

Easter
April 9, 2023

Prelude

Choir Introit *"Resurrection Song"*

Announcements

Call to Worship

Pastor: This is the good news —
The grave is empty
and Christ is risen!

People: *Hallelujah!*

Pastor: This is the good news —
The light shines in the darkness
and the darkness can never put it out!

People: *Hallelujah!*

Pastor: This is the good news —
Once we were no people
and now we are God's people!

People: *Hallelujah!*

Pastor: Christ is risen from the dead!
People: *Hallelujah!*

Pastor: Death could not hold him!
People: *Hallelujah!*

Opening Hymn #234
"Christ the Lord is Risen Today"

Time of Prayer and Lord's Prayer (on screen)

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, forever. Amen.

Call to Offering and Offering

(*online giving is also available at www.cedarvilleunited.org*)

Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

Scripture Matthew 28:1-10 (NT pg 33)

Sermon Rev. Anne Horton
Why Does Easter Matter?

Choir Cantata When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Closing Hymn #243
"Christ is Alive!"

Charge and Blessing

Choir Benediction "Because He Lives"

Postlude

Liturgists

April 9	No Liturgist
April 16	Bob Lilje
April 23	Roberta Lillich
April 30	Charlene Campbell