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Easter Sunday

Words of Welcome

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

THE GATHERING – We Enter into God's Presence

Sharing Christ's Peace & Gathering in the Light

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Prelude to Worship

"Hallelujah! What a Savior" arr. Cindy Berry

Julie Dean, piano

*Invitation to Worship

Pat Gilling

one: This day is not like any other day. Today we take it all in.

*all: **Today we slow down. Today we rest in good news.***

one: This day is not like any other day. Today we are full to the brim.

*all: **Today we are singing. Today joy cannot be contained.***

one: This day is not like any other day. Today we know – death does not win.

*all: **Today the stone was rolled away.***

one: Today the women saw the empty grave.

*all: **This day is not like any other day. Alleluia!***

*Opening Hymn

"He Lives!"

Chalice Hymnal #226

*Invocation

Pat Gilling

Celebration of Baptism

Madelynne Renée Shields

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

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Viola Chambers Sigmon

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Prayer of Illumination

"Be Still"

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Worship & Wonder Scripture"Jesus Is Risen: Appearance to Mary Magdalene" Pastor Lisa Engelken
a Children Worship & Wonder story by Sonja M. Stewart and Jerome Berryman, based on John 20:11-18
(told in the Children Worship and Wonder room)

THE WORD – We Receive God's Word

Choral Cantata "The Passion and the Promise" Chalice Chancel Choir
an Easter Cantata by Lloyd Larson and Mark Hayes, © 2014 Alfred Music

THE RESPONSE – We Respond in Worship

Prayers of the People Barb Collins

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.**

Invitation to Stewardship Easter Special Offering video
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*Doxology "Majesty" Chalice Praise #50

Prayer of Dedication

Invitation to Communion Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Communion Prayer

Words of Institution Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Communion Response "Full to the Brim" video

Child Dedications Jane Fielding Bayer and Margaret Elizabeth Bayer Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

SENDING FORTH – We Go Out into the World

Invitation to Discipleship Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

*Closing Hymn "Christ Arose!" Chalice Hymnal #224

*Blessing & Benediction Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

*Postlude "Low in the Grave He Lay" arr. Cindy Berry Julie Dean, piano

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