

WORSHIP CELEBRATION

EASTER WORSHIP CELEBRATION

March 23, 2008

9:00 a.m. worship

PRELUDE "Resurrection Alleluias" Chancel Choir

GREETING

LEADER: CHRIST IS RISEN!

People: Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

OPENING PRAYER:

O Lord, your wondrous birth means nothing unless we are born again, Your death and sacrifice mean nothing unless we die to sin, Your resurrection means nothing if you be risen alone. Raise and exalt us, O Savior, Both now to the estate of grace and hereafter to the state of glory; You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, forever and ever Amen.

OPENING HYMN "Christ The Lord Is Risen Today" No. 302
"Up From The Grave He Arose" No. 322
"Crown Him With Many Crowns" No. 327

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH No. 888

LEADER: THIS IS THE GOOD NEWS WHICH WE HAVE RECEIVED, IN WHICH WE STAND, AND BY WHICH WE ARE SAVED.

People: Christ died for our sins, was buried, was raised on the third day, and appeared first to the women, then to Peter and the Twelve, and then to many faithful witnesses. We believe Jesus is the Christ, the Anointed One of God, the firstborn of all creation, the firstborn from the dead, in whom all things hold together, in whom the fullness of God was pleased to dwell by the power of the Spirit. Christ is the head of the body, the church, and by the blood of the cross reconciles all things to God. Amen.

HYMN OF PRAYER "He Is Lord" No. 177

PASTORAL PRAYER...LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERTORY "Embrace the Cross" Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE John 14:1-5

MESSAGE "Without a Trace?" Dr. Creighton Kaye

SPECIAL MUSIC Praise Team

"Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)"

HYMN OF COMMITMENT "He Lives" No. 310

WELCOME

Welcome Guests! Welcome to our worship service!! We are glad that you are here with us! May you feel God's presence & the warmth of Christian fellowship as you worship with us. Please fill out your name, address & phone number on the pew pad or visitors card in your row. If this is your 1st visit to EUM, take your name & address info to the hospitality desk after the service & receive a welcome gift.

Parking is available in the upper Gateway Parking lot on Sunday morning. Please feel free to park there & walk to EUM or grab the shuttle bus.

IMPORTANT: Parking is prohibited within 15' of all corners. Police may ticket your car. Neighbors have asked us to remind you. Thank you!

In order that our senior citizens and handicapped members can secure parking close to the church entrance, we are asking that our healthy members park in the upper Gateway parking lot or down the block from the church. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

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Hospital Notification Requested! If you or a loved one are scheduled for a hospital stay or admitted to the hospital unexpectedly, please call the church office (632-8381). Hospital regulations (HIPAA) restrict access of patient information to clergy unless the patient specifically asks to be listed in the religious directory authorizing visits. So, if we don't know you're there, we can't visit and/or pray for you! Thanks for helping keep us informed.

Nursery Care is available during both the 9:00 & 10:30 a.m. service. The Infant Nursery is for ages 0-18 months and is located on the *main* level, north hallway. The Toddler Nursery is for 19-36 months and is located on the *lower* level, north hallway. Pagers are provided. **M&M's Children's Ministry (Music & More)** takes place at 9:00 a.m. for ages K-5th grade. **S.H.O.U.T. Children's Ministry** takes place during the 10:30 service. Ages 1st-5th grade begin the hour in the sanctuary with their family and are dismissed to SHOUT after Praise and Prayer. **Critter Land** takes place during the 10:30 a.m. service. The 3 yr. olds meet in the north east classroom on the lower level. The 4 yrs.-K meet in the north east room next to the sanctuary.

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Join us next Sunday! Devin Tharp will be giving the message. Invite a friend!

The Next Senior Luncheon is Tuesday, March 25, at noon. Cost is \$4 per person. Reservations are needed by calling Lisa at 886-3503.

Thank you to EUM's youth for helping as ushers, greeters, and in worship this month. Your willingness to help & your faithfulness is greatly appreciated.

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WORSHIP THROUGH SONG

"Christ The Lord Is Risen Today"

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"How Great Is Our God" "Grace Flows Down"

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OFFERTORY "Nothing But the Blood" Praise Team

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CLOSING SONG "He Reigns

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Parenting Teens is a class to help you love your teenager effectively. We meet each Sunday morning at 9:00 a.m. in the library. No registration, just show up. Questions? See Devin.

The Men's Group, "Fusion", meets at 6 a.m. every Friday morning. Questions? Call Devin, 632-8381, ext. 13.

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CALENDAR

SUNDAY	03/23-Easter Sunday
9:00 a.m.	Worship w/hymns
10:30 a.m.	Worship w/praise songs
MONDAY	03/24
9-11:00 a.m.	NO "Lydia's Circle" this week
TUESDAY	03/25
NOON	Senior Luncheon
1:00 p.m.	NO Weekly Staff Meeting this week
WEDNESDAY	03/26-NO CrossTraining this week
	Easter Break
THURSDAY	03/27
FRIDAY	03/28
6:00 a.m.	"Fusion" Men's Group
SATURDAY	03/29
SUNDAY	03/30
9:00 a.m.	Worship w/hymns
10:30 a.m.	Worship w/praise songs

MDO Classes Resume on Monday, March 31st!

REMINDER: If you ordered Easter flowers, please take them home following the 10:30 service this morning. Any flowers still in the sanctuary after 4 p.m. on Tuesday, March 25, will be delivered to the sick & shut-in.

M&M Kids take a break from rehearsing, and celebrate Easter with a party. **SHOUT Kids and Critterland Classes** celebrate Easter with the truth that Jesus is alive! **Babies Bible** hear that we can sing praises to Jesus because He is alive.

Everybody, Ministers
 Rev. Dr. Creighton Kaye, Pastor
 Rev. Karin Kaye, Executive Pastor
 Devin Tharp, Director of Youth & Family Ministry
 Cheryl Buenger, Director of Forever Friends Children's Ministry
 Jim Bonczkowski, Facility Supervisor
 Ann Hutler, Children's Ministry Assistant of Forever Friends
 Dianne Kime, Pianist
 Jody Molitor, MDO Director
 Nicole Rodriguez, Nursery Coordinator
 Katie Steiner, Director of Junior High Ministry
 JoEllyn Zenisek, Organist/Choir Director

MISSION STATEMENT

To bring people into a personal and dynamic relationship with Jesus Christ and to equip and mobilize them for ministry.

OUR STEWARDSHIP

"Just as you excel in everything-in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in complete earnestness and in your love for us-see that you also excel in this grace of giving."
2 Corinthians 8:7 (NIV)



Budget Income 3/16/08: \$12,202.55 (\$14,145. x 52 wks. = '08 Budget)
 Attendance from 3/16/08: 477