her song be - gin;

the Pass - o - ver of glad - ness, the Pass - o - ver of God.
 the Lord in rays e - ter - nal of res - ur - rec - tion light;
 let all the world keep tri - umph, and all that is there - in;

From death to life e - ter - nal, from this world to the sky,
 and lis - ening to his ac - cents, may hear, so calm and plain,
 let all things seen and un - seen, their notes let all things blend,

our Christ hath brought us o - ver with hymns of vic - to - ry.
 his own "All hail!" and hear - ing, may raise the vic - tor strain.
 for Christ the Lord hath ris - en, our joy that hath no end.

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CHURCH Services

SUNDAY:

Morning Worship 8:30/11:00 A.M.

Sunday School 10:00 A.M.

Evening Worship 6:00 P.M.

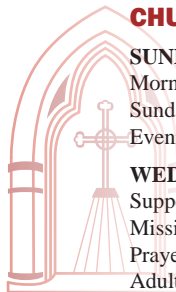
WEDNESDAY:

Supper 5:30 P.M.

Missions Moment 6:45 P.M.

Prayer Meeting 7:00 P.M.

Adult Bible Study 7:15 P.M.



Office Hours: Mon–Thur: 9 A.M. – 4 P.M. Fri: 9 A.M. – Noon