

Please join us for Coffee Hour in Baldwin Hall following the Worship Service.

*Thank you to the Diaconate for the Easter Flower Display on the altar.
Please see the flower Dedication list in the bulletin.*

Happy Easter!



This Week

Sunday, April 9 – NA 6 pm (FH)

Monday, April 10 – Breakfast Group 8:30am, AA 7:30 pm (BMR)

Tuesday, April 11 –NA 7:30 pm (BH)

Wednesday, April 12 – Hyannis Film Festival showing of “Patriot’s Day” 7 PM (FH)

Thursday, April 13 – Bible Study 11 AM (P)

Friday, April 14 – Family Game Time 4:30 – 6:30 PM (BH)

Saturday, April 15 – NA 7:30 pm (BH)

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Sunday Morning Worship Service
April 9, 2023~ 10:00 AM

~Reminder – please silence all cell phones before the Worship Service begins ~

PRELUDE: “We Gather Together”, Gedenck-Clanck..... Roy Campbell

WORDS OF WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INTROIT: “Lord Jesus Christ, Be Present Now”

CALL TO WORSHIP (all):

Leader: We are here to celebrate life, to celebrate this world and the universe we live in, so unimaginable, so vast, yet so minutely beautiful.

People: We are here to celebrate human life with all its physical, intellectual, and spiritual delights, so close to earth, so near to God.

Leader: We are here to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus, to pray for peace, joy, and love for ourselves and every human being.

People: We are here to praise God, the great giver of all. Amen.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

***HYMN OF PRAISE # 196** “Christ the Lord is Risen Today”

INVOCATION (all)

O God, you are greater than our most sublime thought. You are beyond our most vivid imagination. Forgive us when we cast you in human terms, forgetting that words cannot describe you or contain you. Yet, you have come to us in Jesus and in his life, death, and resurrection you have revealed yourself to us. We thank you that in him you give us life and hope which never die. May that love overflow in us this Easter day. Amen.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

SILENT PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER (all)

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into

temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

***GLORIA PATRI**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

ANTHEM: “Easter Alleluia”, P. Van Dyke Choir

THE WORD OF GOD.....Lay Reader Patricia Hill

Old Testament: Isaiah 25:6-9

New Testament: John 20:1-10

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

***HYMN OF REFLECTION # 197** “The Day of Resurrection”

SERMON: “Exit or Entrance?” Rev. Dr. Paul R. Adkins

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND PASTORAL PRAYER

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory: “Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus” Roy Campbell

Doxology

Praise God from who all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise Him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*** CLOSING HYMN #474** “Hymn of Promise”

***BENEDICTION**

CHOIR AMEN

***POSTLUDE:** “Prelude # 20”, F. Chopin..... Roy Campbell

*Please stand if you are able