

Brookview BAPTIST CHURCH

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THE SECOND SUNDAY IN EASTERTIDE 11 A.M. MORNING WORSHIP, APRIL 19 2020



We invite you to add your heart and voice to the worship today.

EASTERTIDE | We celebrate Easter as a season, not a day—rather, fifty days, a perfect week of weeks. For forty days after his resurrection, our Lord Jesus walked the earth in his glorified body revealing himself and teaching his disciples before he ascended into heaven. Ten days after his ascension he sent the Holy Spirit on Pentecost.

ALLELUIA | This word derives from the Hebrew *hallelujah* and means “praise to Yahweh.” In Jewish worship, it is particularly characteristic of Passover. As early as the time of the writing of the book of Revelation, “Hallelujah” was already established as an important word in the Church’s worship vocabulary, and we use it with joyful excessiveness through Eastertide.

OPENING SENTENCE

1 Corinthians 15:57

THANKS BE TO GOD, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

INTROIT

The Minister sings

Surrexit Christus

TAIZEⁱ

THE LORD IS RISEN, alleluia! / Sing out and praise the Lord, alleluia!
*Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good / for God's love has no end.
 The Lord is my strength, the Lord is my song / God has been my Savior.
 I shall not die, I shall live / I shall live and recount God's deeds. —cf. Ps. 118*

—The Gathering—

EASTER ACCLAMATION

Leader Alleluia! Christ is risen.

All shout THE LORD IS RISEN INDEED. ALLELUIA!

ENTRANCE HYMN

My Jesus, I Love Thee

GORDONⁱⁱ

1. My Je - sus, I love Thee, I know Thou art mine - For Thee all the
 2. I love Thee be - cause Thou hast first lov - ed me And pur - chased my
 3. I'll love Thee in life, I will love Thee in death, And praise Thee as
 4. In man - sions of glo - ry and end - less de - light, I'll ev - er a -

fol - lies of sin I re - sign; My gra - cious Re - deem - er, my
 par - don on Cal - va - ry's tree; I love Thee for wear - ing the
 long as Thou lend - est me breath; And say when the death - dew lies
 dore Thee in heav - en so bright; I'll sing with the glit - ter - ing

Sav - ior art Thou: If ev - er I loved Thee, my Je - sus, 'tis now.
 thorns on Thy brow: If ev - er I loved Thee, my Je - sus, 'tis now.
 cold on my brow, "If ev - er I loved Thee, my Je - sus, 'tis now."
 crown on my brow, "If ev - er I loved Thee, my Je - sus, 'tis now."


PRAYER FOR PURITY

ALmighty God, to you all hearts are open, and all of our desires known. No secret is hidden from you. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts, God. Inspire us, O Spirit, that we may love you perfectly, and honor your holy name. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**

HYMN OF PRAISE

Fairest Lord Jesus

ST. ELIZABETH^{III}



1. Fair - est Lord Je - sus! Rul - er of all na - ture!
2. Fair are the mead - ows, Fair - er still the wood - lands,
3. Fair is the sun - shine, Fair - er still the moon - light,

O Thou of God and man the Son! Thee will I cher - ish,
Robed in the bloom - ing garb of spring; Je - sus is fair - er,
And all the twin - kling star - ry host; Je - sus shines bright - er,

Thee will I hon - or, Thou, my soul's glo - ry, joy, and crown!
Je - sus is pur - er, Who makes the woe - ful heart to sing!
Je - sus shines pur - er, Than all the an - gels heav'n can boast!

OPENING PRAYER

ALmighty and Everlasting God, who in the Paschal mystery established the new covenant of reconciliation: Grant that all who have been reborn into the fellowship of Christ's Body may show forth in their lives what they profess by their faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

—Service of the Word—

FIRST READING

Acts 2:14a, 22-32

BUT PETER, STANDING WITH THE ELEVEN, lifted up his voice and addressed them: ²² “Men of Israel, hear these words: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with mighty works and wonders and signs that God did through him in your midst, as you yourselves know— ²³ this Jesus, delivered up according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of lawless men. ²⁴ God raised him up, loosing the pangs of death, because it was not possible for him to be held by it. ²⁵ For David says concerning him, ‘I saw the Lord always before me, for he is at my right hand that I may not be shaken; ²⁶ therefore my heart was glad, and my tongue rejoiced; my flesh also will dwell in hope. ²⁷ For you will not abandon my soul to Hades, or let your Holy One see corruption. ²⁷ You have made known to me the paths of life; you will make me full of gladness with your presence.’ ²⁹ Brothers, I may say to you with confidence about the patriarch David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. ³⁰ Being therefore a prophet, and knowing that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would set one of his descendants on his throne, ³¹ he foresaw and spoke about the resurrection of the Christ, that he was not abandoned to Hades, nor did his flesh see corruption. ³² This Jesus God raised up, and of that we all are witnesses.”

PSALM 16

TAIZE^{iv}

Refrain Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

- Leader* ¹ Protect me, O God, for I take refuge in you; *
I have said to the LORD, "You are my Lord,
my good above all other."
² All my delight is upon the godly that are in the land, *
upon those who are noble among the people.
³ But those who run after other gods *
shall have their troubles multiplied.
⁴ Their libations of blood I will not offer, *
nor take the names of their gods upon my lips.

Refrain Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

- Leader* ⁵ O LORD, you are my portion and my cup; *
it is you who uphold my lot.
⁶ My boundaries enclose a pleasant land; *
indeed, I have a goodly heritage.

- 7 I will bless the LORD who gives me counsel; *
 my heart teaches me, night after night.
- 8 I have set the LORD always before me; *
 because he is at my right hand I shall not fall.

Refrain Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

- Leader* 9 My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spirit rejoices; *
 my body also shall rest in hope.
- 10 For you will not abandon me to the grave, *
 nor let your holy one see the Pit.
- 11 You will show me the path of life; *
 in your presence there is fullness of joy,
 and in your right hand are pleasures for evermore.

Refrain Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

THE EPISTLE

1 Peter 1:3-9

BLESSED BE THE GOD and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, ⁴ to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, ⁵ who by God's power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. ⁶ In this you rejoice, though now for a little while, if necessary, you have been grieved by various trials, ⁷ so that the tested genuineness of your faith—more precious than gold that perishes though it is tested by fire—may be found to result in praise and glory and honor at the revelation of Jesus Christ. ⁸ Though you have not seen him, you love him. Though you do not now see him, you believe in him and rejoice with joy that is inexpressible and filled with glory, ⁹ obtaining the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

SEQUENCE HYMN *I Know Who Holds Tomorrow*

IRA SAMPHILLY

I DON'T KNOW ABOUT TOMORROW, **I just live from day to day.**
I don't borrow from its sunshine,
for its skies may turn to gray.
I don't worry o'er the future, for I know what Jesus said,
and today I'll walk beside him,
for he knows what is ahead.

*Many things about tomorrow I don't seem to understand,
 but I know who holds tomorrow,
 and I know who holds my hand.*

2. **Every step is getting brighter as the golden stairs I climb;
 every burden's getting lighter;
 every cloud is silver lined.
 There the sun is always shining,
 there no tear will dim the eye,
 at the ending of the rainbow,
 where the mountains touch the sky. *Refrain***
3. **I don't know about tomorrow, it may bring me poverty;
 but the one who feeds the sparrow
 is the one who stands by me.
 And the path that be my portion
 may be through the flame or flood,
 but his presence goes before me
 and I'm covered with his blood. *Refrain***
- Many things about tomorrow I don't seem to understand,
 but I know who holds tomorrow,
 and I know who holds my hand.*

HOLY GOSPEL

John 20:19-31

○ IN THE EVENING OF THAT DAY, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you." ²⁰ When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord. ²¹ Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you." ²² And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³ If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you withhold forgiveness from any, it is withheld." ²⁴ Now Thomas, one of the twelve, called the Twin, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵ So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see in his hands the mark of the nails, and place my finger into the mark of the nails, and place my hand into his side, I will never believe." ²⁶ Eight days later, his disciples were inside again, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." ²⁷ Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here, and see my hands; and put out your hand, and place it in my side. Do not disbelieve, but believe." ²⁸ Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" ²⁹ Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed." ³¹ Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not

written in this book; ³² but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

SERMON

Brother Joseph Payton

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

HYMN OF JOY^{vi}



1. We be - lieve in God the Fa - ther, God al - migh - ty, by whose plan
2. Christ, who on the cross for - sa - ken, like a lamb to slaugh - ter led,
3. We be - lieve in God the Spi - rit; in one Church, be - low, a - bove:



earth and hea - ven sprang to be - ing, all cre - at - ed things be - gan.
suf - fered un - der Pon - tius Pi - late, he des - cen - ded to the dead.
saints of God in one com - mu - nion, one in ho - li - ness and love.



We be - lieve in Christ the Sa - vior, Son of God in hu - man frame,
We be - lieve in Je - sus ri - sen, hea - ven's King to rule and reign,
So by faith, our sins for - gi - ven, Christ our Sa - vior, Lord and friend,



vir - gin - born, the child of Ma - ry up - on whom the Spi - rit came.
to the Fa - ther's side as - cen - ded till as judge he comes a - gain.
we shall rise with him in glo - ry to the life that knows no end.

BIDDING PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

For the Church; the nation; the world; the community; the suffering; the lost; the bereaved

—Spiritual Communion—

THE LORD'S PRAYER

○ UR 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

LAMB OF GOD, you take away the sins of the world:
 have mercy on us, have mercy on us.
 Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:
 have mercy on us, have mercy on us.
 Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:
 grant us peace.

PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

DEAR JESUS, we believe that you are truly present in the bread of life and cup of salvation, your Body and Blood, and in your Body, the Church. We love you above all things, and we desire to possess you within our souls. And since we cannot now gather as the Body to receive you in the breaking of bread and sharing of cup, we beseech you to come spiritually to our hearts. We unite ourselves with you, together with all your faithful people gathered around every table and altar of your Church, and we embrace you with all the affections of our souls. Never permit us to be separated from you. Amen.

BLESSING & FINAL CHARGE

THE GOD OF PEACE, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, the great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the eternal covenant: Make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is well-pleasing in his sight; through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory for ever and ever.
 And the blessing of God... Amen.



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WORSHIP DURING COVID-19 OUTBREAK

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The video will also be available by Monday on our webpage:

www.brookviewbaptist.com

On Facebook and our website, there will also be an audio recording of the sermon only.

All of these places — **Facebook**, **YouTube**, and our **website** — will have links to the worship bulletin and hymns so that you may follow along.

Find other creative ways to worship from home. Contact Pastor Joseph if you would like any additional resources, and please consider how you will continue to give financial support to the church during these weeks apart. And call if you need anything!

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