Traditional Worship – 11:15 am

| Prelude: God of GracePaul Manz |
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| Arr. Jonathan Crutchfield |
| Call to Worship: Responsive Reading |
| Pastor: Christ is risen. |
| People: He is risen indeed! |
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| People: Alleluia, alleluia, Amen. |
| All: Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and |

*Hymn: Lift Hight the CrossNo. 263

*Indicates standing for those who are able

praise!

*Confession of Faith From Ephesians 2:1-10 (NIV)

We were dead in our transgressions and sins, in which we used to live when we followed the ways of this world and of the ruler of the kingdom of the air, the spirit who is now at work in those who are disobedient. All of us also lived among them at one time, gratifying the cravings of our sinful nature and following its desires and thoughts. Like the rest, we were by nature objects of wrath.

But because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions—it is by grace we have been saved. And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus, in order that in the coming ages he might show the incomparable riches of his grace, expressed in his kindness to us in Christ Jesus.

For it is by grace we have been saved, through faith—and this not from ourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast. For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.

Lord's Prayer People

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.

Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Special Music: God in the Gospel of His Son

Arr. David Giardiniere

*Hymn: Up from the Grave He Arose......No. 276

Scripture: Matthew 28:1-15 pew Bible page 989

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon: Looking for Jesus......Rev. Kevin Koslowsky

Prayers of Commitment

Prayer for Those Seeking God:

God, I long to know you in a personal relationship. I desire faith to trust that you are real and that you are found by all who seek you. Please honor my longings by having your Spirit work in me to draw me to you.

Prayer for Those Receiving Christ:

Father, I have offended you by my words, actions and thoughts. There is nothing I can do to reconcile myself to you. I believe the words of Jesus

Christ that no one can come to you except through him. I now accept the crucified and risen Christ as the only acceptable payment that could ever be made for my sin. I desire to follow and obey him.

*Hymn: Jesus Christ Is Risen Today......No. 273

*Benediction Hebrews 13:20-21 (NIV)

May the God of peace, who through the blood of the eternal covenant brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep, equip you with everything good for doing his will, and may he work in us what is pleasing to him, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

*Postlude: An Easter Celebration

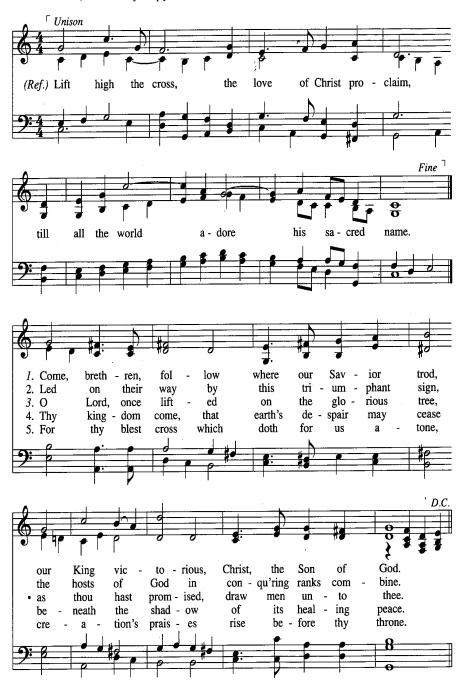
Arr. Joel Raney

Special Thanks to Capitol Brass:

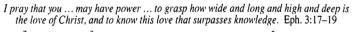
Jaden Adkins, Tuba Lisa Dunham, Horn Frank Gazda, Trombone Samantha Obara, Trumpet Antwan Hill, Trumpet

Lift High the Cross

I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all men to myself. John 12:32



O Love of God, How Strong and True









Go quickly and tell his disciples: "He has risen from the dead." Matt. 28:7



Easter Flowers

| Given By: | In Memory Of: | | |
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| Tom Blatz | My Parents & Brother | | |
| The Cowchok Family | Our Parents: Sonya Cowchok, | | |
| | John & Lucille deWolde | | |
| Bill & Barbara Draper | Our Loved Ones | | |
| The Duggan Family | Grandmommy, Papa, Uncle Art, | | |
| | Gran Heather, & Stephen Walker | | |
| Bill Goodwin | My Wife: Rosanna Goodwin | | |
| Dan & Donna Hall | Henry & Mary Hall, Christopher Hall, | | |
| | Walter & Louise Hester | | |
| Chuck & Peg Hartzell | Scott Hartzell | | |
| | Charles & Ada Hartzell | | |
| | Elmer & Eunice Getty | | |
| The Hettler Family | Adrienne Tufts, Kenneth Hettler, | | |
| | Eleanor Hettler | | |
| Liam & Kayla Keith | Kayla's Mother: Angel McKenney | | |
| | Liam's Grandmother: Bernadette Keith | | |
| The Koslowsky Family | Jack & Jeanne Koslowsky | | |
| Julie Meisinger | Loved Ones | | |
| The Penna Family | Our Mother & Nona: Bernadette Keith | | |
| Rob & Laura Shoop | In memory of those we miss | | |
| | In Honor Of: | | |
| Frank & Ann Barlow | Our Family | | |
| Bill & Debbie Grantham | Our Grandkids: Theo, Sophie, Wyatt, Grace | | |
| | Our Mother: Janet Rumer | | |
| The Koslowsky Family | Upcoming College Graduations | | |
| | & Wedding for David and Leatrice | | |
| Julie Meisinger | To the Glory of God | | |
| Wes & Nancy Rowles | Our Grandchildren | | |
| Rob & Laura Shoop | In honor of those we love | | |

Announcements

FaithWilmington.com/announcements

PRAYER CHAIN: FaithWilmington.com/community/prayer-requests

TODAY AT FAITH

Happy Easter - He Is Risen!

THIS WEEK AT FAITH

| M, 4/21 | T, 4/22 | R, 4/24 | F, 4/25 | Sa, 4/26 |
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| Hartzell | Men's Bible | Yurik CG | Manbeck/ | Men's Bible |
| YIH CG | Study | Hornung/ | Lim CG | Study |
| • Women's | | Taylor CG | | Holey Ball |
| Coffee | | Worship | | |
| | | Team | | |
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NEXT STEPS AT FAITH CHURCH

- Join us for worship each Sunday at 9:00 or 11:15 am
- Sunday School classes weekly at 10:15 am for kids, youth, & adults (No Sunday School on Easter morning)
- Community Groups: regular small group gatherings for study, encouragement, & prayer (faithwilmington.com/community groups)

FOLLOW US

Stay connected to Faith's ministries and activities around the church:

- Visit our website: faithwilmington.com
- Listen to sermons by subscribing to our podcast, faithwilmington.com/worship/sermon-audio, or tuning your radio to WDEL, 101.7 FM on Sundays from 9:30 – 10:00 am, or watching our livestream on youtube.com/faithwilmington
- Follow us on Social Media: facebook.com/faithwilmington & Instagram.com/faithwilmington

FAITH CONCERT SERIES

- Next Sunday, April 27; 4:00 pm in the sanctuary
- Soulful Strings with Warren Ulaner, double bass (free concert)
- For more info, visit faithwilmington.com/concertseries

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

- June 23-27; 9:00 am 12:00 pm; Friday family picnic at 12:00 pm
- Ages 4 years old through 5th grade; free online registration opens
 May 1: www.bit.ly/vbs2025fpc
- Youth and adult volunteers from Faith are needed for the week of VBS or in preparation before (contact melissa@faithwilmington.com)

WOMEN'S COFFEE AND CONVERSATION

- Tomorrow, Monday, April 21; Panera Bread, Fairfax; 6:30 8:00 pm
- Informal gathering to get to know other women at Faith
- Meets on the third Monday of each month
- Contact Sau Lan Staats with questions (womenscoffeefpc@gmail.com)

VISITATION DAY

- Next Sunday, April 27; 12:30 pm; carpool from the Gathering Space
- We weekly have members unable to attend worship, but who would be blessed by a friendly visit. Can you serve by giving a few hours?
- Contact Vickie Fender: 302-475-2445 or VicFend@aol.com
- Visits regularly occur on the third Sunday of each month

BI-WEEKLY PICKLEBALL

- Holey Ball this Saturday, April 26; 10:30 am -12:00 pm; church gym
- Visit faithwilmington.com/calendar to find our bi-weekly schedule
- Fun mornings of fellowship for adults of all ages Invite a friend!
- Equipment is supplied