



Murray Presbyterian Church

*April 20th, 2025 10am Worship
Easter Sunday*

Welcome and Announcements

Greeting One Another Ringing of the Tower Bell

Introit: "Morning Has Broken"

Mike Minford

*Call to Worship:

Leader: Why do you seek the living among the dead? He is not here. He is risen.

People: The Lord is risen indeed!

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*Prayer of Day:

Giver of new life, we come to you this morning with our alleluias, our banners and flowers, and trumpet and song. We come to worship in beauty and in truth because we have faith that Jesus Christ is risen from the dead, because we have hope that the resurrection will enter into each of our lives and transform them, and because, through Christ's Spirit, we have come to love one another. Accept our worship, gracious God. Be present with us as daystar, miracle, and mystery, and as the tender hands of grace. Amen.

*Hymn: "Christ the Lord is Risen Today"

(WC 234)

*Prayer of Confession:

Almighty God, in raising Jesus from the tomb you have given us the sure sign of your power to deliver us from sin and death and to renew our whole creation. We confess that we still fall into doubt and fear. We continue to cling to selfish ways and doubt your power to make all things new. Forgive our lack of faith. Have mercy on our weakness. Raise us from the death of sin that we may live with Christ in the joy of his resurrection, now and forever. Amen.

Silent Reflection

Assurance of Pardon

Congregational Response: "Gloria Patri"

Scripture Lesson: Acts 3:11-26

Sermon: "A Reassuring Hope"
(CSI: Jerusalem, Who Killed Jesus?, pt.6)

*Hymn: "The Day of Resurrection " (WC 247)

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Offering

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

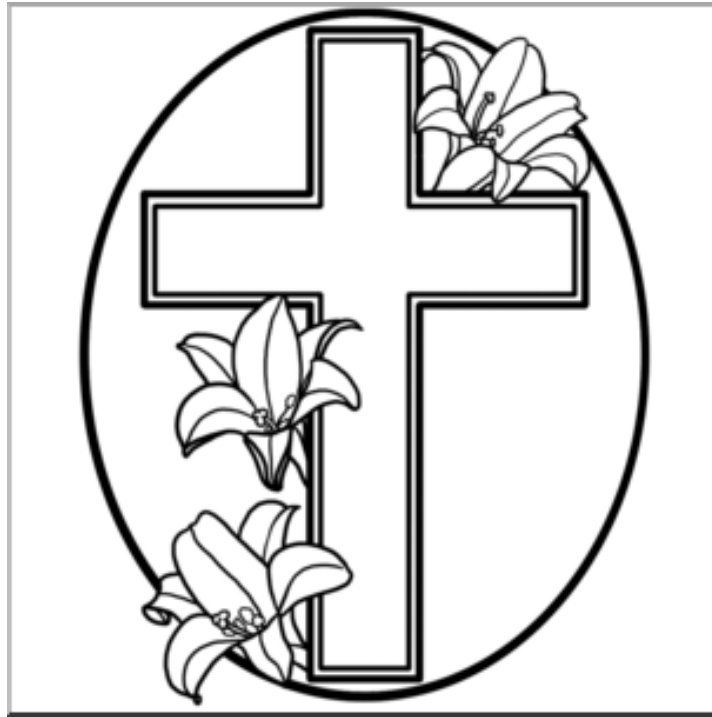
*Hymn: "Christ Arose!" (WC 235)

*Benediction and Benediction Response

*Please Stand if Able

WC: Worshipping Church Hymnal (found on seat) PH: Presbyterian Hymnal (found in pew rack)

Easter Lily Memorials



Easter lilies have been presented by the following people:

**Barb and Norm Koester, in memory of Guy and Irene
Wolfe and Oscar and Erma Koester**

**Peggy and Larry Lawton, in memory of Larry's brother,
Ron**

Ann Wieringa, in memory of her brother, Richard

Announcements

New Member Class

Anyone who has been worshipping with us and would like to consider membership in Murray Presbyterian Church should speak with the pastor. If there is interest, there will be a preparation process during the Easter season for people to join on Pentecost.

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