

Hymn of Celebration #285

I serve a risen Savior, He's in the world today;
I know that He is living, whatever men may say;
I see His hand of mercy, I hear His voice of cheer,
And just the time I need Him He's always near.

He lives, He lives, Christ Jesus lives today!

He walks with me and talks with me

Along life's narrow way.

He lives, He lives, salvation to impart!

You ask me how I know He lives?

He lives within my heart.

In all the world around me I see His loving card,
And though my heart grows weary, I never will despair;
I know that He is leading through all the stormy blast,
The day of His appearing will come at last. (Chorus)

Rejoice, rejoice, O Christian, lift up your voice and sing
Eternal hallelujahs to Jesus Christ the King!
The Hope of all who seek Him, The Help of all who find,
None other is so loving, so good and kind. (Chorus)

The Acts of Dismissal

Benediction

The day is still young.

Good news is to be shared.

Let us go forth as renewed, forgiven and loved children of God:

Be the messengers of resurrection power and hope.

Spread the news of God's love and his provision for eternal life.

We'll proclaim with our lives that Christ is risen!

Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

He Lives!



Community Easter Sunrise Service

at Lakeview Cemetery

presented by
the Manistique Ministerial Association

7:00 AM

April 9, 2023

The Welcome and Call to Worship

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Christ has conquered! Glory fills you! Darkness vanishes forever.

Christ is risen! Alleluia!

Scripture Reading

Jeremiah 31:1-6

The Invocation Prayer

The Entrance

*Hymn #269

Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

Low in the grave He lay

Jesus my Savior!

Waiting the coming day

Jesus my Lord!

Chorus:

Up from the grave He arose

With a mighty triumph o'er His foes

He arose a Victor from the dark domain

And He lives forever with His saints to reign

He arose! (He arose)

He arose! (He arose)

Hallelujah! Christ arose!

Vainly they watch His bed

Jesus, my Savior!

Vainly they seal the dead

Jesus my Lord! (Chorus)

Death cannot keep his prey

Jesus, my Savior!

He tore the bars away

Jesus my Lord! (Chorus)

An Easter Litany from Psalm 136:1-9, 23-26

Give thanks to the LORD, for the LORD is good, for God's mercy endures forever.

Give thanks to the God of gods, for God's mercy endures forever.

Give thanks to the Lord of lords, for God's mercy endures forever;

who alone does great wonders, for God's mercy endures forever;

who by wisdom made the heavens, for God's mercy endures forever;

who spread out the earth upon the waters, for God's mercy endures forever;

who made the great lights—for God's mercy endures forever;

the sun to govern the day, for God's mercy endures forever;

the moon and the stars to govern the night, for God's mercy endures forever;

who remembered us in our low estate,

for God's mercy endures forever;

and rescued us from our enemies, for God's mercy endures forever;

who gives food to all creatures, for God's mercy endures forever.

Give thanks to the God of heaven, for God's mercy endures forever.

The Word of The Lord

Scripture Reading

John 20:11-18

Sermon

Pastor Tommy

Hymn #290

Our God Reigns

How lovely on the mountains are the feet of Him

Who brings good news, good news,

Announcing peace, proclaiming news of happiness,

Our God reigns, Our God reigns!

Our God reigns, Our God reigns,

Our God reigns, Our God Reigns!

He had no stately form, He had no majesty,

That we should be drawn to Him.

He was despised, and we took no account of Him,

Yet now He reigns, with the Most High! (Chorus)

Out of the tomb He came with grace and majesty;

He is alive, He is alive. God loves us so--

See here His hands, His feet, His side.

Yes, we know, He is alive. (Chorus)

The Service of Thanksgiving

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (*debts/debtors*)

Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.