

BRESLAU MENNONITE CHURCH

Easter Sunday April 16, 2017



Worship Leader
Chorister
Accompanists
Brass

Nick B
Justin M
Carolyn S, Lynette G
James B, Randy B,
Linden G, Justin M, David R
Soloist
Readers
Marlys N
Brandon H, Cameron H

GATHERING IN FAITH AND WORSHIP

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

When all hope seems lost, Christ is risen!

Christ is risen, indeed!

When fear hovers close at hand, Christ is risen!

Christ is risen, indeed!

When disillusionment and despair threaten us, Christ is risen!

Christ is risen, indeed!

In this moment,

where mystic and modern meet;

in this moment,

of empty tombs and heavenly messengers;

in this moment,

of life, of death, of resurrection;

we draw near.

We come to wonder, we come to hope.

But, most of all –

we come to worship God. Alleluia!

Prayer

Hymns

Christ the Lord is risen today #280 HWB

This joyful Eastertide #276 HWB

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Giving Our First Fruit Offerings

Children's Offering: Children's School Project in Kenya

HEARING GOD'S STORY

Men's Group

All in an April evening

Children's Story

Linda F

Affirmation of Faith

Sara Erb

O living God, who raised Jesus from the dead

we shout your great victory; we sing hymns of praise!

Even when our hearts are heavy

and our eyes are dimmed by sorrow,

you are faithful. You wipe away all tears

and bring joy in the morning.

Teach us, O God, to trust your gracious love,
to rest in your unfailing goodness, to hope in your true promise,
that we may rejoice all our days and share the Good News:

Alleluia! Amen!

Christ is risen!

Christ is risen, indeed!

Hymn

Who are these #270 HWB

Solo

I know that my redeemer liveth

Scripture

John 20:1-18

Sermon Practice Resurrection

Eleanor Epp-Stobbe

Hymns

Low in the grave he lay #273 HWB

Lift your glad voices #275 HWB

RESPONDING TO GOD'S STORY

Men's Group

Sing with all the saints in glory #92 STS

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Praying Together

Hymn

Thine is the glory #269 HWB

Benediction

Postlude

**We welcome all to our church community.
Following the worship time, you are invited to enjoy coffee,
juice, and conversation**