# Eastertide

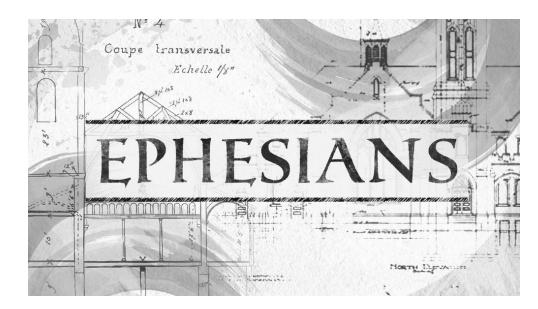
April 7, 2024

### Sending

\*Benediction

\*Closing Song: "Across the Lands"

LUYH 775



#### **Worship Participants**

Pastor: Dr. Joel Kok ← Organ/Piano: Donna Brue ← Worship Leader: Pam DeJong Sound: Nick Breems ← Video: Rebecca DeVries ← CCLI #493458 ← OneLicense #A-721171

#### **Hearing Assistance**

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A telecoil hearing-loop system sends a signal into the sanctuary. If your hearing aid is t-coil equipped, try switching to the t-coil receiver. An FM hearing assistance system is also available for ears without hearing aids. Consult the sound operator for assistance.

### Ephesians 1:8b-10

With all wisdom and insight he has made known to us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure that he set forth in Christ, as a plan for the fullness of time, to gather up all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth.

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## Gathering

Welcome		
Call to Worship: Psalm 133	p.970	
*Song: "Alleluia! Jesus is Risen"	LUYH 205:1,3,5	
*God Greets Us, We Greet One Another		
*Song: "Christ Is Risen! Shout Hosanna"	LUYH 204	
Repentance & Renewal		
Prayer of Confession: "Not What My Hands Have Done"	LUYH 624:1,2	
Words of Assurance: Ephesians 1:3-4,7	p.1817	
Song of Thanksgiving: "Not What My Hands Have Done"	LUYH 624:3	
Invitation to Giving Offering our gifts is an important part of our response to God—connecting our worship with a life of discipleship—and is a way to participate in the ministry of Covenant CRC here in this building and around the world. Offering boxes are available, or check your bulletin announcements for more ways to give.		
Prayers for the Church and World		
	Word	
Children's Blessing: "He Is Lord"	LUYH 227:1	
Children ages 3 years old through kindergarten are invited to a time of worship designed especially for young children. Our young guests are welcome to participate in this service.		
Scripture Reading: Ephesians 1:1-14	p.1817	
Message: "Ultimate Will and Worship"	Pastor Joel Kok	
*Song of Response: "Now the Green Blade Rises"	LUYH 203	

	Table
The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving Lift up your hearts. We lift them up to the Lord. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right for us to give thanks and praise.	
Song: "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"	LUYH 538:1
The Institution: 1 Corinthians 11	
Memorial Acclamation Let us proclaim the mystery of our faith: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again. Dying, he destroyed our death. Rising, he restored our life. Lord Jesus, come in glory.	
<ul> <li>Prayer of Consecration, concluding with the Lord's Prayer</li> <li>Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.</li> <li>Thy kingdom come; thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.</li> <li>Give us this day our daily bread,</li> <li>and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.</li> <li>Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.</li> <li>For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. A</li> </ul>	
The Invitation We invite you to come down the center aisle to the communion table at the sanctuary. You may partake at the table or take it back to your seats to part Gluten-free bread is available on the communion table.	
Communion Songs: "Lift Up Your Hearts unto the Lord" "One Bread, One Body" (Soloist sings verses, congregation joins on the chorus	LUYH 844 LUYH 835
*The Thanksgiving: Revelation 5:12 Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain, To receive power and wealth and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and praise!	p.1919