

## 9:00 AM - Traditional Worship

RINGING THE BELLS

WELCOME TO WORSHIP Pastor Bill Wassner

OPENING MUSIC "The Risen Christ" (Peterson) Lisa Wassner

INTROIT "Christ is Risen, Alleluia!" (Albrecht & Althouse) Choir

\*CALL TO WORSHIP Pastor Mary Hurley

One: The risen Christ lives among us, calling us to be a blessing,

**All: Calling us to heal and transform the brokenness and the violence of our world.**

One: The risen Christ lives among us, calling us to be a blessing,

**All: Calling us to seek out the lonely and the lost and those who need to experience God's love.**

One: The risen Christ lives among us, calling us to be a blessing,

**All: Calling us to be disciples to the world, blessed, healed, and filled with joyous good news!**

\*OPENING HYMN # 184  
"Christ the Lord is Risen Today"

\*UNISON INVOCATION Pastor Mary

**Let us come together in joy,  
For each Lord's Day**

**Is a celebration of Easter,  
A festival of hope,  
A day of victory,  
An expression of new life.**

**We pray that during this hour, miracles will take place:**

**That the discouraged will gain confidence,**

**That the despairing will receive hope,**

**And the disillusioned will regain faith.**

**For Jesus lives and is present. Amen**

\*RESPONSE "Gloria Patri"

SPECIAL MUSIC "In the Garden" (Miles)  
Kasey Gathercole & Lisa Wassner

MORNING PRAYER Pastor Bill

One: The Lord be with you.

Many: And with you also.

One: Let us pray...

Organ Response

ANTHEM "Glorious, Risen Christ!" (Burke & Larson) Choir

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS Pastor Mary

OFFERTORY "Poem" (Southbridge) Lisa Wassner

\*DOXOLOGY

**Let trumpets sound and voices sing!**

**Let all on earth their praises bring!**

**For Christ has conquered sin and death**

**And given life eternal breath. Amen.**

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\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**God of all ages and all people, we rejoice in Your power**

**that turns our sorrow into joy, our despair into hope, our**

**defeat into victory and evil into goodness. Help us on this**

**Easter morning, O God, to burst out of the tombs that have**

**trapped us and to freely and abundantly give of ourselves**

**to make a difference. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE READING John 20: 1-18 (NLT)

SERMON "IN THE GARDEN" Pastor Bill

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION # 185 (1, 3)  
"The Day of Resurrection!"

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Easter Affirmation (on screen)

Words of Institution

Communion Prayer

Sharing of the Bread and Cup

The Lord's Prayer

\*CLOSING HYMN (on screen)  
"O God, In Raising Jesus"

\*BENEDICTION Pastor Bill

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE # 182 (Refrain)  
"Christ Arose!"

\*RINGING THE BELLS

\*CLOSING MUSIC "Promenade" (Moussorgsky) Lisa Wassner

## 11:00 AM - Discovery Worship

GATHERING MUSIC

"This is How We Know"

Gathering Music is your opportunity to enter the sanctuary and prepare yourself for worship. Please respect this time and space.

WELCOME TO WORSHIP Pastor Bill Wassner

\*OPENING SONGS

"Resurrection Hymn"

"In Christ Alone"

\*OPENING PRAYER Pastor Mary Hurley

\*SHARING OF GOD'S PEACE AND LOVE

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Pastor Bill

"It's Not About the Bunny!"

Children age 4 to 2nd grade, are invited to go to Room 105 for Children Worship and Wonder. Parents are always welcome to visit.

Leader: Shannon Jackson; Greeter: Jai Jackson;

Story: "Jesus Appears to Mary"

PRAYER SONG "Worthy is the Lamb"

MORNING PRAYER Pastor Bill

OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND MUSIC TO GOD

"It Was Finished" (Torwalt, Torwalt)

Kasey Gathercole, Katie Maurer, Lisa Wassner

PRAYER OF DEDICATION Pastor Mary

SCRIPTURE READING John 20: 1-18 (NLT)

SPECIAL MUSIC "In the Garden" (Miles)

Kasey Gathercole & Lisa Wassner

SERMON "IN THE GARDEN" Pastor Bill

SONG OF PREPARATION

"The Beautiful Body of Christ" (Johnson & Wills/Arr. Mauldin)

Praise Singers

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Easter Affirmation (on screen)

The Lord's Prayer

\*CLOSING SONG "Jesus Messiah"

\*SENDING FORTH

THOSE IN NEED OF PRAYER...

Ed Albin\*  
 Adnan Al-Nashmi  
 Harlan Battiger  
 Orion Bays  
 Evelyn Bernard\*  
 Cammie Barning Breitenmoser  
 Jeanne Brame  
 Ron Burgdorf  
 Diane Burkhart  
 Louis Buschkill  
 David Carl  
 Eloise Castleman\*  
 Tom Conkling  
 Katzie Crowley  
 Doug Daniel  
 Dr. Larry Deitch  
 Kathy Dreier  
 Tabatha Earle Greenwell  
 John Endress\*  
 Lesley Futrell  
 Bill Grisham\*  
 Clarence "Butch" Hahn  
 Gary Hahn  
 Helen Hammer\*  
 David Helfert  
 Gayle Hochstetler  
 Deanna Horstketter  
 Joanne Jackson\*  
 Tara Jackson  
 Connie Jourdan  
 Joan Kappler  
 Rob Knapp  
 Konner Kolb  
 Corena Maurer  
 Mary McIntosh  
 Bernice McReynolds  
 Eileen Moore  
 Margaret Moore\*  
 Marylee Murphy  
 The family and friends of Arthur  
 "Bud" Nendel  
 Karen Norman  
 Susan Raber\*  
 Marie Rayoum\*  
 Liz Roberts  
 Jeanett Rueger\*  
 Bob Russell  
 Danielle Russler  
 Jerry Schreiber  
 Mel Schwartz\*

Ali Shanks  
 Bob Sheets  
 Shirley Sheets  
 David Smart  
 Marilyn Smith\*  
 Dirck Stahl  
 Kent Stephens  
 Billy Thomas\*  
 Nima Trautvetter\*  
 Alfred & Sara Wassner  
 Kathy Waters  
 Lowell Woosley  
 Russ Woosley

\*Shut In



WHAT'S HAPPENING...

**SUNDAY - 4/21**  
**EASTER**  
 9:00 am Traditional Worship  
 9:30 am Praise Singers  
 9:30 am Breakfast  
**10:00 am Resurrection Celebration! (Parish Hall)**  
 11:00 am Discovery Worship

**MONDAY - 4/22**  
 8:00 am Head Start  
 9:30 am Senior Exercise Class  
 5:30 pm Building Committee (213)

**TUESDAY - 4/23**  
 8:00 am Head Start  
 8:00 am WW  
 9:30 am 4C Play & Learn  
 11:00 am 208 Reserved  
 3:00 pm Open Gym  
 5:15 pm WW

**WEDNESDAY - 4/24**  
 8:00 am Head Start  
 9:30 am Senior Exercise Class  
 3:00 pm Open Gym  
 5:45 pm Hand Bells  
 6:00 pm Discovery Music  
 7:00 pm Choir

**THURSDAY - 4/25**  
 8:00 am Head Start  
 9:30 am Discovery Bible Study  
 10:00 am Parish Hall Reserved  
 3:00 pm Open Gym  
 5:30 pm Women at the Well  
 5:30 pm Gym Reserved  
 6:00 pm D/E/T Meet  
 7:00 pm Council Meeting

**FRIDAY - 4/26**  
 8:00 am Head Start  
 9:30 am Senior Exercise Class  
 10:30 am Senior Pickleball Class  
**Youth Spring Connection @ Merom**

**SATURDAY - 4/27**  
 6:00 am 55+ Ministries to ARK Encounter  
 10:00 am Neighborhood Brunch & Hope's Closet

**SUNDAY - 4/28**  
 9:00 am Traditional Worship  
 9:30 am Praise Singers  
 9:30 am Breakfast  
 10:00 am Sunday School  
 11:00 am Discovery Worship  
 12:00 pm 208 Reserved  
 2:00 pm Dining Room Reserved

THOSE WHO SERVE...

**April 21**  
 9:00 am & S.S. Hour  
 Stacey Henderson & Theresa Herrenbruck  
 Stacey Henderson

11:00 am  
**April 28**  
 9:00 am & S.S. Hour  
 Stacey Henderson & Destiny Whitaker  
 Stacey Henderson

11:00 am Stacey Henderson

**Greeters**

**April 21**  
 9:00 am Kathy & Larry Vonderahe  
 11:00 am Shannon Jackson, Karla Smith

**April 28**  
 9:00 am Polly Ellison  
 11:00 am Tracey & Keith Kolb

**Ushers** **April**  
 9:00 am Jim Geiser, Captain; Louie Buschkill, Bob Dreier, Darlene Dycus, Jeff Ludwig  
 11:00 am Ron Boren, Captain; Tony Bogan, Scott Hettenbach, Jerry McMillen, Keith Smith

**Deacon (offering)** **April**  
 9:00 am Linda Hobbs  
 11:00 am Karen Daniel



Easter  
 APRIL 21, 2019

Rev. Dr. William J. Wassner, Senior Pastor  
 Rev. Mary Hurley, Associate Pastor  
 Katie Maurer, Director of Music Ministries  
 Lisa Wassner, organist  
 Kasey Gathercole, Lisa Wassner, Song Leaders  
 John Pursley, guitar; Don Armstrong, bass; Sam Medicis, drums

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