



In Preparation for Worship

“Our Lord has written the promise of resurrection, not in books alone, but in every leaf of springtime.

-Martin Luther

Prelude

Bell Peal

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome

At this time, please take a moment to let us know you are worshiping online with us by sharing your name in the “comments” on our video feed, as well as filling out the [online friendship pad](#) at [slpres.org](#).

Hymn #232 stanzas 1, 2 and 4

Jesus Christ is Risen Today

Opening Prayer

Song of Praise #238

Thine is the Glory

Passing of the Peace of Christ

We encourage you to pass the peace with your fellow worshipers in the “comments” of the video feed and to take time today to reach out and share Christ’s peace with your friends, neighbors and family.

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading

John 20:1-18

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Tell Us Our Story

Catherine Anne Thomas

Sermon

When Grace Calls Your Name

David Lower

Hymn #264 stanzas 1, 2 and 5

Christ is Alive!

Affirmation of Faith

from Sanctified Art

We know the fear of the upper room.
 We know the feeling of hard days and long nights.
 We know the grief of the tomb,
 And the particular ache of saying goodbye.
 We know the pain of Good Friday,
 And we know the darkness before dawn.
 And still,
 And still,
 We believe.
 We believe that again and again,
 The sun will rise.
 Again and again,
 God will draw near.
 Again and again,
 We will march toward justice.
 Again and again,
 The tomb will be empty.
 Again and again,
 Love will win.

Again and again,
God will lead the church.
Again and again,
And again and again,
We will be loved.
The journey will not be perfect.
We will need to rise before dawn.
We will need angels along the way.
But again and again,
The sun will rise.

Prayers of the People & 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 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.

The Offering

*Giving is a tangible sign of worship. During this interesting time in our world, we encourage you to continue to share your time, talent and treasure. You may also "Text to Give" to **73256**. The body of the text needs to start with the keyword GIVETOSLPRES followed by the amount.*

Hymn #248

Christ is Risen! Shout Hosanna!

Benediction

Postlude