

*Upper Bermudian Lutheran
Parish*

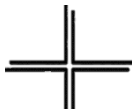
Pastor Eric Snyder



Easter Dawn Service

April 9, 2023

Welcome to Our Worship Service



**Upper Bermudian Evangelical
Lutheran Church**

185 Ground Oak Church Road
Gardners, PA, 17324

**Mt. Zion Evangelical
Lutheran Church**

4200 Carlisle Road
Gardners, PA 17324

April 9, 2023 at 10:30 a.m.....Joint Service at Ground Oak

April 16, 2023 at 10:30 a.m.....Joint Service at Mt. Zion

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Prepare for Worship/Prelude

***The Gathering**

Song.....ELW #353

“Were You There?”

Ressurrection Verse #6

Were You there when God raised him from the tomb?

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Oh, Oh---Oh, Sometimes it causes me to
tremble, tremble, tremble.

Were You there when God raised him from the tomb?

The Greeting

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and
the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

P: Christ is Risen!

C: He is Risen, indeed!

P: O Death, where is your victory, O death, where is your
sting?

**C: Death is swallowed up in victory. The sting of death is
sin, but thanks be to God, who gives us victory through
our Lord Jesus Christ!**

Easter Resurrection Prayer:

P: Let us pray:

C: Almighty God, this morning we celebrate with joy the festival of our Lord’s resurrection. Give us also the joys of life in your service, and bring us at last to the full joy of life eternal. Graciously help us to show the power of the resurrection in all that we say and do, through your Son, the risen Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever. Amen.

Resurrection

Medley.....Proxima

“Christ Arose” / “Christ the Lord is Risen Today”

Gospel Reading One: John 20:1-10

Gospel Reading Two: John 20:11-21

L: The Gospel of The Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Celebration of

Praise.....Proxima

“You are My All in All”

Easter Dawn Message

Pastor Eric Snyder

Vocal Duet.....Debbie Moles and Dawn
Bodenberg

“The Holy City”

Offering:

The Blessing.....Felicia
Steinour/The Choir
(Eric accompaniment on Guitar as offertory is received)

Congregational Hymn.....“Because He
Lives”

*God sent his Son ...they called him Je-sus;
He came to love, heal, and for-give;
He lived and died...to buy my par-don,
An emp-ty grave is there to prove my Sav-ior lives.*

Refrain:

*Because He lives... I can face to-mor-row;
Be-cause He lives...all fear is gone;
Be-cause I know...he holds the fu-ture,
And life is worth the liv-ing just be-cause He lives.*

*How sweet to hold... a new-born ba-by,
And feel the pride... and joy he gives;
But great-er still...the calm as-sur-ance;
This child can face un-cer-tain days be-cause He lives.*

Refrain

***And then one day...I'll cross the riv-er;
I'll fight life's fi...nal war with pain;
And then as death gives way to vic-t'ry,
I'll see the lights of glo-ry and I'll know He lives.***

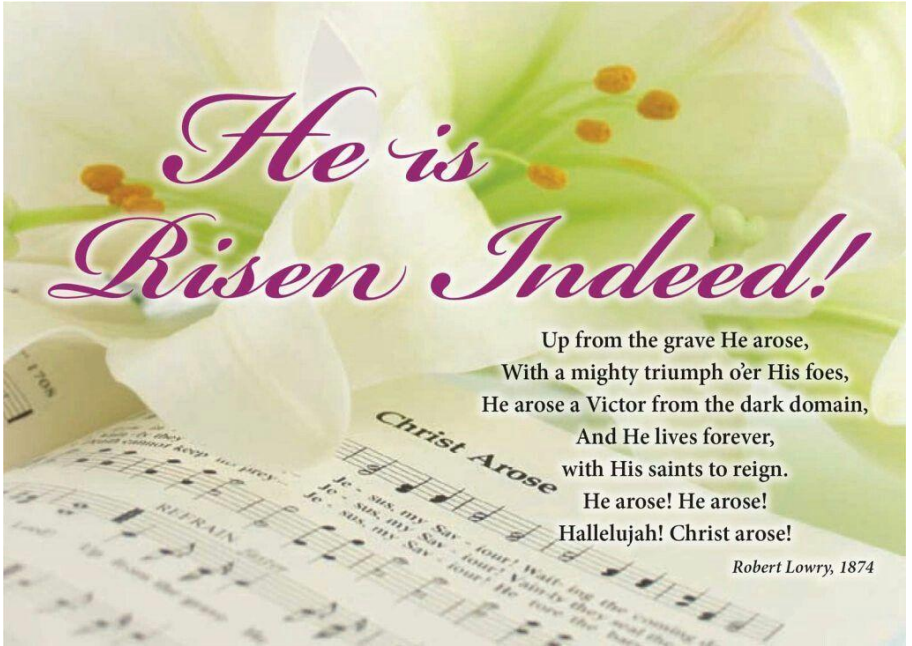
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Postlude

The foundation of the Christian faith is the life, the death, and the resurrection of Jesus Christ. Christ lived the righteous and perfect life that we, because of our fallen and corrupt nature, cannot. He suffered the penalty for our sins by taking our guilt upon Himself and dying horribly on the cross. He rose bodily from the dead that first Easter morning ensuring that we who have been baptized into His death and resurrection will rise again in glorified bodies on our last day on earth.

Guests are especially welcome this Sunrise morning and invited to come again. We invite everyone to join us this morning at 10:30 A.M. at Ground Oak for Easter Sunday Worship Service with Holy Communion.

We want to extend a special Thank You to our musicians this morning: pianist/organist Vince Lobaugh, Dawn Bodenber, Debbie Moles and our own Parish Choir for sharing their musical talents to greet this Easter morning and celebrate Jesus Christ, our Risen Savior.



He is Risen Indeed!

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!

Robert Lowry, 1874

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Birthdays: 4/11- Jean Starner 4/14- Rob Lenker
4/15- Baker Nester, Grace Travis

Anniversaries: 4/9 – Felicia & Barry Steinour
4/15 – Michelle & Dean Lobaugh

Musical Moments - Sunday, April 23, 2:00 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Biglerville. Enjoy an afternoon showcase of musical talents for all ages. No Admission Charge. Donations welcome for John's Meals.

REMINDER:

**The next two worship services will be held at Mt. Zion
April 16th and April 23rd**

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Wed. April 12 - Bible Study @ MZ at 9:00 A.M.

Sun. April 30 - The Ground Oak Ladies Aid is sponsoring a Paint Along (cardinals) with Deb Slocum on Sun. April 30th. The event will be held at GO from 1:30-3:30 P.M. The cost is \$35.00 with some proceeds going to support our Shoebox Ministry. Reservations and money are due to Joanne Kuhn by April 23rd. Checks are to be made to Upper Bermudian Lutheran Church. Contact Joanne Kuhn at 717-476-0501 (leave a message or text) or email-joannekuhn19@gmail.com See the flyer on the back table for additional details and the picture you will be doing.

Sun. Apr. 30 - Egg Scavenger Hunt during Sunday School at 9:00 AM at GO

MT. ZION

Fri. April 14 – Ladies Aide Meeting at 7:00 pm in the Social Room. Hostesses are Dianne and Rosemary Sweitzer and Alice Nailor.

Tues. April 18 – Mt. Zion Council at 6:30 pm

Wed. April 19 – Joint Council will meet @6:30 P.M. at Ground Oak.

GROUND OAK

Tues. April 11 – Church council will meet @ 6:30 P.M. at the church.

Mon. April 17 - “Rooted in Faith” event at Five Points Farm Market, 85 Fickes School Rd., York Springs , PA 17372 at 6:00

pm. All Ground Oak ladies are welcome to participate. We will be making a planter. Cost-\$26.50. Text Joyce Sowers to reserve your spot at 717-778-7567 by April 9th.

Wed. April 19 – Joint Council will meet @6:30 P.M. at Ground Oak.



This year's Easter flowers were given in memory or honor of our friends and loved ones including:

GROUND OAK

In Memory Of:

Adam & Ruth Lobaugh and Fred & Beth Bodenber

by Frank and Dawn Bodenber

Our parents and our sister, Anne Heller

by Ted and Joyce Sowers

Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Redding & Steve, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Kuhn, Sr. and Charlie Kuhn, Jr.

by Joanne Kuhn

Our parents: Donald & Marie Smith and Harry & Harriet Hoffman

by Duane & Kathy Hoffman

Guy & Blanche Lobaugh and Carl & Elvira Bruno

by Vince & Jenni Lobaugh, and Family

Anne Heller and our grandparents

by Tom, Angie, & Grady Marts

Gary Leer and Blanche & Guy Lobaugh

by Linda, Alfred, Kirsten, Colten and Casen Leer

Barb Schildt

by Jolene and Brian Schildt,

Our fathers: Lee Bowermaster and Robert Steinour, Sr.

By Barry and Felicia Steinour

Our daughters: Christine Steinour and Amanda Price

By Barry and Felicia Steinour

Barb Schildt

by Jolene and Brian Schildt,

In Honor Of:

Seth, Tabby, Adie, & Eleanor and Abby & Ryan

by Kathy and Duane Hoffman

**Jolene & Brian Schildt, Marie Lobaugh, Jonathan & Emily
Schmidt**

by Vince & Jenni Lobaugh

Our Parents

by Tom, Angie & Grady Marts

**Andrea Bodenberg and Katherine Bodenberg & Steve Knoyer
and Elizabeth Mae “Em” Bodenberg Knoyer**

by Frank and Dawn Bodenberg

Our children and grandchildren

by Ted and Joyce Sowers

Gary Schildt, BJ, and Brandi Schildt

by Jolene and Brian Schildt,

Our children and our parents

by Jack and Julie Williams

Our parents and Adeline & Eleanor Hoffman

by Seth, Tabitha Hoffman

MT ZION

In Memory Of:

All of my loved ones (Tulip – purple)

Given by Faye R. Bowermaster

Harry & Harriet Hoffman and Joseph & Margaret McGinn

Given by Mike and Peggy Hoffman (Tulip – yellow)

Ruby and Clair Chapman (Tulip – purple)

Given by Larry and Cindy Hogue

Deb Wahl (Tulip – red)

Given by Larry and Cindy Hogue

Barb Schildt (Tulip – purple)

Given by Vince and Jenni Lobaugh and family

Carl and Elvira Bruno (Tulip – yellow)

Given by Vince and Jenni Lobaugh and family

Guy and Blanche Lobaugh (Tulip – pink)

Given by Vince and Jenni Lobaugh and family

Our loved ones (Lily)

Given by Larry and Lisa Lockman

Richard Sowers (Tulip – purple)

Given by Shirley and Family

Dorothy Rice (Tulip – yellow)

Given by Shirley Sowers

Our grandparents (Tulip – red)

Given by Felicia and Barry Steinour

Trudy Bowermaster-Stauffer (Tulip – pink)

Given by Felicia and Barry Steinour

All our loved ones (Tulip – yellow)

Given by Rosemary and Dianne Sweitzer

Richard and Kenneth Sweitzer (Lily)

Given by Rosemary and Dianne Sweitzer

In Honor Of:

All my children and families (Tulip – pink)

Given by Faye R. Bowermaster

Ross, Rachael, Clara, and Bo Hoffman (Tulip – purple)

Given by Mike and Peggy Hoffman

Trevor, Megan, Avery, and Nathan Hoffman (Tulip – red)

Given by Mike and Peggy Hoffman

To the Glory of God (Lily)

Given by Larry and Cindy Hogue

Our children and grandchildren (Tulip – pink)

Given by Larry and Lisa Lockman

Donald and Lois Thomas (Tulip – yellow)

Given by Larry and Lisa Lockman

Our grandchildren (Tulip – purple)

Given by Felicia and Barry Steinour

Janet Walter (Lily)

Given by her husband, Bob Walter

Amanda Chilton (Tulip – yellow)

Given by her father, Bob Walter

Whitney Nester (Tulip – purple)

Given by her father, Bob Walter

Prayer List

Heavenly Father, we lift up all those who facing various illnesses. Give them the hope and courage they need today and every day. Ease their pain, calm their fears, and surround them with your peace. In Jesus' name, Amen

Annette Bupp	Lexie Tate (missionary)
David Lockhard	Linda Shreve
Wayne Weidner	Zona Fisher
Cindy Hogue	Jean Starner
Rachel Wills	Jo Williams
Dennis Richwine	Nancy Kuhn
Jordan Wagner	Paul Depue
Valarie Bushey	Dustin Steinour
Jeff & Jodie Golden	Phillip Lobaugh
Mary Starner	Marlene Brecht
Diane Fetters	Paige Kriel
Diane Baugher	Deb Chapman
Bill Bechtel, Sr.	Nick Snyder
Martha Smith	Kailyn
Donald Rhine	Sherri Price
Juilea Cline	Harrison Eavey
Norma Bupp	Mark Stibitz
Jeff Staub	
The family of Bobby Asper	