



HOME WORSHIP

Easter Sunday, April 12, 2020

In this time of national emergency and statewide ban on assembly, we are unable to gather together as a church. Nevertheless, It is still a time to worship the Lord. As able, gather with family and/or friends this Sunday to pray, read Scripture, sing and hear God's Word. Below is a suggested order of worship.

Also, we invite you to join us on Zoom twice this Easter Sunday for times of worship. You can create a free account via the Zoom website (<https://zoom.us>) or app. For meeting link, check Realm (<https://onrealm.org/citylight>) or email Pastor Derek (dlam@citylightroanoke.com).

1. **EASTER SUNRISE, 6:30-7:15 a.m.** - We will meet on Zoom to watch the sunrise together (though cloudy forecast), read Scripture, sing and pray together.
2. **EASTER HOME WORSHIP, 10:00 a.m.** - We will meet on Zoom for Scripture and songs before we continue in Home Worship.
 - As able, log-in to Zoom meeting between 9:30 and 10:00 a.m. to connect with other Citylighters. We will begin worship together at 10:00 a.m.

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

- *(Zoom)* **CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 103 (ESV)**

if not on Zoom, take turns reading several verses at a time

- 1 Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name!
- 2 Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits,
- 3 who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases,
- 4 who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy,
- 5 who satisfies you with good so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.
- 6 The Lord works righteousness and justice for all who are oppressed.
- 7 He made known his ways to Moses, his acts to the people of Israel.
- 8 The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
- 9 He will not always chide, nor will he keep his anger forever.
- 10 He does not deal with us according to our sins,
nor repay us according to our iniquities.
- 11 For as high as the heavens are above the earth,
so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him;
- 12 as far as the east is from the west,
so far does he remove our transgressions from us.
- 13 As a father shows compassion to his children,

so the Lord shows compassion to those who fear him.
 14 For he knows our frame; he remembers that we are dust.
 15 As for man, his days are like grass; he flourishes like a flower of the field;
 16 for the wind passes over it, and it is gone, and its place knows it no more.
 17 But the steadfast love of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting
 on those who fear him,
 and his righteousness to children's children,
 18 to those who keep his covenant and remember to do his commandments.
 19 The Lord has established his throne in the heavens, and his kingdom rules over all.
 20 Bless the Lord, O you his angels, you mighty ones who do his word,
 obeying the voice of his word!
 21 Bless the Lord, all his hosts, his ministers, who do his will!
 22 Bless the Lord, all his works, in all places of his dominion.
 Bless the Lord, O my soul!

- (Zoom) **“The Wonderful Cross”**

if not on Zoom, use <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N5dQsNlIfM>

VERSE 1:

When I survey the wondrous cross
 On which the Prince of Glory died
 My richest gain I count but loss
 And pour contempt on all my pride

VERSE 2:

See from His head, His hands, His feet
 Sorrow and love flow mingled down
 Did e'er such love and sorrow meet
 Or thorns compose so rich a crown

CHORUS:

O the wonderful cross
 O the wonderful cross
 Bids me come and die and find
 That I may truly live
 O the wonderful cross
 O the wonderful cross
 All who gather here by grace
 Draw near and bless Your name

VERSE 3:

Were the whole realm of nature mine
 That were an offering far too small
 Love so amazing so divine
 Demands my soul my life my all

CHORUS

ENDING:

Love so amazing so divine
 Demands my soul my life my all

CCLI Song #3148435

Chris Tomlin | Isaac Watts | J. D. Walt | Jesse Reeves | Lowell Mason

• (Zoom) **SCRIPTURE READING: Psalm 16 (ESV)**

- 1 Preserve me, O God, for in you I take refuge.
- 2 I say to the Lord, "You are my Lord;
 I have no good apart from you."
- 3 As for the saints in the land, they are the excellent ones,
 in whom is all my delight.
- 4 The sorrows of those who run after another god shall multiply;
 their drink offerings of blood I will not pour out
 or take their names on my lips.
- 5 The Lord is my chosen portion and my cup;
 you hold my lot.
- 6 The lines have fallen for me in pleasant places;
 indeed, I have a beautiful inheritance.
- 7 I bless the Lord who gives me counsel;
 in the night also my heart instructs me.
- 8 I have set the Lord always before me;
 because he is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.
- 9 Therefore my heart is glad, and my whole being rejoices;
 my flesh also dwells secure.
- 10 For you will not abandon my soul to Sheol,
 or let your holy one see corruption.
- 11 You make known to me the path of life;
 in your presence there is fullness of joy;
 at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

- (Zoom) **“Christ Is Risen”**

if not on Zoom, use <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7bJzhkWVANc>

VERSE 1:

Let no one caught in sin remain
 Inside the lie of inward shame
 But fix our eyes upon the cross
 And run to Him who showed great love
 And bled for us
 Freely You've bled for us

CHORUS:

Christ is risen from the dead
 Trampling over death by death
 Come awake, come awake
 Come and rise up from the grave
 Christ is risen from the dead
 We are one with Him again
 Come awake, come awake
 Come and rise up from the grave

VERSE 2:

Beneath the weight of all our sin
 You bowed to none but heaven's will
 No scheme of hell no scoffer's crown
 No burden great can hold You down
 In strength You reign
 Forever let Your church proclaim

CHORUS

BRIDGE:

O death where is your sting
 O hell where is your victory
 O church come stand in the light
 The glory of God has defeated the night
 Singing O death where is your sting
 O hell where is your victory
 O church come stand in the light
 Our God is not dead He's alive He's alive

CHORUS (repeat)

CCLI Song #5242683 — Matt Maher | Mia Fieldes

- (Zoom) **PRAYER:** *If not on Zoom, spend several minutes in prayer.*

GOD SPEAKS TO US IN HIS WORD

- **NEW TESTAMENT READING: Luke 24:1-12 (ESV)**

1 But on the first day of the week, at early dawn, they went to the tomb, taking the spices they had prepared. 2 And they found the stone rolled away from the tomb, 3 but when they went in they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus. 4 While they were perplexed about this, behold, two men stood by them in dazzling apparel. 5 And as they were frightened and bowed their faces to the ground, the men said to them, “Why do you seek the living among the dead? 6 He is not here, but has risen. Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, 7 that the Son of Man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men and be crucified and on the third day rise.” 8 And they remembered his words, 9 and returning from the tomb they told all these things to the eleven and to all the rest. 10 Now it was Mary Magdalene and Joanna and Mary the mother of James and the other women with them who told these things to the apostles, 11 but these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. 12 But Peter rose and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; and he went home marveling at what had happened.

- **CHILDREN’S MINISTRY LESSON** — Pastor Christian Beuggert
- **SERMON** — Pastor Derek Lam

GOD CALLS US TO RESPONSE

- **SONG: “Blessed Assurance (My King Is Coming)”**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MSCAuGGT064>

VERSE 1:

Blessed assurance Jesus is mine
 Oh what a foretaste of glory divine
 Heir of salvation purchase of God
 Born of His Spirit and washed in His blood

CHORUS:

This is my story, this is my song

Praising my Savior all the day long
 This is my story, this is my song
 Praising my Savior all the day long

VERSE 2:

Perfect submission all is at rest
 I in my Savior am happy and blessed
 Watching and waiting looking above
 Filled with His goodness and lost in His love

CHORUS

BRIDGE:

My King is coming soon
 He will roll the clouds away
 Light of heaven bursting through
 Oh what a glorious day

My King is coming soon
 He will roll the clouds away
 Light of heaven bursting through
 (And) Until the glorious day

CHORUS

BRIDGE

ENDING:

This is my story
 This is my story this is my song

CCLI Song #6527149

Fanny Jane Crosby | Matthew West | Pete Kipley | Phoebe Palmer Knapp

- **SONG: “Jesus Saves”**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yzvbBQLJGds>

VERSE 1:

Hear the heart of heaven beating
 Jesus saves Jesus saves

And the hush of mercy breathing
Jesus saves, Jesus saves
Hear the host of angels sing
Glory to the newborn King
And the sounding joy repeating
Jesus saves

VERSE 2:

See the humblest hearts adore Him
Jesus saves, Jesus saves
And the wisest bow before Him
Jesus saves, Jesus saves
See the sky alive with praise
Melting darkness in its blaze
There is light forevermore in
Jesus saves

VERSE 3:

He will live our sorrow sharing
Jesus saves, Jesus saves
He will die our burden bearing
Jesus saves, Jesus saves
It is done will shout the cross
Christ has paid redemption's cost
While the empty tomb's declaring
Jesus saves

CHORUS:

Freedom's calling chains are falling
Hope is dawning bright and true
Day is breaking night is quaking
God is making all things new
(repeat)

Jesus saves, Jesus saves

VERSE 4:

Oh to grace how great a debtor
Jesus saves, Jesus saves
Are the saints who shout together

Jesus saves, Jesus saves
 Rising up so vast and strong
 Lifting up salvation's song
 The redeemed will sing forever
 JESUS SAVES

ENDING:

Rising up so vast and strong
 Lifting up salvation's song
 The redeemed will sing forever
 JESUS SAVES

CCLI Song #5059278 — David Moffitt | Travis Cottrell

- **GIVING** - To worship in giving to the ministry of the gospel at Citylight, go to <https://citylightroanoke.com/give/> for instructions.

GOD SENDS US FOR WITNESS IN THIS WORLD

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 Peter 1:3-5 (ESV)

have one or more read aloud or read in unison

3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, 4 to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, 5 who by God's power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.

And until the day of Christ's coming, let us continue to shine the light of Jesus in knowing and following Him.

CLOSING PRAYER:

Thank God for this time of worship, and ask Him for blessing into this new week of witness and work, especially in these days of uncertainty and trouble.