Easter Sunday

CULTIVATING CONNECTION WITH SELF, OTHERS, THE WIDE WORLD, AND GOD

FEEL FREE TO USE PRONOUNS OF YOUR CHOICE FOR ALL SONGS AND PRAYERS

Chimes

Call to Worship: Come Fall On Us

A thankful heart prepares the way for you my God A thankful heart prepares the way for you my God Come fall on us, we fall on you, A thankful heart will be our rhythm Come fall on us, we fall on you, A thankful heart will be our song

Up From the Grave He Arose!

Low in the grave He lay, Jesus, my Savior, Waiting the coming day, Jesus, my Lord!

Up from the grave He arose,
With a mighty triumph o'er His foes,
He arose a Victor from the dark domain,
And He lives forever, with His saints to reign.
He arose! He arose! Hallelujah! Christ arose!

Vainly they watch His bed, Jesus, my Savior; Vainly they seal the dead, Jesus, my Lord!

Sarum Prayer:

God be in my head
and in my understanding;
God be in my eyes
and in my looking;
God be in my mouth
and in my speaking;
God be in my heart
and in my thinking;
God be at my end
and at my departing

Children's Minute

A reading from the book of Isaiah, chapter 25:

The Lord will give a feast for all the people on this mountain. At the feast, there will be the best foods and wines. The meat will be good and tender, the wine pure and clear.

But now there is a veil covering all nations and people. This veil is called "death." But death will be destroyed forever. And the Lord God will wipe away every tear from every face. In the past, all of his people were sad, but God will take away that sadness from the earth. All of this will happen because the Lord said it would.

At that time people will say,

"Here is our God!

They are the one we have been waiting for.

God has come to save us.

We have been waiting for our Lord.

So we will rejoice and be happy when they save us."

Announcements

Sermon

Candles

Prayer for loved ones:

Olivia, Laura, Becca, Clara, Jason, Nancy, Justin, Orneal & Family, Ted, Mike and Janine, Brooke, Ben and Naomi, Natalie, Linda, Ken and Eleanor, Angelia, Eddie, Kevin, Holly Ann, Pat, Mindy, Allison, Kim, Jamie, Rachel, Erika, Liam, William, Anne, Lauretta, Bob, Gio, Bishop Yvette Flunder, Bishop Bonnie Perry, Bishop Darrell Goodwin, Brown, Lilliana, Leah, Alicia, Patrisse, Opal, Ozone House, immigrants.

Lord's Prayer

Our Mother in heaven, hallowed be your name.
Your kin_dom come, your will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
And forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kin_dom, the power, and the glory are yours. Now

Communion

Mama Bear Minute

and forever. Amen.

Song: Christ the Lord is Risen Today (Rachel and Joe)

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!

Benediction:

Know that the ever-present mystery we name God is in your past forgiving you, in your present loving you, and in your future meeting you.

And may the blessing of the Source of life, love and hope, the Word of life, compassion and wisdom and Breath of life, grace and truth surround, sustain and surprise you, this day and all your days. Amen

So, Go in peace Wash your hands Love your neighbor You are not alone