

Westminster Presbyterian Church

Sunday, April 4, 2010

7:00 AM

Easter

WE GATHER TO PRAISE GOD

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here. Christ is risen!

People: He is risen indeed.

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Leader: Let us worship our risen Lord Jesus Christ!

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

***HYMN OF PRAISE** (see back)

"Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

EASTER

HYMN

TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

THE ACCOUNT OF THE RESURRECTION FROM JOHN 20:1-18

MEDITATION

"Seeing Isn't Believing"

Mike

Garrett

TO RESPOND IN FAITH

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

LORD'S PRAYER (unison – "debts/debtors")

ACCLAMATION (from Ephesians 3:20-21)

**All: Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or
imagine,**

**according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the
church**

and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen.

***HYMN OF FAITH** (see back)

"The Day of Resurrection"

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***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

Leader: Christ is risen!

People: Christ is risen, indeed!

All: Alleluia, alleluia!

**Those who are able, please stand.*

"Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

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

*2 Lives again our glorious King, Alleluia!
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!
Dying once He all doth save, Alleluia!
Where thy victory, O grave? Alleluia!*

*3 Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia!
Fought the fight, the battle won. Alleluia!
Death in vain forbids Him rise, Alleluia!
Christ has opened Paradise, Alleluia!*

*4 Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia!
Foll'wing our exalted Head, Alleluia!
Made like Him, like Him we rise, Alleluia!
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Alleluia!*

"The Day of Resurrection"

*1 The day of resurrection! Earth, tell it out abroad;
The Passover of gladness, The Passover of God.
From death to life eternal, From earth unto the sky,
Our Christ hath brought us over With hymns of victory*

*2 Our hearts be pure from evil, That we may see a right
The Lord in rays eternal Of resurrection light;
And, list'ning to His accents, May hear, so calm and plain,
His own "All hail!" and, hearing, May raise the victor strain.*

*3 Now let the heav'ns be joyful! Let earth her song begin!
The world resound in triumph, And all that is therein;
Let all things seen and unseen Their notes of gladness blend;
For Christ the Lord hath risen, Our Joy that hath no end.*

Next Sunday – April 11, 2010

Mike Garrett

"I Saw Him On The Mission!"

(First in the Series: "Sightings: Reports of the Risen Christ")

Matthew 28:16-20