EASTER MUSICIANS:

Rob Clark - Acoustic guitar
Noah Sanchez De Tagle - Bass
Stuart Langsam - Drums
Hardy Hemphill - vocals, keys and piano
Nancy Hobbs - vocals
Lawrence Beamen - vocals

Samuel King - French horn

String quartet

Julian Brown - Violin Kevin Eng - Violin Jason Pyszkowski - Viola Lewis Patzner - Cello

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

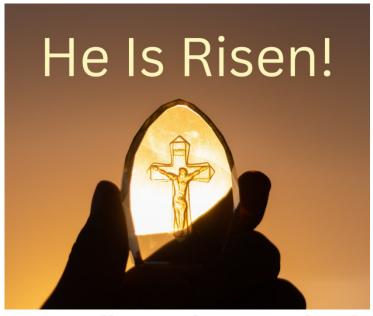
Thank you to the following people for their generosity in filling the sanctuary with lilies: Cynthia Blank, Doris Clark, Mike and Karen Clark, Bill and Maggie Day, Sandy Franger, Mike Grijalva, Rich and Donna Hulsker, Bob Kuechler, John and Kat Langford, Donna Perry, and Barbara Robinson.

April 23, Sunday - Hear from ECO's National Church-Planting Director Luke Parker and Executive Director of Ecclesiastical Development Nate Dreesmann as they visit WVPC. Details will follow.

Coffee & Donuts:

April 9 – Sandy T. April 16 – April 23 –

Easter Sunday April 9, 2023 9:30 am Service



West Valley Presbyterian Church



Call to Worship – Hardy Hemphill

Psalm 118:1-2, 15-17, 19-24

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures forever. The Lord is my strength and my song; he has become my salvation.

People: Shouts of joy and victory resound in the tents of the righteous: "The Lord's right hand has done mighty things! The Lord's right hand is lifted high; the Lord's right has done mighty things!"

Leader: I will not die but live, and will proclaim what the Lord has done. Open for me the gates of righteousness; I will enter and give thanks to the Lord.

People: This is the gate of the Lord through which the righteous may enter.

Leader: I will give you thanks, for you answered me; you have become my salvation.

People: The stone the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; the Lord has done this, and it is marvelous in our eyes.

All: The Lord has done it this very day; let us rejoice today and be glad!

Christ The Lord Is Risen Today All Hail The Power Of Jesus Name Mighty To Save

Greetings & Announcements – Janet Russell

Prayers of the People - Dan Yuen

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come. Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And do not lead us into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one. For Yours is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

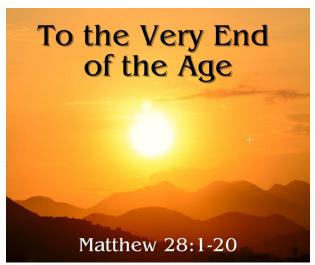
Rise Again

Matthew 28:1-20 NIV

28 After the Sabbath, at dawn on the first day of the week, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to look at the tomb. 2 There was a violent earthquake, for an angel of the Lord came down from heaven and, going to the tomb, rolled back the stone and sat on it. 3 His appearance was like lightning, and his clothes were white as snow. 4 The guards were so afraid of him that they shook and became like dead men. 5 The angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I

Matthew 28:1-20 continued

know that you are looking for Jesus, who was crucified. 6 He is not here; he has risen, just as he said. Come and see the place where he lay. 7 Then go quickly and tell his disciples: 'He has risen from the dead and is going ahead of you into Galilee. There you will see him.' Now I have told you." 8 So the women hurried away from the tomb, afraid yet filled with joy, and ran to tell his disciples. 9 Suddenly Jesus met them. "Greetings," he said. They came to him, clasped his feet and worshiped him. 10 Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid. Go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me." 11 While the women were on their way, some of the quards went into the city and reported to the chief priests everything that had happened. 12 When the chief priests had met with the elders and devised a plan, they gave the soldiers a large sum of money, 13 telling them, "You are to say, 'His disciples came during the night and stole him away while we were asleep.' 14 If this report gets to the governor, we will satisfy him and keep you out of trouble." 15 So the soldiers took the money and did as they were instructed. And this story has been widely circulated among the Jews to this very day. 16 Then the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. 17 When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. 18 Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. 19 Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."



Pastor Janet Russell

Because He Lives

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