

BEULAH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Dr. Andrew McDonald, Pastor

Carla Zwicker, Liturgist

Ellen Cooke, Worship Music Leader

Resurrection of the Lord / Easter Sunday

Morning Worship
(Please sign attendance book.)

9:00 a.m.

April 20, 2025

Prelude

*Call to Worship *John 16*

Jesus says to his disciples,

“A little while, and you will no longer see Me,
and again a little while, and you will see Me.”

**“You will weep and mourn, but the world will rejoice;
you will have pain, but your pain will turn into joy.**

When a woman is in labor, she has pain, because her hour
has come.

But when her child is born, she no longer remembers the
anguish

because of the joy of having brought a human being into the
world.

**So you have pain now; but I will see you again,
and your hearts will rejoice,
and no one will take your joy from you.”**

The Lord is risen!

The Lord is risen, indeed!

*Hymn #123, “**Jesus Christ is Risen Today**”

Affirmation of Faith *John 1*

**In the beginning was the Word,
and the Word was with God,
and the Word was God.**

He was in the beginning with God.

**All things came into being through Him,
and without Him not one thing came into being.**

**What has come into being in Him was life,
and the life was the light of all people.**

**The light shines in the darkness,
and the darkness has not overcome it.**

From his fullness we all receive grace upon grace.

Apostles' Creed (Traditional version) pg. 14

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in
Jesus Christ, his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy
Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was
crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he
rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the
right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to
judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy
catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins, the
resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Welcome

Team Jesus

Offering

Offertory Music

*Doxology #592 “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below;

Praise God above ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Dedication

Scripture John 19:38 — 20:18, pg. 114

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

“Hip-Hop Jesus and the Gospel of Light”

*Hymn #122, “**Thine Is the Glory**”

*Prayer Requests / Prayers of the People

The 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 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.**

*Hymn #104, “**Christ Is Risen! Shout Hosanna!**”

*Charge / Benediction

*Congregational Response (tune #301)

“Lift high the Cross, the love of Christ proclaim,

Till all the world adore His sacred name.”

*Postlude

**Indicates to stand as you are able – for everyone to rise in spirit.*



He Is Risen, Indeed!
Alleluia!

BEULAH CALENDAR

Sunday	April 20	9:00am	Easter Service
Thursday	April 24	11:30am	Lunch @ O Kitchen, Orion
Sunday	April 27	9:00am	Worship
Monday	April 28	7:00pm	Agape

This week's Home Study Lectionary Readings:

Acts 5:27-32 Ps 118:14-29 or Ps 150 or 2 Kings 7:1-16
Ps 2 Rev 1:4-8 John 20:19-31

Easter Lilies

Purchased By:

Jean Hughes
Jim & Carla Zwicker
Bill & Donna Metzler
Bill & Donna Metzler
Dennis Morgan
Dennis Morgan
Sides Family
Tim & Lynn Fritz
Jon & Wanda Cross
Deb McBride
Deb McBride

In Memory Of:

-Colleen, Kenneth & Grant Hughes
- Maynard & Dorothy Zwicker
- Loved Ones
- Loved Ones
- Duane & Betty Morgan
- Loved Ones
- Dan Mueller
- Loved Ones
- Loved Ones
- Duane & Betty Morgan
- Bill McBride
- Infant Larry

Prayer List

Heather DeHaven	Robert DeVries	Martha Green
Cathy Morgan	Dylan Preston	

Missionary relatives and friends of our church family

Ted & Kim Treadway in Guatemala.

Please Remember These Members in Your Prayers

♥ Barbara Anderson
♥ Louise Green
♥ Joyce King
♥ Don Paulsen
♥ Terry Vincent
♥ Jackie Williams

Beulah Church, On behalf of the Tiger Closet,
we extend our sincere gratitude for your generous donation.

Your thoughtfulness is deeply appreciated
and all of the items will be of significant value to the families we serve.

As we approach the summer months,
we anticipate an increased need for our services.

Thank you again, Vanessa Schulenberg and Erin Dekeyrel.

2025 Annual Per Capita Presbytery Fee

The Presbyterian Church USA is a connectional church, meaning that in Christ, we are one body (1 Corinthians 12). We support each other. Every year the Presbytery requests that each church support the costs of the Presbytery, Synod and General Assembly. In turn, that helps the denomination support all of the churches in the PCUSA. For 2025, the Per Capita Fee is \$38.29. The church pays Presbytery based on the number of members. We are requesting each member please add \$38.29 to their church giving to cover this cost.

One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS) Offering – Collected on Easter Sunday, April 20

What does the One Great Hour of Sharing Do?

- 1. Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (32% of your gifts)**
 - Works alongside communities as they recover and find hope after the devastation of natural or human-caused disasters, and support for refugees.
- 2. Presbyterian Hunger Program (36% of your gifts)**
 - Takes action to alleviate hunger, care for creation, and the systemic causes of poverty so all may be fed.
- 3. Self-Development of People (32% of your gifts)**
 - Invests in communities responding to their experiences of oppression, poverty and injustice along with educating Presbyterians about the impact of these issues.

One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS) Offering Instructions

- *This Offering is collected on Easter Sunday, April 20 (Special envelopes will be provided in the Easter Bulletin).*
- **Cash Contributions** - *If your contribution is cash, please use the OGHS envelopes which will ensure your contribution will go to the **OGHS Offering** rather than the General Church Fund.*
- **Check Contributions** - *If your contribution is by check, please designate **OGHS Offering** in the memo field, which will ensure your contribution will go to the **OGHS Offering** rather than the general budget.*

Thank you in advance for your OGHS donations (History: 2024 - \$1,330; 2023 - \$ 1,370; 2022 - \$811; 2021 - \$727; 2020 - \$420; 2019 - \$397).