

**EASTER SUNRISE WORSHIP**

**April 24, 2011**

**THE WELCOME**

*Edd Spencer*

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

*David Hamilton*

*Leader: The day of resurrection!*

*People: Now let the heavens be joyful; Let earth its song begin*

*Leader: The world resounds in triumph, and all that is therein.*

*People: Let all things seen and unseen their notes of gladness blend.*

*All: For Christ the Lord has risen, our joy that has no end.*

**\*PRAISE HYMN**

*"In the Garden"*

*Jan Watts*

*I come to the garden alone, while the dew is still on the roses;  
and the voice I hear, falling on my ear, the Son of God discloses.  
And He walks with me, and He talks with me,  
and He tells me I am His own, and the joy we share,  
as we tarry there, none other has ever known.*

*I'd stay in the garden with Him though the night birds hush their singing,  
and the melody that He gave to me within my heart is ringing.  
And He walks with me, and He talks with me,  
and He tells me I am His own, and the joy we share,  
as we tarry there, none other has ever known.*

*I'd stay in the garden with Him though the night around me falling,  
but He bids me go; through the voice of woe his voice to me is calling.  
And He walks with me, and He talks with me,  
and He tells me I am His own, and the joy we share,  
as we tarry there, none other has ever known.*

**MORNING PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER**

*Deb Carpenter*

**THE OFFERING**

*Judy Dudley*

**MESSAGE IN MOTION, SCRIPTURE & SONG**

*Jan Watts*

*Luke 24: 1-31  
"Christ is Risen! Shout Hosanna!"*

**COMMUNION MEDITATION**

*George Dudley*

**COMMUNION PRAYER**

*Libby Carpenter*

**CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

*The Sharing of Fish Crackers and Grapes*

*Deb Carpenter, Kathy Mann, Susan Storer, Pepper Edwards*

*The Lord Jesus, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, broke it and said, "This is My Body which is given for you." In the same way also the cup, after supper saying, "This cup is the new covenant of My Blood. Do this as often as you drink it in remembrance of Me."*

**CONGREGATION:** *As often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.*

**\*HYMN OF CELEBRATION**

*"Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"*

*Jan Watts*

*Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia!  
All creation, join to say, Alleluia!  
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!  
Sing, O heavens, and earth reply, Alleluia!*

*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!*

**\*BENEDICTION**

*Throwing Our Stones In The Water*

*Edd Spencer*



**Breakfast will be served in the dining hall immediately following worship. Cost is \$5.75 for adults and children 6 and over and \$3.75 for ages 3-5, while children 2**

*years and under are free.*

**LIFE IN OUR COMMUNITY THIS WEEK**

**SUNDAY, APRIL 24**

6:30 am Sunrise Service and Breakfast at Hargis  
9:00 am Sunday School  
9:45 am – 10:15 am Fellowship Moment  
10:15 am Easter Morning Worship  
10:30 am Children's Worship & Wonder

**MONDAY – FRIDAY**

9:30 am – 1:30 pm The Adventure Nook

**MONDAY, APRIL 25**

7:00 am Men's Bible Study

**TUESDAY, APRIL 26**

9:45 am Chapel  
10:00 am Women's Bible Study  
7:00 pm Elder Calls

**THURSDAY, APRIL 28**

10:00 am Vacation Bible School Orientation/Farkas Room  
7:00 pm Women's Bible Study  
7:00 pm Advocates Bible Study  
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm Meadowridge Homeowners Assoc. Meeting  
in the Farkas Room

**FRIDAY, April 29**

5:00 pm Kool Kids & Chi Rho's Lock-In

**SATURDAY, April 30**

10:00 am Pastor Colleague Group



*Thank you to the Chancel Choir & the Bell Choir for  
our beautiful Sunrise Service.*