

The Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church

Easter Sunday



Mosaic of the Resurrection, Orthodox church in Kirowograd, Ukraine

Celebration of the Resurrection

April 17, 2022

10:00 a.m. in-person and online

Greetings in the name of Jesus Christ!

**Whoever you are, from wherever you come,
you are welcome.**

*The Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church seeks to be a congregation where God is the center of our lives;
we celebrate children and youth and equip them with faith to meet life's challenges;
we work for justice in local and global communities.*

*Those who are able are invited to stand. **Bold indicates congregational response.** Please use a connection card found in the pew to write your prayer concern and hand it to an usher, or put it in the zoom chat and it will be included in the Joys and Concerns later in the service.

We Gather Together

The Prelude

Concerto in A Major Allegro ma non tanto, bwv 1055
Justin Drew, Horn

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)
Arr. Justin Drew

Concerto in D Major (After Vivaldi) Andante; Allegro assai, bwv 972
Marty Bishop, Trumpet

J.S. Bach

*The Good News Proclamation

The Rev. Molly Blythe Teichert

*The Call to Worship

Susan Dentzer

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

Alleluia! Christ is risen indeed!

Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good,

God's steadfast love endures forever!

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

ALLELUIA! CHRIST IS RISEN INDEED!

*Hymn 232

Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

Easter Hymn

**1 Jesus Christ is risen today, Alleluia!
our triumphant holy day, Alleluia!
who did once upon the cross, Alleluia!
suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!**

**3 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!**

**2 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!**

**4 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 Greeting

The Rev. Molly Blythe Teichert

Time with Children

The Rev. Keith Thompson

*The Peace

The Prince of Peace has conquered death.

We are freed from sin for lives of love and joy!

The peace of our risen Christ be with you all!

And also with you!

We invite you to exchange signs of peace and reconciliation with one another.

We Share Our Community Concerns

*The Gathering Hymn

All Creatures of Our God and King

Hymn 15, st. 4

**All who for love of God forgive, all who in pain and sorrow grieve,
Alleluia! Alleluia! Christ bears your burdens and your fears; so even in the midst of tears,
sing praises! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Lasst uns erfreuen

The Joys and Concerns of the Congregation

The Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Our Father and Mother, 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.

We Hear the Word

The Prayer for Illumination

O Risen Christ, open us to the power of your resurrection as we hear it proclaimed anew this day,
that we too might rise to new life in you. Amen.

Psalm 118: 14-18

The congregation may remain seated as the **Antiphon** is introduced by the choir

Kevin Hackett

Hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah!

Hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah!

Hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah!

The musical score is written on three staves. The top staff is a vocal line with lyrics. The middle staff is a vocal line with lyrics. The bottom staff is a piano accompaniment line. The lyrics are: Hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah!

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Hebrew Bible

Isaiah 65:17-25

- ¹⁷For I am about to create new heavens
and a new earth;
the former things shall not be remembered
or come to mind.
- ¹⁸But be glad and rejoice forever
in what I am creating;
for I am about to create Jerusalem as a joy,
and its people as a delight.
- ¹⁹I will rejoice in Jerusalem,
and delight in my people;
no more shall the sound of weeping be heard in it,
or the cry of distress.
- ²⁰No more shall there be in it
an infant that lives but a few days,
or an old person who does not live out a lifetime;
for one who dies at a hundred years will be considered a youth,
and one who falls short of a hundred will be considered accursed.
- ²¹They shall build houses and inhabit them;
they shall plant vineyards and eat their fruit.
- ²²They shall not build and another inhabit;
they shall not plant and another eat;
for like the days of a tree shall the days of my people be,
and my chosen shall long enjoy the work of their hands.
- ²³They shall not labor in vain,
or bear children for calamity;^[e]
for they shall be offspring blessed by the Lord—
and their descendants as well.
- ²⁴Before they call I will answer,
while they are yet speaking I will hear.
- ²⁵The wolf and the lamb shall feed together,
the lion shall eat straw like the ox;
but the serpent—its food shall be dust!
They shall not hurt or destroy
on all my holy mountain, says the Lord.

The Gospel

Luke 24:1-12

But on the first day of the week, at early dawn, they came to the tomb, taking the spices that they had prepared. ² They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, ³ but when they went in, they did not find the body. ⁴ While they were perplexed about this, suddenly two men in dazzling clothes stood beside them. ⁵ The women were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, "Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen. ⁶ Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, ⁷ that the Son of Man must be handed over to sinners, and be crucified, and on the third day rise again." ⁸ Then they remembered his words, ⁹ and returning from the tomb, they told all this to the eleven and to all the rest. ¹⁰ Now it was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the other women with them who told this to the apostles. ¹¹ But these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. ¹² But Peter got up and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; then he went home, amazed at what had happened.

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Sermon

Resurrection Hope!

The Rev. Molly Blythe Teichert

We Respond to the Word

*Hymn 239

Good Christians All, Rejoice and Sing!

Gelobt sei Gott

**1 Good Christians all, rejoice and sing!
Now is the triumph of our King!
To all the world glad news we bring:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**2 The Lord of life is risen today!
Death's mighty stone is rolled away.
Let all the earth rejoice and say:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**3 Praise we in songs of victory
that love, that life which cannot die,
and sing with hearts uplifted high:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**4 Your name we bless, O risen Lord,
and sing today with one accord
the life laid down, the life restored:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

*The Affirmation of Faith

**We believe in Jesus Christ, born of Mary, who came:
healing the broken,
serving the poor,
liberating the burdened,
and reconciling heaven and earth.**

Condemned by the religious and crucified by the state, Jesus died forsaken.

No pain in our hearts, or throughout the whole earth, is unknown to Christ.

Yet, redeeming even death, God raised Jesus from the grave.

**Christ ascended into heaven to be present everywhere
so that nothing is beyond the reach of God's healing touch.**

Christ calls us by name to celebrate life,

to love and serve others,

to seek justice and resist evil,

to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen.

In life, in death, in life beyond death, we belong to God. Alleluia! Amen.

Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts to God

The Offertory

The Strife is O'er

Richard Shepherd (1949-2021)

*The People's Response

All Creatures of Our God and King

Hymn 15, st. 6

O sisters, brothers take your part, and worship God with humble heart.

Lasst uns erfreuen

Alleluia! Alleluia!

All creatures, bless the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, Three in One!

Sing praises! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

***The Prayer of Dedication**

***Hymn 233**

The Day of Resurrection!

Lancashire

**1 The day of resurrection! Earth, tell it out abroad,
the Passover of gladness, the Passover of God.
From death to life eternal, from sin's dominion free,
our Christ has brought us over with hymns of victory.**

**2 Let hearts be purged of evil that we may see aright
the Lord in rays eternal of resurrection light,
and listening to his accents, may hear, so calm and plain,
his own "All hail!" and hearing, may raise the victor
strain.**

**3 Now let the heavens be joyful; let earth its song begin;
the round world keep high triumph and all that is therein.
Let all things seen and unseen their notes of gladness blend,
for Christ the Lord has risen, our joy that has no end.**

***The Benediction**

***The Postlude**

Vivace from Concerto in Bb Major
Justin Drew, Horn

Georg Phillip Telemann
Arr. Justin Drew

***Leaders in worship include:** The Rev. Molly Blythe Teichert, Sr. Pastor; The Rev. Keith Thompson, Acting Associate Pastor; Julie Vidrick Evans, Director of Music; The Chancel Choir; Marty Bishop, Trumpet; Justin Drew, French Horn; Susan Dentzer, Liturgist.

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WEEKLY CALENDAR

April 17 – April 24, 2022

Sunday, April 17	9:00 – 12:00 10:00 – 11:00 11:00 – 12:15 11:30 – 12:30	Childcare — Room 108 Worship — Sanctuary and Zoom at https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83179114222?pwd=UnhZUUpS2VPdMkwR3NyQ2kzNmN5Zz09 Fellowship Hour — CCPC Parking Lot and Chadsey Hall Faith Trek — Online at NEW LINK https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81332732114?pwd=NoZqb2lBYzNKVGEyeUJJZXFzGS3lLz09
Monday, April 18		EASTER MONDAY OFFICE CLOSED
Tuesday, April 19	12:30 – 2:30	Needlework Group — CCPC Library
Wednesday, April 20	11:00 – 12:00	Bible Study — Online at https://us06web.zoom.us/j/4905335007?pwd=eVNCc2YwOEg1EdEMit5SEJBUDMxUT09

Thursday, April 21	2:00 – 3:00	Coffee with Pastor Molly – Online at https://zoom.us/j/93390906145?pwd=QVJqdFNSUoYzUmVlc3dSYS82RWRaUT09
	7:30 – 8:30	Chancel Choir Rehearsal — Sanctuary and Room 300
Saturday, April 23	11:00 – 12:00	William Bedenbaugh Memorial Service – Sanctuary and Online at https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83179114222?pwd=UnhZUUpsN2VPdmkwR3NyQ2kzNmN5Zz09
Sunday, April 24	9:00 – 12:00	Childcare — Room 108
	10:00 – 11:00	Worship — Sanctuary and Zoom at https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83179114222?pwd=UnhZUUpsN2VPdmkwR3NyQ2kzNmN5Zz09
	10:15 – 11:00	Sunday School — Chadsey Hall
	11:00 – 12:15	Fellowship Hour — CCPC Parking Lot and Chadsey Hall
	11:15 – 12:00	Youth Choir — Room 308
	11:30 – 12:30	Faith Trek — Online at NEW LINK https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81332732114?pwd=NoZqb2lBYzNKVGEyeUJJZXFzS3lLZz09
4:00 – 5:00	DCFlutes Concert – CCPC Sanctuary	