Word Children's Blessing: "Oh, How Good Is Christ the Lord" LUYH 192 Children ages 3 years old through 1st grade are invited to go downstairs to the Multi-Purpose Room for a time of worship designed especially for young children. Our young guests are welcome to participate in this service. Parents, we invite you to walk your children downstairs to help get them settled in. Prayer for Illumination Scripture: Psalm 4 p.845 Sermon: "Let Evening Come" Pastor Joel Kok Response *Song of Response: "My Life Flows on in Endless Song" LUYH 433 *We Profess Our Faith: The Apostles' Creed LUYH 783A Prayers for the Church and World Sending *Benediction *Song: "Great Is He"

Altos: Great is he who's the King of kings and the Lord of lords, he is wonderful!

Sopranos: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, he is wonderful!

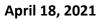
Men: Alleluia, salvation and glory, honor and power, he is wonderful!

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Worship Participants

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Eastertide





Psalm 4:6-8

There are many who say, "O that we might see some good! Let the light of your face shine on us, O Lord!" You have put gladness in my heart more than when their grain and wine abound. I will both lie down and sleep in peace; for you alone, O Lord, make me lie down in safety.

Gathering

Welcome

*Call to Worship: Psalm 65:1-8

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*Song: "Come, People of the Risen King"

1. Come, people of the risen King, who delight to bring him praise: Come all and tune your hearts to sing to the Morning Star of grace. From the shifting shadows of the earth we will lift our eyes to him, where steady arms of mercy reach to gather children in.

> Chorus: Rejoice, rejoice! Let every tongue rejoice! One heart, one voice; O Church of Christ, rejoice!

2. Come, those whose joy is morning sun, and those weeping through the night;

come, those who tell of battles won, and those struggling in the fight. For his perfect love will never change, and his mercies never cease, but follow us through all our days with the certain hope of peace. (chorus)

3. Come, young and old from every land – men and women of the faith; Come, those with full or empty hands – find the riches of his grace.
Over all the world, his people sing – shore to shore we hear them call The truth that cries through every age: "Our God is all in all!" (chorus)

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*God Greets Us, We Greet One Another

*Song: "Mfurahini, haleluya/Christ Has Arisen, Alleluia" LUYH 188:1,4,5

Renewal

Prayer of Confession (based on Psalm 4)

Lord, we remember the way you have delivered your people in the past, and the way you have shown them great mercy. Our only righteousness rests in you.

Find us as sons and daughters after your own heart,

be merciful to us, just as you were to David, and hear our prayers.

Distress is rising and we're calling out to you!

Silence

We know though the world rebels against you, You have set apart the godly for yourself. We know you hear when we call to you. We know that you fill our hearts with greater joy We know that you alone make us dwell in safety. Silence Accept our offerings: We will search our own hearts and be silent when chaos prevails. We will offer you sacrifices that are right. We will tame our anger and not sin against you. We will trust in you and be glad. And when we fail, forgive us. Send your Spirit to guide us. Let the light of your face shine upon us! Let the joy of your unfailing love fill us until truth leads us out of distress into freedom. Amen.

Song: "Shine On Us"

Lord, let Your light, light of Your face shine on us. Lord, let Your light, light of Your face shine on us. That we may be saved, that we may have life; to find our way in the darkest night, let your light shine on us.

Lord, let your grace, grace from your hand, fall on us. Lord, let your grace, grace from your hand, fall on us. That we may be saved, that we may have life; to find our way in the darkest night, let your grace come over us

Lord, let Your love, love with no end come over us. Lord, let Your love, love with no end come over us. That we may be saved, that we may have life; to find our way in the darkest night, let your love come over us, let Your light shine on us

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Assurance of Pardon: John 8:12

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