



Easter Sunday



seeking:
*Who are you
looking for?*

Words of Welcome

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

THE GATHERING – We Enter into God's Presence

Sharing Christ's Peace

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips and Pastor Lisa Engelken

Gathering in the Light

Prelude to Worship

"The Lord's My Shepherd" by G. F. Handel, arr. Cindy Berry

Shanshan Song, piano

*Invitation to Worship

Jane Fletcher

one: What are you looking for?

*all: **The light before dawn.***

one: What are you looking for?

*all: **A reason to hope.***

one: What are you looking for?

*all: **Joy after grief and flowers after winter.***

one: What are you looking for?

*all: **A place to belong.***

one: What are you looking for?

*all: **We are looking for the Messiah.***

one: Surely God is in this place.

*all: **Good news! Come in. Love is alive!***

*Opening Hymn

"Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

Chalice Hymnal #216

Invocation

Jane Fletcher

Celebration of Baptism

Lillian Florence Sigmon

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Response in Song

"Down to the River to Pray"
"In the Garden"

Chalice Hymnal #227

THE WORD – We Receive God's Word

Prayer of Illumination	"Be Still"	Pastor Lisa Engelken
Worship & Wonder Scripture	"Jesus Is Risen: Appearance to Mary Magdalene"	Pastor Lisa Engelken
<i>a Worship & Wonder written by Sonja M. Stewart and Jerome W. Berryman, based on John 20:11-18</i>		
Scripture	John 20:1-18 (Common English Bible)	Sue Elliott
Sermon	"Who are you looking for?"	Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
Special Music	"Easter Song" by Anne Herring, arr. Joseph M. Martin	Chalice Chancel Choir

THE RESPONSE – We Respond in Worship

Prayers of the People	Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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Our 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.
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

Response in Song	"Who Are You Looking For" by Anna Strickland
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Invitation to Stewardship	Sue Elliott
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*Doxology	"My Life Is in You, Lord"	Chalice Praise #17
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Prayer of Dedication

Invitation to Communion	Rev. Terri Hord Owens (video)
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Communion Prayer

Words of Institution	Rev. Terri Hord Owens (video)
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Communion Response	"In Remembrance of Me"	Chalice Hymnal #403
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SENDING FORTH – We Go Out into the World

Invitation to Discipleship	Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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*Closing Hymn	"He Lives!"	Chalice Hymnal #226
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*Blessing and Benediction	Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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Postlude	"Hiding in Thee" by Dvorak, arr. Cindy Berry	Shanshan Song, piano
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