

THE FEDERATED CHURCH OF HYANNIS

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How good and pleasant
it is when God's people
live together in unity

Psalm 133.1

Second Sunday of
Easter

April 8, 2018
10:00 a.m.
2nd Sunday of Easter

ORDER OF SERVICE

WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

IN GATHERING

*Standing to praise God

Bolded words are spoken by the congregation.

CALL OF THE BELL

PRELUDE

It is Well Within My Soul, Philip Bliss

Roy Campbell

(Please enter into a time of centering silence during the Prelude).

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT

Alleluia, Christ is Risen - Gordon Young

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Christ is risen

Congregation: All is changed

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Leader: Christ is risen

Congregation: All may worship

Leader: So, let us join with the church throughout time and around the world, proclaiming the risen Lord and his great love for everyone.

*HYMN

#197 The Day of Resurrection

OPENING PRAYER (in unison)

God of the resurrection, we gather this morning as a community of believers. We come with joy to greet one another and to tell again and again the amazing news:

Christ is risen!

Love is victorious over death!

**You have given us new life in the name of your Son!
May our singing, praying, listening, and proclaiming
be a testimony to the power of your love to make us a new creation
as a community of faith.
We pray in the name of the risen Christ. Amen.**

WE RECEIVE GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE **John 20:19-31 Page 883**

Lector

**This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God**

HYMN **#325 Just as I Am Without One Plea – verse 1**
(Congregation is seated)

SERMON

Forward in Faith

Rev. Philomena

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

OUR OFFERING TO GOD

OFFERTORY

Give Thanks

***DOXOLOGY: Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him all
creatures here below; Praise him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son
and Holy Ghost. Amen**

CHORAL ANTHEM

O Savior of The World – Sir John Goss

*Please sign and pass the Friendship Book (in the aisle seats) so we may greet each other
by name. If you are worshipping with us for the first time, please add your contact
information.*

A TIME FOR PRAYER

SILENT PRAYER/MORNING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER: 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen

WE DEPART TO SERVE

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

*HYMN O Sons and Daughters of the Lord – verses 1-3 (see insert)

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *The Lord Ascendeth Up on High* – Michael Pretrorius

*All those who are able, please stand.

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WEEKLY PRAYER

Morning

Holy One, you have made known to me the way of life and have promised to fill me with gladness of your presence. Keep me mindful of your guidance and your promise as I travel through this day, that my heart may be made glad. Amen

Evening

Thank you, God for giving me your counsel today. Tonight, as I sleep, may the dreams of my heart also serve to instruct me in your ways. In you I have a good heritage, and my heart, my soul, and my body rest in you. Amen