

APRIL 3, 2016

THE WORSHIP OF GOD
FIRST SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

10:45 AM

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Jason W. Crosby

LIFE OF THE CHURCH

Please take a moment to complete the section at the top of the insert, fold and tear it off at the perforation and put it in the offering plate. Or, you may share contact info or comments with us by sending a text message to 502-295-0285.

ENTRANCE INTO WORSHIP

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to God.

PRELUDE

Alleluia

Charles Callahan

*HYMN OF PRAISE 251

Thine Is the Glory

MACCABEUS

INVOCATION

If spoken in a language that is unfamiliar to you, worshippers are invited to silently pray for God's presence to be felt in hearts and minds through our worship.

*GOSPEL LESSON

John 20:19-31

Brittani M. Bair

The word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Andrea V. Woolley

*HYMN OF EASTER 235

Christ Arose!

CHRIST AROSE

CHORAL OFFERING

Bright Canaan

Robert Shaw & Alice Parker

Chancel Choir; June Bailey, conductor; Louie Bailey, piano

O who will come and go with me, I am bound for the land of Canaan.
I'm bound fair Canaan's land to see, I am bound for the land of Canaan.
O, Canaan, bright Canaan, I'm bound for the land of Canaan,
O Canaan, it is my happy home, I am bound for the land of Canaan.
I'll join with those who've gone before, I am bound for the land of Canaan.
Where sin and sorrows are no more, I am bound for the land of Canaan.
Our songs of praise shall fill the skies, I am bound for the land of Canaan.
And higher still our joys they rise, I am bound for the land of Canaan.

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*EASTER DOXOLOGY

All Praise to God, Eternal One

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

All praise to God, Eternal One, and praise to Christ, Redeeming Son, Alleluia, Alleluia.
Praise to the Spirit, ever near, Great Three in One, be with us here,
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia! Amen.

Louie Bailey, 2000

WORDS FOR THE JOURNEY

CURIOUS CHRISTIANITY

Jason W. Crosby

SERVICE OF COMMUNION

COMMUNION MEDITATION

Blessed Assurance
Mitz Nabekura, piano

ASSURANCE, arr. Mitz Nabekura

DISCIPLINE OF SILENCE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Andrea V. Woolley

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

*INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP AND COMMUNITY

We gladly welcome all who desire to unite with the community of faith at Crescent Hill Baptist Church to come forward during the Hymn of Response and share that decision with the minister.

*HYMN OF RESPONSE 248

He Lives

ACKLEY

*BENEDICTION

Jason W. Crosby

*POSTLUDE

Morning Reflections

Louie Bailey

* Worshipers are invited to rise, in body or spirit.

A benevolence offering which is used for special needs among church members and persons in our community will be taken at the doors following worship.

- Worshipers are requested to turn off all cell phones and pagers.
- CDs of today's service are available in the sound booth following the service.
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- We invite those who wish to be baptized or join the church to share that decision with the church near the conclusion of worship. However, if you are uncomfortable doing that but would like to explore baptism or church membership, the ministers would be glad to discuss those decisions with you following worship.
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