

# Celebration of Worship

## Prelude

## Welcome and Announcements

## Reflection

From *The Fire Next Time* by James Baldwin

*“Love takes off the masks that we fear we cannot live without  
and know we cannot live within.”*

## Ringing of the Bell

## Call to Worship

Leader: Christ is Risen!

**People: Christ is risen, indeed!**

Leader: Hope is alive!

**People: Hope is alive, indeed!**

Leader: God’s love is eternal!

**People: Hallelujah! Let us give thanks for what God has done.**

Leader: Let us worship God.

## Invocation

**People: God of grace and power, we come rejoicing in Christ’s empty tomb. We come trusting in the good news that tells us Christ is with us. For the Risen Christ is living proof that You care about our lives, O God. The Risen Christ offers to us glimpses of hope, even in our tears. As the tomb is not quiet. It speaks. It proclaims! It is a promise of eternal life! Thank you, gracious and almighty God. Amen.**

## Opening Hymn

*Jesus Christ Is Risen Today*

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## Prayer of Confession

Leader: God hears our prayers of grace and mercy, and raises our countenance from despair into resurrection joy! God meets us in our human suffering, comforts us in our tears, and offers us new hope.

**All: Hallelujah! Christ is risen!**

## Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be,  
World without end. Amen. Amen.

## Children’s Time



**April 4, 2021**

**9:30 A.M.**

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## **Easter Flowers have been given by:**

Brad & Kathy Adams in memory of loved ones;  
Kathy Barbehenn for those who will not be here to see the glorious colors of spring, but who will now have the brilliance of Easter with Him who gave us the gateway to heaven;

John & Anita Brocker to the Glory of God and in memory of loved ones who have passed;

The Chippero Family to the Hope that a new season brings;

Gay Coler and the Chris Mayer Family with praise for Pastor Phil and his peaceful messages;

Marge Crumb in honor of Duane and Judy Crumb;

Gayl Galen in memory of Ken and her grandparents;

Don & Nikki George in memory of their parents, David & Louise George and Ross & Alice Cuddeback;

Barbara Hach to the Glory of God;

Tony & Georgia Hubbard in gratitude for this church family and in memory of loved ones;

Dick & Tina McNeary in memory of loved ones;

Mark Pipal & Connie Rice in thanks for Webster Presbyterian Church;

Bob & Jeanne Rice in loving memory of Sallyann and Larry;

Bud & Carol Saylor in honor of Webster Presbyterian families;

Bruce Wainwright in memory of Janet Wainwright;

Dawn Wiley and Family in loving memory of Rob Wiley.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

1. WELCOME to Webster Presbyterian Church! We are pleased that you are worshipping with us, whether by Zoom or in person. Those choosing to attend in person for the first time are asked to make a reservation to attend by calling or emailing the church office by noon on Saturday.
2. SUNDAY SERVICES continue to be live-streamed. You can watch them live at 9:30 using:  
Zoom <https://zoom.us/j/200521841> The password is **worship**.  
or Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/Websterpres/>  
Or you can watch them later at your leisure using:  
Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/Websterpres/>  
or YouTube <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCzM5-thYxua2HQSPF6P71wA>
3. WEDNESDAY NIGHT'S LEARNING FOR A LIFETIME offering will be the DVD *The Fifth Cup*, from Ray Vander Laan's series. The four symbolic "cups" of the Passover Seder helped the Jews recall the miraculous ways by which God kept his promises and delivered his people. Later, another cup was added, called "Elijah's cup," representing the belief that Elijah would resolve all questions for which answers could not be found. Join us to explore this concept and what it means for your faith walk.
4. ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING OFFERING is ending soon. If you would like to contribute to this worthwhile effort that provides assistance and support to our neighbors in need here in the US and around the world, please send in your offering no later than next week. See the March and April *Pathways* for more information.

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## LECTIONARY PASSAGES

	<u>Today,, April 4<sup>th</sup></u>	<u>Next Sunday, April 11<sup>th</sup></u>
Old Testament	<i>Isaiah 25:6-9</i>	
Psalm	<i>Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24</i>	<i>Psalm 133</i>
New Testament	<i>I Corinthians 15:1-11</i>	<i>Acts 4:32-35</i>
	<i>Acts 10:34-43</i>	<i>I John 1:1 – 2:2</i>
Gospel	<i>John 20:1-18;</i> <i>Mark 16:1-8</i>	<i>John 20:19-31</i>

## MEMORY VERSE

*If you forgive others their sin,  
your heavenly Father will also forgive you.*  
*Matthew 6:14*

## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

### Today, April 4 - Easter Sunday

9:30 A.M. Worship Service in the Sanctuary and on Zoom

10:30 A.M. Church of God by Faith in the Chapel

### Monday, April 5

7:00 P.M. Session Meeting on Zoom

Boy Scout Troop 262 in the Social & Memorial Rooms

### Tuesday, April 6

5:00 P.M. TOPS in Room 9/10

### Wednesday, April 7

6:30 A.M. Men's Bible Study at Golden Boys Restaurant

7:00 P.M. Adult Ed. DVD on Zoom

Scout Troop 425 in the Social Room

### Thursday, April 8

7:30 A.M. Bible Study on Zoom

9:15 A.M. Glory Bells Rehearsal in the Sanctuary

11:00 A.M. Staff Meeting in the Memorial Room

6:00 P.M. Alleluia Bells Rehearsal in the Sanctuary

6:30 P.M. Youth Committee in the Youth Room

### Friday, April 9

10:30 A.M. Book Study on Zoom

### Saturday, April 10

9:00 A.M. Prayer Time on Zoom

Roc Ringers Rehearsal in the Sanctuary