



***EASTER***  
***Sunrise Service***  
***April 5, 2026***



Welcome, Announcements, Passing the Peace

**\*Opening Hymn      “Christ the Lord is Risen Today”**

Christ the Lord is ris’n today, Alleluia!  
 Sons of men and angels say, Alleluia!  
 Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!  
 Sing, ye heav’ns, and earth reply, Alleluia!

Love’s redeeming work is done, Alleluia!  
 Fought the fight, the vict’ry won, Alleluia!  
 Jesus’ agony is o’er, Alleluia!  
 Darkness veils the earth no more, Alleluia!

Lives again our glorious King, Alleluia!  
 Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!  
 Once he died our souls to save, Alleluia!  
 Where thy victory, O grave? Alleluia!

**\*Hymn                      “Morning Has Broken”**

Morning has broken like the first morning  
 Blackbird has spoken like the first bird  
 Praise for the singing Praise for the morning  
 Praise for them springing fresh from the world

Sweet the rain's new fall, sunlit from heaven  
 Like the first dewfall on the first grass  
 Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden  
 Sprung in completeness where his feet pass

Mine is the sunlight Mine is the morning  
 Born of the one light Eden saw play  
 Praise with elation, praise ev'ry morning  
 God's recreation of the new day

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**\*Closing Hymn      “Because He Lives”**

1. God sent His son  
 They called Him Jesus  
 He came to love  
 Heal and forgive  
 He bled and died  
 To buy my pardon  
 An empty grave  
 Is there to prove  
 My savior lives

2. And because He lives  
 I can face tomorrow  
 Because He lives  
 All fear is gone  
 Because I know  
 He holds the future  
 And life is worth the living  
 Just because He lives

3. And then one day  
 I'll cross the river  
 And I'll fight life's final war with pain  
 And then  
 As death gives way to victory  
 I'll see the lights of glory  
 And I'll know He reigns  
 Hallelujah  
 He lives

4. Because He lives  
 I can face tomorrow  
 Because He lives  
 All fear is gone  
 Because I know  
 He holds the future  
 And life is worth the living  
 Just because He lives (He lives)

**Benediction**



**Easter Egg Hunt to follow 10:00 am Service at 11:15 am**

Vacation Bible Camp will be held the week of August 17 -21. Contact Pastor Rebecca at 508-776-1374 if you are interested.

For Bible Study on Thursdays the Zoom passcode is 753843.

Men's Fellowship Group every Tuesday 10 am – 11 am.

Bible Study on Thursdays at 10 am. All are Welcome!

Please support Diane Huban in her mission to run the Boston Marathon on behalf of FamilyAid.

Lend a Hand is looking for more volunteers. We meet every Monday morning at 9:00 am. Everyone is welcome to participate.

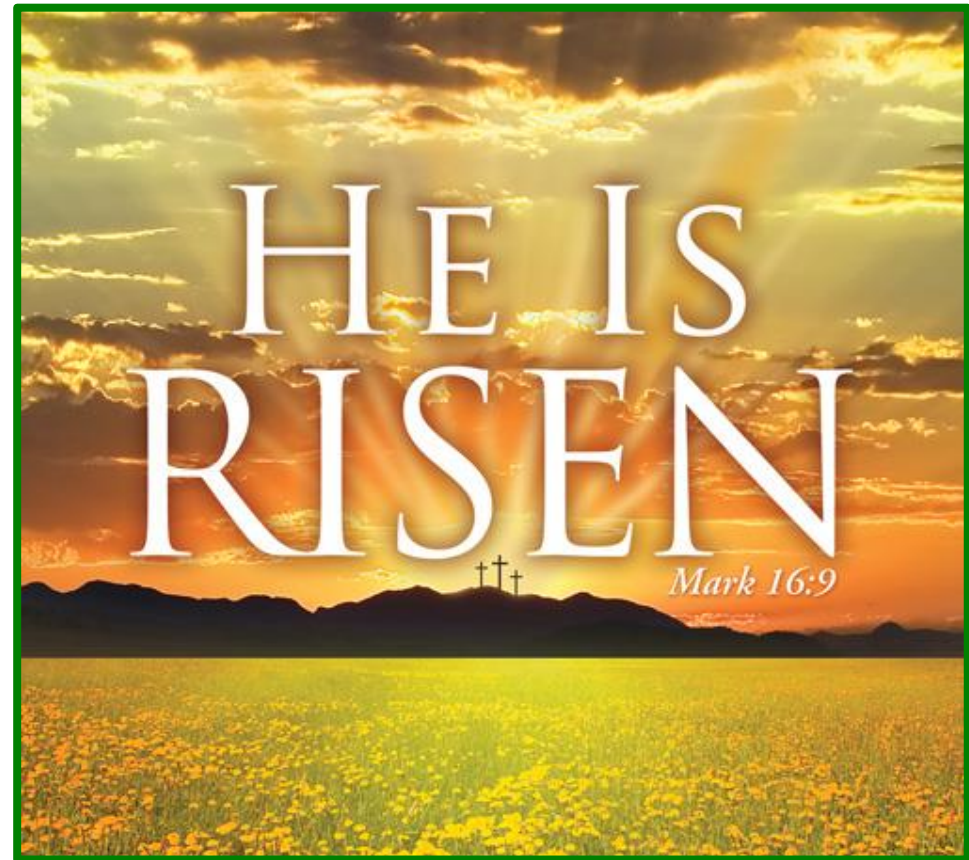
After the Storm destroyed our Driveway Trees, Carl Riedell and the Trustees are going to install 6 ft. Limelight Hydrangea trees in their place. You are welcome to donate toward the fund for these trees and their maintenance to honor or celebrate anyone or anything.

**United Methodist Church**



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**Pastor John Wesley Taylor**

**Music**

**Brain Morris & Janet Leahy**

