



DRINK FROM THE

Fountain of Grace

EASTER SUNDAY

THE CUP THAT NEVER RUNS DRY

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Welcome

Prelude

Call to Worship

This is a new day! A day of marvels and miracles! A day to rejoice in what God has done! Yesterday was filled with too many worries and too little faith.

Mary don't you weep!

This is a new day! A day of marvels and miracles! A day to rejoice in what God has done! Yesterday was filled with too much criticism and too little affirmation.

Today, Peter, don't you moan!

This is a new day! A day of marvels and miracles! A day to rejoice in what God has done! Yesterday was filled with too many questions and too few answers.

This is Easter morning: dry your tears and shout for joy! Jesus is not dead. He is alive! God has conquered death and Jesus has cancelled sin. This is, indeed, a new day! Leap for joy!

Easter Acclamation

Christ is risen!

He is risen, indeed!

"Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

No. 302 (vs 1-3 & 5), *The United Methodist Hymnal* (1989 CCLI#11179170)

**Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia!
Earth and heaven in chorus say, Alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!
Sing, ye heavens, and earth reply, Alleluia!**

**Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia!
Fought the fight, the battle won, Alleluia!
Death in vain forbids him rise, Alleluia!
Christ has opened paradise, Alleluia!**

**Lives again our glorious King, Alleluia!
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!
Once he died our souls to save, Alleluia!
Where's thy victory, boasting grave? Alleluia!**

**Hail the Lord of earth and heaven, Alleluia!
Praise to thee by both be given, Alleluia!
Thee we greet triumphant now, Alleluia!
Hail the Resurrection, thou, Alleluia!**

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John 20:1-18

Common English Bible

Anthem

“Easter Alleluia”

No. 3088, *Worship & Song* (2011)

“The Overflowing Cup”

Pastor Jacob

“Christ Is Risen”

No. 307, *The United Methodist Hymnal* (1989)

Christ is risen! Shout Hosanna! Celebrate this day of days.

Christ is risen! Hush in wonder; all creation is amazed.

**In the desert all-surrounding, see, a spreading tree has grown.
Healing leaves of grace abounding bring a taste of love unknown.**

Christ is risen! Raise your spirits from the caverns of despair.

Walk with gladness in the morning. See what love can do and dare.

Drink the wine of resurrection, not a servant, but a friend;

Jesus is our strong companion. Joy and peace shall never end.

Christ is risen! Earth and heaven nevermore shall be the same.

Break the bread of new creation where the world is still in pain.

Tell its grim, demonic chorus: "Christ is risen! Get you gone!"

God the First and Last is with us. Sing Hosanna everyone!

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Invitation

Confession & Pardon

When our faith stands at the grave,
grieving for a stone that's rolled away,

forgive us.

When our faith is short of understanding
though the truth is there to see,

forgive us.

When our faith, beset by doubt,
sees no further than an empty tomb,

forgive us.

O God, bring to mind the cry of Mary,
'I have seen the Lord!'

and grant us faith to believe!

Hear the good news: You need not grieve,
you need not understand, this saying is trustworthy and true:
Christ is alive! He is risen

Christ is risen, indeed! Thanks be to God!

"Christ Is Alive"

No. 318 (vs. 1-2 & 5), *The United Methodist Hymnal* (1989)

**Christ is alive! Let Christians sing.
His cross stands empty to the sky.
Let streets and homes with praises ring.
His love in death shall never die.**

**Christ is alive! No longer bound
to distant years in Palestine,
he comes to claim the here and now
and dwell in every place and time.**

**Christ is alive, and comes to bring
good news to this and every age,
till earth and all creation ring
with joy, with justice, love, and praise.**

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise...

...And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest...**

...And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ,
we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving, as a holy and living
sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the
mystery of faith.

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

...Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy
Church,

**all honor and glory is yours, almighty God, now
and for ever. Amen**

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 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, forever.
Amen.**

Sharing the Bread and Cup

“Peace be to this congregation”

Words by Charles Wesley

TUNE: PROMISE (No. 707, *The United Methodist Hymnal*)

**Peace be to this congregation,
peace to ev'ry soul therein,
peace, which flows from Christ's salvation,
peace, the seal of cancelled sin,
peace that speaks its heavenly Giver,
peace, to earthly minds unknown,
peace divine that lasts forever
here erect its glorious throne.**

**Jesus, Prince of peace, be near us;
fix in all our hearts your home;
with your gracious presence cheer us;
let your sacred kingdom come;
raise to heav'n our expectation,
give our favored souls to prove
glorious and complete salvation,
in the realms of bliss above.**

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Witness

Postlude

**Thank you
for joining us for worship!**

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***All of us are ministers
called to share God's love and grace
with our community and world!***

Upcoming Events & Opportunities

To view the church calendar, go to franklinumc.org/calendar.

Book Club

We will meet **Monday, May 9 at 7pm** to discuss *Golden The Personal Librarian* by Marie Beaudet and Victoria Christopher Murray. The Book Club meets virtually. Go to **<https://meet.google.com/feq-yjgp-xoq>**, or dial 405-534-5197 (PIN: 552 165 644#). Questions? Contact Linda Zardeskas (lindazee50@hotmail.com)

Easter Egg Hunt Today!

Join us after the service for an Easter egg hunt behind the church. All are welcome.

Midweek Discussion w/ Pastor Jacob

Midweek discussions with Pastor Jacob meets **Wednesdays at 7pm** and lasts for approximately one hour. Discussion topics vary, but typically revolve around Sunday morning worship themes.

All are welcome to participate. *This small group meets virtually ONLY.* To join using Google Meet, go to **<https://meet.google.com/txp-ndfa-ivu>**. You can also call in by dialing 440-467-1448, the PIN is 220 679 745#.

If you have any questions about this small group and how to join, please contact Pastor Jacob (jacob@franklinumc.org).

Lunch Bunch

Lunch Bunch is up and running again! We meet at a local restaurant one afternoon a month for food and fellowship. Check back soon for May's date and location. See Nancy Boates with any questions.