

Westminster Presbyterian Church
The Lord's Day Morning Worship

April 12, AD 2020

11:00 AM

The Preparation for Worship

Prelude

Let us prepare ourselves for worship. Use this time for silent prayer and meditation on the Word. “Blessed Lord, whose only Son our Savior Jesus Christ has once suffered for our sins, the just for the unjust, that He might bring us to You our God: We beseech you, that as we are baptized into His death, so by continually mortifying our corrupt affections we may be buried with Him; and at last through the grave, and gate of death, pass to our joyful resurrection: For His merits, who died, and was buried, and rose again, Your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.”

Welcome and Announcements

Minute for Missions – Bill Schweitzer

The Call to Worship

Pastor Reiber

The Lord's Praise

Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Pastor Reiber

Hymn #277: *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today*

Easter Hymn

Apostles' Creed

Back of Hymnal

The Lord's Gifts

Offertory Prayer

Pastor Reiber

The Doxology

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Hymn #286: *Worship Christ, the Risen King!*

Regent Square

The Lord's Word

Pastoral Prayer

Pastor Reiber

Scripture

Matthew 28:1-28; Romans 5:23-25

Sermon *Christ the Lord is Risen*

Our Commitment

Hymn #283:

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Ebenezer

Benediction

Pastor Reiber

Postlude

Morning Worship Sermon Outline

Text: Matthew 28:1-28; Romans 5:23-25

Title: Christ the Lord is Risen

Introduction

- I. What are the circumstances of the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead?
 - A. Christ rose from the dead meaning His soul truly returned to His body.
 - B. Christ rose the very same Jesus, who is both God and man in one person which had died.
 - C. Christ resurrection is an act of His conquering power.
 - D. Christ rose on the third day.
- II. Christ rose for His and His Father's glory and our salvation.
 - A. Christ rose for His and His Father's glory.
 - B. Christ rose for our salvation.
- III. The Benefits the risen Christ bestows!
 - A. New Life, Eternal Life - regeneration by His Spirit.
 - B. Pardon and Righteousness and Sanctification
 - C. Christ's resurrection is the pledge of our resurrection

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