

## Communion:

### In the Tomb so Cold (cont'd)

Now the fear of death is broken,  
Love has won the crown.  
Prisoners of the darkness — listen,  
Walls are tumbling down!

*Christ is risen,  
(Christ is risen),  
Death has been conquered,  
(Death has been conquered),  
Christ is risen,  
(Christ is risen):  
He shall reign for ever!*

Raised from death, to heaven ascending,  
Love's exalted King.  
Let His song of joy, unending,  
Through the nations ring!

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## Recessional:

### Thine Be the Glory

Thine be the Glory  
Risen, conquering Son  
Endless is the victory  
Thou o'er death hast won.  
Angels in bright raiment  
Rolled the stone away  
Kept the folded grave clothes  
Where Thy body lay.

*Thine be the glory,  
Risen conquering Son  
Endless is the victory  
Thou o'er death hast won.*

Lo! Jesus meets us  
Risen from the tomb;  
Lovingly He greets us,  
Scatters fear and gloom.  
Let the church with gladness  
Hymns of triumph sing:  
For her Lord now liveth —  
Death has lost its sting!

No more we doubt Thee,  
Glorious Prince of life;  
Life is nought without Thee:  
Aid us in our strife.  
Make us more than conquerors,  
Through Thy deathless love:  
Bring us safe through Jordan  
To Thy home above.

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**Easter Sunday – April 5, 2026 – 10:00 am**  
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*Christ has Risen! He has risen indeed! Hallelujah!*

## Opening:

### Jesus Christ is Risen Today

Jesus Christ is risen today, *Alleluia!*  
Our triumphant holy day, *Alleluia!*  
Who did once upon the cross, *Alleluia!*  
Suffer to redeem our loss, *Alleluia!*

Hymns of praise then let us sing, *Alleluia!*  
Unto Christ our heavenly King, *Alleluia!*  
Who endured the cross and grave, *Alleluia!*  
Sinners to redeem and save, *Alleluia!*

But the pains which He endured, *Alleluia!*  
Our salvation have procured, *Alleluia!*  
Now in Heaven above He's King, *Alleluia!*  
Where the angels ever sing, *Alleluia!*

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*Collect for Easter Day:*

**Almighty God, through your only Son Jesus Christ you have conquered death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: by your grace put good desires into our minds and, in your mercy, help us to bring them to their fulfilment, through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.**

## Exodus 12:21–28 (Pew Bible p. 54)

Then Moses called all the elders of Israel and said to them, “Go and select lambs for yourselves according to your clans, and kill the Passover lamb. 22 Take a bunch of hyssop and dip it in the blood that is in the basin, and touch the lintel and the two doorposts with the blood that is in the basin. None of you shall go out of the door of his house until the morning. 23 For the Lord will pass through to strike the Egyptians, and when he sees the blood on the lintel and on the two doorposts, the Lord will pass over the door and will not allow the destroyer to enter your houses to strike you. 24 You shall observe this rite as a statute for you and for your sons forever. 25 And when you come to the land that the Lord will give you, as he has promised, you shall keep this service. 26 And when your children say to you, ‘What do you mean by this service?’ 27 you shall say, ‘It is the sacrifice of the Lord’s Passover, for he passed over the houses of the people of Israel in Egypt, when he struck the Egyptians but spared our houses.’” And the people bowed their heads and worshiped.

28 Then the people of Israel went and did so; as the Lord had commanded Moses and Aaron, so they did.

## Information

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### Colossians 3:1–7 (Pew Bible p. 984)

If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. 2 Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. 3 For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. 4 When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

5 Put to death therefore what is earthly in you: sexual immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry. 6 On account of these the wrath of God is coming. 7 In these you too once walked, when you were living in them.

#### Gradual:

#### The Strife is O'er

*Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!*  
The strife is o'er, the battle done;  
The victory of life is won;  
The song of triumph has begun,  
Hallelujah!

The powers of death have done their worst,  
But Christ their legions has dispersed;  
Let shouts of holy joy outburst,  
Hallelujah!

The three sad days are quickly sped,  
He rises glorious from the dead;  
All glory to our risen Head,  
Hallelujah!

Lord by the stripes which wounded Thee,  
From death's dread sting Thy servants free,  
That we may live, and sing to Thee,  
Hallelujah!  
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

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### John 20:1–10 (Pew Bible p. 906)

Now on the first day of the week Mary Magdalene came to the tomb early, while it was still dark, and saw that the stone had been taken away from the tomb. 2 So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him." 3 So Peter went out with the other disciple, and they were going toward the tomb. 4 Both of them were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. 5 And stooping to look in, he saw the linen cloths lying there, but he did not go in. 6 Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen cloths lying there, 7 and the face cloth, which had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen cloths but folded up in a place by itself. 8 Then the other disciple, who had reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; 9 for as yet they did not understand the Scripture, that he must rise from the dead. 10 Then the disciples went back to their homes.

#### Praise:

#### See What a Morning

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,  
borne in pain, paid in sacrifice,  
fulfilled in Christ the Man,  
for He lives: Christ is risen from the dead!

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!

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### See What a Morning (cont'd)

One with the Father, Ancient of days,  
through the Spirit, who clothes faith with  
certainty,  
honour 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!

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#### Offertory:

#### Low in the Grave He Lay

Low in the grave He lay,  
Jesus, my Saviour,  
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 for ever with His saints to reign:  
He arose! He arose!  
Hallelujah! Christ arose!*

Vainly they watched His bed,  
Jesus, my Saviour;  
Vainly they seal the dead,  
Jesus, my Lord.

Death cannot keep his prey,  
Jesus, my Saviour;  
He tore the bars away,  
Jesus, my Lord.

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#### Communion:

Aria: *How Beautiful are the Feet* (Isaiah 52:7)  
From: Handel's *Messiah*  
Nola Shantz-Adimathra (vocal/piano)

### What Wondrous Love is This

What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul!  
What wondrous love is this, O my soul!  
What wondrous love is this, that caused the Lord of bliss  
To bear the dreadful curse for my soul, for my soul,  
To bear the dreadful curse for my soul!

To God and to the Lamb, I will sing, I will sing;  
To God and to the Lamb, I will sing;  
To God and to the Lamb, Who is the great I AM,  
While millions join the theme, I will sing, I will sing,  
While millions join the theme, I will sing!

And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on, I'll sing on;  
And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on;  
And when from death I'm free, I'll sing and joyful be,  
And through eternity I'll sing on, I'll sing on,  
And through eternity I'll sing on!

American folk hymn

#### Jesus the Lord is Risen

Jesus the Lord is Risen!  
Alleluia, Alleluia  
Jesus the Lord is risen today!  
Alleluia, Alleluia.

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#### In the Tomb so Cold

In the tomb so cold they laid Him,  
Death its victim claimed.  
Powers of hell, they could not hold Him;  
Back to life He came!

*Christ is risen,  
(Christ is risen),  
Death has been conquered,  
(Death has been conquered),  
Christ is risen,  
(Christ is risen):  
He shall reign for ever!*

Hell had spent its fury on Him,  
Left Him crucified.  
Yet, by blood, He boldly conquered,  
Sin and death defied.

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