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APRIL 4, 2021
EASTER SUNDAY

† Congregation Standing (as able)

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

There are children's activity bags on the white stand in the back, along with clipboards in the red basket for older children. On the second and fourth Sundays of the month, children 4 years old - 2nd grade will be dismissed during the service for children's church.

CDs of past services are available in the small filing cabinet on the table in the rear of the sanctuary.

MEDITATION

Kristi Gautsche & Ellen Juroe, "The Easter Song"

Hear the bells ringing, they're singing that we can be born again!

The angel upon the tombstone said, "He is risen just as he said.
Quickly now go tell his disciples that Jesus Christ is no longer dead!"

Joy to the world, he is risen, Alleluia!
He's risen, Alleluia! He's risen, Alleluia!

Hear the bells ringing, they're singing, "Christ is risen from the dead!"

† CALL TO WORSHIP

MARK 16:1-7

As they were talking about these things, Jesus himself stood among them, and said to them, "Peace to you!" But they were startled and frightened and thought they saw a spirit. And he said to them, "Why are you troubled, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? See my hands and my feet, that it is I myself. Touch me, and see. For a spirit does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have." And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. And while they still disbelieved for joy and were marveling, he said to them, "Have you anything here to eat?" They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate before them. Then he said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled." Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures, and said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, and that repentance for the forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem.

†CHRIST THE LORD IS RISEN TODAY

Wesley; Hymn 289

Christ the Lord is risen today, alleluia! Sons of men and angels say: Alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high, alleluia! Sing, ye heavens, and earth reply: Alleluia!

Lives again our glorious King, alleluia! Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!
Dying once, He all doth save, alleluia! Where thy victory, O grave? Alleluia!

Love's redeeming work is done, alleluia! Fought the fight, the battle won, Alleluia!
Death in vain forbids Him rise, alleluia! Christ has opened paradise, Alleluia!

†INVOCATION

Pastor Ben Cuthbert

†CHRIST OUR HOPE IN LIFE AND DEATH

Kauffman, Getty, Papa, Merker; CCLI 7147502

What is our hope in life and death? Christ alone, Christ alone.
What is our only confidence? That our souls to him belong.
What holds our days within his hand? What comes apart from his command?
And what will keep us to the end? The love of Christ, in which we stand.

CHORUS

O sing hallelujah! Our hope springs eternal;
O sing hallelujah! Now and ever we confess
Christ our hope in life and death.

What truth can calm the troubled soul? God is good, God is good.
Where is his grace and goodness known? In our great Redeemer's blood.
Who holds our faith when fears arise? Who stands above the stormy trial?
Who sends the waves that bring us nigh, unto the shore the rock of Christ. **CHORUS**

Unto the grave, what shall we sing? "Christ, he lives; Christ, he lives!"
And what reward will heaven bring? Everlasting life with him.
There we will rise to meet the Lord, then sin and death will be destroyed,
And we will feast in endless joy, when Christ is ours forevermore. **CHORUS**

OFFERTORY

Joshua Lawson, "Christ is Risen"

We will not pass the offering plate this morning. Before or after the service, please place your offering in the plates at the rear of the sanctuary or make your gift online at collegebaptist.org.

†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.

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

Don Westblade, Elder

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 sin 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 and ever. Amen.

SERMON TEXT: 1 PETER 3:18

For Christ also suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that he might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh but made alive in the spirit.

SERMON: THE PURPOSE OF EASTER

Pastor Ben Cuthbert

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†HOW DEEP THE FATHER'S LOVE FOR US

Townend; CCLI 1558110

How deep the Father's love for us, how vast beyond all measure,
That He should give His only Son to make a wretch His treasure!
How great the pain of searing loss; the Father turns His face away
As wounds which mar the Chosen One bring many sons to glory.

Behold the Man upon a cross, my sin upon His shoulders;
Ashamed I hear my mocking voice call out among the scoffers.
It was my sin that held Him there until it was accomplished.
His dying breath has brought me life; I know that it is finished.

I will not boast in anything, no gifts, no pow'r, no wisdom.
But I will boast in Jesus Christ, His death and resurrection.
Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot give an answer,
But this I know with all my heart: His wounds have paid my ransom.

THE LORD'S SUPPER *The bread we use is gluten-free.*

The Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, "This is my body which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me."
In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

†IN CHRIST ALONE

Getty, Townend; CCLI 3350395

In Christ alone my hope is found; he is my light, my strength, my song.
This cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease,
My comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless babe.
This gift of love and righteousness, scorned by the ones he came to save.
Till on that cross as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied,
For every sin on him was laid; here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground his body lay, light of the world by darkness slain.
Then bursting forth in glorious day, up from the grave he rose again.
And as he stands in victory, sin's curse has lost its grip on me,
For I am his and he is mine, bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the power of Christ in me.
From life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no scheme of man, can ever pluck me from his hand.
Till he returns or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

DEACONS' FUND OFFERING

†BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

THE BULLETIN BOARD

WHO'S WHO? *Boldface indicates board chair. Look inside the attendance pad for more information about board duties.*

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SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT: Megan Gray

Monday, April 5	7:00 p.m.	Men's M.E.A.T. Bible Study (Library)
Monday, April 5	7:00 p.m.	Women's Bible Study (Upper Vestry/Zoom)
Wednesday, April 7	10:00 a.m.	Tidings of Comfort (Upper Vestry)
Sunday, April 11	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
Sunday, April 11	10:45 a.m.	Worship Service
Sunday, April 11	6:00 p.m.	Youth Group

EASTER LILIES Easter lilies were given by:

Sherry and Gary Barnes in memory of Mancel & Velma Barnes, Bill & Dorothy Wilson, and Myra Short

Ray and Carol Bentley in memory of Chris Bentley and Dalton & Irene Rayboen

The Brown Family in memory of Dale Conant

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Don and Joni Westblade in memory of Jerry Eilers, Maynard Westblade, and Craig Kruse

Laura Wilson in memory of Phil Wilson

BAPTISM AND NEW MEMBERS We will celebrate the baptism of one person during our morning worship service on **April 18**. Afterward, we will hold a brief congregational meeting to vote to welcome new members to the College Baptist Church family.

SAVE THE DATE Vacation Bible School will be **Sunday, June 20-Thursday, June 24**. Please save the date and plan to join us for VBS this year!

ONLINE GIVING College Baptist Church is now able to receive financial gifts electronically. To make a gift, please go to collegebaptist.org and look for the green "Give" button.

FINANCIAL REPORT THROUGH MARCH 27:

Contributions YTD \$62,688 *minus* Expenses YTD \$51,502 *equals* Net \$11,186

Budget YTD \$64,670