



The Setauket Presbyterian Church

As active disciples of Jesus Christ, we celebrate and share the love of God among ourselves and with others."

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

2nd Sunday of Easter

April 12, 2015

9:30 AM

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

We use this time to make the transition between "getting here" and "being here".

Take these few minutes to find the still, deep places within you, where God's Spirit dwells.

Prelude *Prelude in C Major*

Dietrich Buxtehude

Ringing of the Steeple Bell

Welcome and Announcements

Introit *Surely the Lord is in this Place*

Healey Willan

* Call to Worship

With great power the apostles gave their testimony to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and grace was upon them all. Testify!

Christ is risen!

With your voices...

Christ is risen!

With your love...

Christ is risen!

With good works...

Christ is risen!

Testify!

Christ is risen!

Let your light shine...

Christ is risen!

All the world, hear the good news:

Christ is risen indeed!



* Hymn 246 *Christ is Alive!*

TRURO

PRAYER FOR RECONCILIATION

You have shown yourself to us, O God, by Word and Spirit, with signs and wonders, in flesh and blood, yet we still struggle to live and believe the good news of Jesus Christ. Too often we carry on our lives as if there is no God, and we fail to witness to your grace and truth. Have mercy on us; forgive us. Enter into our lives and cast out our fear so that we may come to trust in you and have life in Jesus' name. (*Moment of silence for personal confession and reflection*) Amen.

Assurance of God's Grace

...Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel:

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

* Sung Response

from Hymn 236

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

The image shows a musical score for a hymn. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff on top and a bass clef staff on the bottom. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 3/4. The melody is written in the treble staff, and the bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment. The lyrics 'Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!' are written below the treble staff.

WITH THE CHILDREN AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

(Children should proceed to their church school class.)

HEARING THE WORD

Sung Prayer for Illumination

Hymn 288 Spirit of the Living God

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me...melt me, mold me, fill me, use me...

First Reading John 20:19-31

Anthem *Arise, Shine, for Thy Light Is Come*
The Whole Bright World Rejoices

Healey Willan
Eugene Hill

Second Reading 1 John 1:1 - 2:2

THE SERMON *Unless I See*

The Rev. Kate Jones Calone

* **HYMN 817** *We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight*

DUNLAP'S CREEK

THANKING GOD THROUGH OUR OFFERINGS

Offertory

(Please sign the Friendship Roster found at the end of the pew,
noting the name of fellow worshippers when it is returned.)

* **Doxology 606 (alt)**

* **Prayer of Dedication**

Holy God, we give you thanks and praise for light and life and love, and for the presence of the living Lord among us. By your Spirit who breathes within us, strengthen our faith, use our gifts, and work in our lives to bear witness to the resurrection of Christ our Lord, in whose name we pray. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

* **HYMN 238** *Thine Is the Glory*

JUDAS MACCABEUS

* **CHARGE TO THE CONGREGATION and BENEDICTION**

CHORAL RESPONSE *Let Us Now Depart*

A La Puerta

POSTLUDE *Prelude and Fugue in G Major*

Mikael Darmanie

please rise in body or in spirit; **unison prayers are in bold.*

Large print bulletins, Bibles, hymnals and listening devices are available; please ask a Deacon.

A SPEAKER SYSTEM is available in the parlor, so that anyone who might need to leave the sanctuary during worship can still hear the service.

NEXT SUNDAY, APRIL 19

- 9:00 Knitting at 9 in the Parlor
 - 9:30 Worship Service and the Rev. Mary Speers preaching; Bell Choir playing;
Childcare (ages 1 - 3)
 - 9:45 Church School (Preschool through 6th Grade);
Church School Cookie Sale following service
 - 11:00 Youth Sunday Rehearsal in Sanctuary
 - 11:00 Adult Education Class in Jr./Sr. High Room
 - 11:00 New Member Class in the Parlor
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