HOPE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

April 12, 2020

Easter Sunday

The Church at Worship

Prelude

Christ the Lord is Risen Today
EASTER HYMN
Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia!
Earth and Heaven join to say, Alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!
Sing, ye heavens and earth, reply, Alleluia!

Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia! Following our exalted Head, Alleluia! Made like Him, like Him we rise, Alleluia! Ours the cross, the grave the skies, Alleluia!

Welcome

Chiming of the Trinity

Call to Worship

Lift up your hearts, and rejoice in God's victory over death! God has done a mighty work in Jesus, whom He raised from the grave! We are a redeemed people because God has demonstrated His love and power in Jesus' resurrection. We rejoice because God has rescued us from the death of sin! Our faith is in Jesus our Risen Lord! Join with me as we repeat in unison an ancient confession of faith, spoken by fellow Christians since the First Century:

Christ was crucified, Christ was buried, Christ was raised from the dead! Hallelujah! Christ is risen!

Moment of Silence and Invocation

Gospel Reading John 20:1-18

Pastoral Prayer and 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.

Message He's Gone!

Benediction

Postlude Christ Arose CHRIST AROSE

Low in the Grave He lay, Jesus, my Savior! Waiting the coming day, Jesus, my Lord.

Refrain: 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! Hallelujah! Christ arose!

Vainly they watch His bed, Jesus, my Savior! Vainly they seal the dead, Jesus, my Lord. **Refrain** Death cannot keep his prey, Jesus, my Savior! He tore the bars away, Jesus my Lord. **Refrain**