

April 4, 2021 Easter Sunday



Welcome to New Hope Online Worship

Let us worship together, even while we are apart

Our pre-recorded service can be viewed on our website at <u>http://newhopeagoura.org</u> Links have been provided for today's bible readings

Resurrection of Our Lord

Christ is risen! Jesus is alive, and God has swallowed up death forever. With Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, and Salome, we may feel astonished and confused, unsure of what to make of the empty tomb. But this is why we gather: to proclaim, witness, praise, and affirm the liberating reality of Christ's death and resurrection. In word and feast, we celebrate God's unending love, and depart to share this good news with all the world. Alleluia!

Opening Hymn

ELW Hymnal #369

"Christ the Lord is Risen Today; Alleluia!"

Welcome and Introduction

Prayer of the Day

God of mercy, we no longer look for Jesus among the dead, for he is alive and has become the Lord of life. Increase in our minds and hearts the risen life we share with Christ, and help us to grow as your people toward the fullness of eternal life with you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Children's Time

Pastor Scott Fielder

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More than 700 years before Christ, the prophet Isaiah proclaims the good news of God's salvation and calls all people to rejoice! God will made a rich feast for all people. God will wipe the tears from their eyes. And most importantly, God will destroy death itself.

Alleluia Verse174

Gospel Reading: Mark 16:1-8 click link for reading

The resurrection of Jesus is announced, and the response is one of terror and amazement.

Sermon Message

"Snapshots of a Life Changed"

Song:

"Resurrection Hymn"

The Nicene Creed

Prayers of the People

"Hear us O God. Your mercy is great."

Service of Holy Communion

The Lord's Prayer

Benediction and Dismissal

Hymn

"Christ is Risen, He is Risen Indeed"

Rev. Craig R. Beeker

by S. Townend and K. Getty

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by Keith & Kristyn Getty

Participants in Today's Worship

Happy Easter!

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