

# Faith & Oregon Community United Methodist Churches



April 12, 2020 at 6:15AM – Easter Sunrise

**W**ELCOME FRIENDS: We have come together to worship God and to love one another. Today we remember the resurrection of Jesus, our Messiah—remembering that he chose to come and live among us, was willing to even die on the cross for us, and then rose from the dead to redeem our souls. While we are worshipping online, we also are aware that we are not alone—for the Holy Spirit has gathered us together across space and time. You are welcome in this sacred space no matter who you are; from where you have come; or what experiences, struggles, questions or gifts you bring. We are glad you are here...and hope you find what you need in today's service. May God bless you!

**PRELUDE** *Roll Away the Stone* **Anthony Wiker & Jody Norton**

**GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS** **Pastor Jason**  
*So that we can track attendance, please sign into the Online Facebook Video Stream by Reacting (a Like or Love), by posting a comment in the Facebook Stream, or by sending an email (to JBPerkowski@gmail.com) letting us know that you watched the video--and including the first and last names (of all who watched with you) and the dates that you logged in to watch a message.*

**HYMN** *Lift High The Cross* **UMH #159 v. 1, 3, 4**

**CALL TO WORSHIP** **Morning Has Broken** **Pastor Jason**  
Morning has broken, but this morning is different.  
**The birds are singing tunes of joy in the trees surrounding the graves.**  
**The flower buds are bursting in colors vibrant around each stone.**  
We've come to visit the grave of a friend, but "he is not here."  
**The Sun is rising in the East; the shadowed grays turn bright!**  
**The Son is risen in our Hearts; darkness and death end in defeat.**  
Now we understand what Christ said, what God did.  
Now we can proclaim, **CHRIST IS RISEN! HALLELUJAH!**  
Christ is risen! **He is risen indeed!** (By The Rev. Nathan Decker on *UMCDiscipleship.org*)

**HYMN** *Up From the Grave He Arose* **UMH #322**

**SCRIPTURE LESSON** **Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24** **Pastor Jason**

**HYMN** *Come Christians Join To Sing* **UMH #158 v. 1 & 2**

**SCRIPTURE LESSON** **John 20:1-18** **Pastor Jason**  
**HYMN** *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today* **UMH #302 v. 1-3**

**SERMON** *He Is Risen Indeed* **Pastor Jason**

**HYMN** *Easter People, Raise Your Voices* **UMH #304 v. 1 & 2**

**PRAYER** **Pastor Jason**

**HYMN** *Sing with All the Saints in Glory* **UMH #702 v. 1 & 3**

**BENEDICTION** **Pastor Jason**

**HYMN** *He Lives* **UMH #310**

*Join us for a full Easter Worship Celebration at 10:30 AM online as well*

## OFFERING TITHES & GIFTS TO THE LORD

If you are able to make an offering to our ministries, we encourage you to do so. If you are facing economic uncertainties, we understand that you may not be able to give at this time—and encourage you to let us know how we can help you. You can mail gifts to the churches, give online via the “Online Giving” Button at [FaithUMC.US](https://FaithUMC.US), or have your bank mail your donations.

## JUNIOR CHURCH ZOOM SESSION AT 9:30 AM

Kids up to 4<sup>th</sup> Grade are invited to join the Junior Church online with Julie Hassara after this morning's worship. You can see the teacher and other students by video. We are also sending out weekly activity pages by email. If you are interested please email us at [faithumc@hotmail.com](mailto:faithumc@hotmail.com).

**Join Zoom Meeting:** <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/484986057>

## PASTORAL ENCOURAGEMENT & SUNDAY SERVICES

Each Sunday we will have church online via Facebook Live at 10:30AM. You can also see daily videos of encouragement from Pastor Jason via Facebook – publicly available whether or not you have Facebook. You can find links on the “Sermons” Page at [FaithUMC.US](https://FaithUMC.US).

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**This morning's Worship Leaders:** Anthony Wiker and Jody Norton  
**Pastor:** The Rev. Jason Perkowski of Faith and Oregon Community UMCs

**Ministers:** The People of God

**Faith Worship Team Director:** Phil Buchanan; **Faith Instrumentalists:** Dolly Bankert Haar, Liz Hornberger, Brian Kohler, Nick Margerum & **the Faith Singers.** **OCUMC Pianist:** Jody Norton

**Audio / Visual Technology:** Dennis Meck, Sr.

**Pastor:** The Rev. Jason Perkowski **Ministers:** The People of God

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