

Thank You for Volunteering Your Service Today!

GREETERS

Outside Greg & Jacqui Pridgeon
Inside Joyce Pridgeon
Sherry Trombly

USHERS

Linda Traum
Volunteers Needed

LITURGIST

Stan Pridgeon

COFFEE HOSTS

David & Loretta Lopez

Next Sunday, April 8, 2018

Pastor Diane Gordon preaching

Sermon Title: Living a Lie?

Texts: Psalm 133

1 John 1:1-2:6

WORSHIP SERVICES CAN BE SEEN ON CHANNEL 191

Traditional Worship Service: Tuesday - 7:00 pm,
Wednesday - 2:50 pm, & Saturday - 6:30 pm

Contemporary Worship Service:
Wednesday - 6:00 am, Friday - 6:30 pm & Sunday - 7 pm

Worship Services from the previous week can also be seen on CHANNEL 187
on Sunday only: Traditional Service at 9:00 am
& Contemporary Service at 11:00 am
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We are a Stephen Ministry congregation
Christian Care, Compassion, Listening
— when you need it most.

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**Easter Sunday
April 1, 2018**

**Those who are comfortable standing, please stand.*

PRELUDE *Fugue in C* Buxtehude

WELCOME Christ is Risen!
He is Risen Indeed! Alleluia!

(Please take a moment to sign the welcome pad
and pass it to others in the pew.)

***HYMN OF CELEBRATION** *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today* No. 302

SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24
Leader: The Word of God for all people.
People: Thanks be to God.

PASTORAL PRAYER

***HYMN OF PREPARATION** *Christ Is Risen* No. 307

***GOSPEL READING** John 20:1-18

CHORAL ANTHEM *Christ is Arisen* Schutz
Chancel Choir

THE MESSAGE He Is Lord of All! Pastor Diane Gordon

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

No. 12-15

Invitation
Confession and Pardon
The Great Thanksgiving
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 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.**

Sharing of Bread and Cup
Prayer of Thanksgiving

A TIME OF OFFERING *(Ushers will collect your purple prayer requests)*

Invitation
Offertory *The Stone Is Rolled Away*
Chancel Choir

* Doxology No. 95
* Prayer of Dedication

(Loose coins will go to Camp New Day)

***HYMN OF DEDICATION** *He Lives* No. 310

***BENEDICTION** *Every Time I Think About Jesus* arr. Edwin Childs

We are glad to be able to worship together today.
We invite you to join us for coffee and fellowship
in the Gathering Space following the service.