



**CHRIST COMMUNITY  
CHURCH *in* FRISCO (PCA)  
RESURRECTION SUNDAY  
*Lord's Day, April 20, 2025***

**Prelude**

**Words of Welcome & Preparation for Worship<sup>1</sup>**

**\*Call to Worship**

from I Corinthians 15: 55–56

**Leader:** Now is Christ risen from the dead and become the first fruits of them that slept. O death, where is your sting? O grave, where is your victory?

**All: Christ is risen!**

**Leader:** Christ is risen!

**All: The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia. Alleluia! ALLELUIA!**

\*Song of Praise<sup>2</sup>

*"Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"*

Wesley

1. Christ the Lord is ris'n today, Alleluia!  
Sons of men and angels say; Alleluia!  
Raise your joys and triumphs high; Alleluia!  
Sing ye heav'ns, and earth, reply. Alleluia!

2. Vain the stone, the watch, the seal; Alleluia!  
Christ has burst the gates of hell: Alleluia!  
Death in vain forbids his rise; Alleluia!  
Christ has opened paradise. Alleluia!

3. Lives again our glorious King; Alleluia!  
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!  
Once he died, our souls to save; Alleluia!  
Where thy victory, O grave? Alleluia!

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<sup>1</sup> As a courtesy, please program all communication devices to silent mode. Thank you!

\* = Please stand if able

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4. Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia!  
Foll'wing our exalted Head; Alleluia!  
Made like him, like him we rise: Alleluia!  
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies. Alleluia!

\*Song of Praise 2 - -

*"Resurrection Hymn"*

Townsend/Getty

1. See what a morning, gloriously bright  
With the dawning of hope in Jerusalem.  
Folded the grave clothes,  
Tomb filled with light,  
As the angels announce Christ is risen!  
See God's salvation plan, wrought in love,  
Born in pain, paid in sacrifice,  
Fulfilled in Christ, the Man, for He lives,  
Christ is risen from the dead!

2. See Mary weeping: "Where is He laid?"  
As in sorrow she turns from the empty tomb;  
Hears a voice speaking, calling her name:  
It's the Master, the Lord raised to life again!  
The voice that spans the years,  
Speaking life, stirring hope,  
Bringing peace to us,  
Will sound till He appears,  
For He lives, Christ is risen from the dead!

3. One with the Father, Ancient of Days,  
Through the Spirit  
Who clothes faith with certainty;  
Honor and blessing, glory and praise  
To the King crowned  
With power and authority!  
And we are raised with Him,  
Death is dead, love has won,  
Christ has conquered;  
And we shall reign with Him,  
For He lives, Christ is risen from the dead!

**\*Prayer of Adoration & Invocation**

**Scripture Reading:**

Psalm 93

**Call to Confession**

*we acknowledge our sin*

**Eternal Light, shine into our hearts. Eternal Goodness, deliver us from evil. Eternal Power, be our support. Eternal Wisdom, scatter the darkness of our ignorance. Eternal Pity, have mercy upon us, that with all our heart and mind and soul and strength we may seek Your face and be brought by Your infinite mercy to Your holy presence, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

~ Alcuin of York

## Private Reflection & Confession of Sin

*As you confess your sins, pray that the Holy Spirit would more and more awaken your desires to the beauty of Christ.*

### Offer of Forgiveness through Christ

*we receive His Grace*

*Hear what sweet words of comfort the Lord gives to those who truly repent of their sins and trust in Christ:*

Death has been swallowed up in victory! Where, O death is your sting? Where O grave, is your victory? The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

~From I Corinthians 15: 55–56

\*Song of Rejoicing –

*“Jerusalem”*

Robinson/Thompson

1. See Him in Jerusalem,  
Walking where the crowds are.  
Once these streets had sung to Him;  
Now they cry for murder.  
Such a frail and lonely Man,  
Holding up the heavy cross,  
See Him walking in Jerusalem  
On the road to save us.
2. See Him there upon the hill;  
Hear the scorn and laughter.  
Silent as a lamb He waits,  
Praying to the Father.  
See the King who made the sun  
And the moon and shining stars.  
Let the soldiers hold and nail Him down,  
So that He could save them.
3. See Him there upon the cross,  
Now no longer breathing.  
Dust that formed the watching crowds  
Takes the blood of Jesus.  
Feel the earth is shaking now;  
See the veil is split in two.  
And He stood before the wrath of God,  
Shielding sinners with His blood.
4. See the empty tomb today;  
Death could not contain Him.  
Once the Servant of the world;  
Now in vict'ry reigning.  
Lift your voices to the One  
Who is seated on the throne.  
See Him in the New Jerusalem;  
Praise the One who saved us.

## \*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. AMEN.

## Worship by Giving

Proverbs 3:9–10

Honor the Lord with your wealth and with the firstfruits of all your produce; then your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine.

## Prayers for Christ's Church & World

*"Our Father which 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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen* (Matthew 6.9–13; KJV)

## The Greeting & Doxology

*Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

## Scripture Reading: 1 John 1: 1-4

**Sermon:** *Knowing Jesus*

## Sacrament of the Lord's Supper<sup>3</sup>

### Invitation & Words of Institution

Luke 22:19–20

And he took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to them, saying, "This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." And likewise the cup after they had eaten, saying, "This cup that is poured out for you is the new covenant in my blood."

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<sup>3</sup>The bread and juice you see on the Communion table may not look like much to the casual observer. In fact, it is merely bread and juice. What makes this meal special is that the Lord Jesus Christ is spiritually present in a unique way. This sacrament is not something to be taken lightly; neither is it a time to be somber. Rather, we should be filled with thankfulness and joy. Our Savior, out of His great mercy, bids His people to come to this meal. If you are a member of a church who embraces the Gospel of Jesus Christ and are at peace with your fellow Christians, we welcome you to this table. Come and consider with us our Lord's body and shed blood symbolized in the bread and juice. Rejoice with us in our union with Him and with each other as His Covenant people. For those not taking Communion today, we encourage you to carefully consider the claims of Christ, that you would repent and believe the Good News of the Gospel, and we look forward to the day when you may join us in this meal.

1. Come, people of the Risen King,  
Who delight to bring Him praise;  
Come all and tune your hearts to sing  
To the Morning Star of grace.  
From the shifting shadows of the earth  
We will lift our eyes to Him,  
Where steady arms of mercy reach  
To gather children in.

Refrain

Rejoice, Rejoice! Let every tongue rejoice!  
One heart, one voice; O Church of Christ, rejoice!

2. Come, those whose joy is morning sun,  
And those weeping through the night;  
Come, those who tell of battles won,  
And those struggling in the fight.  
For His perfect love will never change,  
And His mercies never cease,  
But follow us through all our days  
With the certain hope of peace.

3. Come, young and old from every land  
Men and women of the faith;  
Come, those with full or empty hands  
Find the riches of His grace.  
Over all the world, His people sing -  
Shore to shore we hear them call  
The Truth that cries through every age:  
"Our God is all in all"!

**\*Benediction**

**Postlude**