

WELCOME

THANKS FOR JOINING US!

MARCH 31, 2024

OUR MISSION IS INSPIRING PEOPLE TO **KNOW, GROW, GO** IN GOD'S LOVE.

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*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The tomb is dark, but empty

People: The one you are looking for has overcome the darkness

Leader: The stone has been rolled away

People: The one you are looking for has overcome death

Leader: The burial clothes are put aside.

People: The one you are looking for is alive!

Leader: Christ is Risen!

People: Christ is Risen Indeed! Let us worship our Risen Savior!

*OPENING HYMN

CHRIST THE LORD IS RISEN TODAY
STZS 1,2,3,4

UMH 302

*1 CHRIST THE LORD IS RISEN TODAY, ALLELUIA!
EARTH AND HEAVEN IN CHORUS SAY, ALLELUIA!
RAISE YOUR JOYS AND TRIUMPHS HIGH, ALLELUIA!
SING, YE HEAVENS, AND EARTH REPLY, ALLELUIA!*

*2 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!*

*3 LIVES AGAIN OUR GLORY KING, ALLELUIA!
WHERE, O DEATH, IS NOW THY STING? ALLELUIA!
ONCE HE DIED OUR SOULS TO SAVE, ALLELUIA!
WHERE'S THY VICTORY, BOASTING GRAVE? ALLELUIA!*

*4 SOAR WE NOW WHERE CHRIST HAS LED, ALLELUIA!
FOLLOWING OUR EXALTED HEAD, ALLELUIA!
MADE LIKE HIM, LIKE HIM WE RISE, ALLELUIA!
OURS THE CROSS, THE GRAVE, THE SKIES, ALLELUIA!*

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

UMH 887

We believe in an Easter God, who transforms darkness into light, hatred into tolerance and despair into hope. We believe God is always working for good, changing every Good Friday nightmare into an Easter dream of new possibility. We believe in the risen Christ, who befriends us on our roads of doubt and worry; who touches us through song and silence, word and gesture; who calls us by name to enter the dance of life. We believe in the Spirit, the hidden presence behind every resurrection, who beckons us to leave tomblife safety and trust the gracious invitation to live joyfully. We believe the Spirit is always renewing the church and making us a people who practice kindness, encourage beauty and work for justice and freedom. We believe we are an Easter people, a sign that with God all things are possible.

*GLORIA PATRI

UMH 70

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

WHITNEY GATES

ANTHEM

RISEN INDEED!

BY POTE

JOYS & CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

*HYMN

EASTER PEOPLE, RAISE YOUR VOICES

UMH 304

*1 EASTER PEOPLE, RAISE YOUR VOICES,
COUNDS OF HEAVEN IN EARTH SHOULD RING.
CHRIST HAS BROUGHT US HEAVEN'S CHOICES;
HEAVENLY MUSIC, LET IT RING.
ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! EASTER PEOPLE, LET US SING.*

*2 FEAR OF DEATH CAN NO MORE STOP US
FROM OUR PRESSING HERE BELOW.
FOR OUR LORD EMPOWERED US TO
TRIUMPH OVER EVERY FOE.*

ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! ON TO VICTORY NOW WE GO.

*3 EVERY DAY TO US IS EASTER,
WITH ITS RESURRECTION SONG.
WHEN IN TROUBLE MOVE THE FASTER TO OUR
GOD WHO RIGHTS THE WRONG.*

ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! SEE THE POWER OF HEAVENLY THRONGS.

*STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE

BOLD RESPOND IN UNISON

GIVING

Offering is an act of worship. Text **GIVEBUMC** to **877.570.3715** to give or visit our website!

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BLESSING OVER THE OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

BECAUSE HE LIVES
HANNAH RACHAL, SOLOIST

ARR. SCHRADER

SCRIPTURE

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

JOHN 20: 1-18

SERMON

RUN, MARY, RUN!

DR. WYBRA PRICE

HOLY COMMUNION

UMH 12

ANY OFFERING YOU LEAVE AT THE ALTER RAILING IS USED IN OUR BENEVOLENCE MINISTRY, ASSISTING OTHERS IN TIMES OF DESPERATION AND GREAT NEED.

Leader: ... Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

People: **Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Leader: ... In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

People: **In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! Glory to God. Amen**

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Leader: ... We praise your name and join their unending hymn:

People: **Holy, holy, holy, Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

Leader: ... with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

People: **Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.**

Leader: ... all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever.

LORD'S PRAYER

UMH 881

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 and ever. Amen

*CLOSING HYMN

THE DAY OF RESURRECTION

UMH 303

**1 THE DAY OF RESURRECTION! EARTH, TELL IT OUT ABROAD;
THE PASSOVER OF GLADNESS, THE PASSOVER OF GOD.
FROM DEATH TO LIFE ETERNAL, FROM EARTH UNTO THE SKY,
OUR CHRIST HATH BROUGHT US OVER, WITH HYMNS OF VICTORY.**

**2 OUR HEARTS BE PURE FROM EVIL, THAT WE MAY SEE ARIGHT THE
LORD IN RAYS ETERNAL OF RESURRECTION LIGHT;
AND LISTENING TO HIS ACCENTS, MAY HEAR, SO CALM AND PLAIN,
HIS OWN "ALL HAIL!" AND, HEARING, MAY RISE THE VICTOR STRAIN.**

**3 NOW LET THE HEAVENS BE JOYFUL! LET EARTH THE SONG BEGIN!
LET THE ROUND WORLD KEEP TRIUMPH, AND ALL THAT IS THERE IN!
LET ALL THINGS SEEN AND UNSEEN THEIR NOTES IN GLADNESS BLEND,
FOR CHRIST THE LORD HATH RISEN, OUR JOY THAT HATH NO END.**

BENEDICTION

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upcoming Sermon Series: The Easter Challenge

Join us for the next sermon series called "The Easter Challenge." Now that Jesus has risen from the dead, we have a job to do! Each week we will all be challenged to act on a different aspect of our faith.

Celebrate Broadmoor **Sunday, April 14th at Noon**

Please join us for a Celebration Luncheon Sun, April 14th at noon in Anderson Hall. This is an old fashioned covered dish celebrating how our membership came together to support our church and balancing the budget. The church will provide fried chicken and chicken tenders for the children. We are asking members to bring dishes according to the beginning letter of their last name. A-F salad; G-N side dish; O-Z dessert. Please sign up at the welcome desks, church office, or email office@broadmoorumc.org. Please RSVP by April 9th.

River Band Concert **Sunday, April 28th at 5pm**

Join us in Anderson Hall Gym on Sunday, April 28th at 5 pm for The River Band's contemporary Christian music concert, and eat at a food truck. Tickets are \$5 per person, \$12 per family, or any donation. All proceeds will go to replacing instruments. Buy tickets at broadmoorumc.org/give or with Amy Watts in the office.

Parent's Night Out **Saturday, May 4th from 4:30-7pm**

Due to our Parking Lot Fundraiser not making quite as much as we would have hoped, the Youth will be doing a couple more fundraisers over the next few months. One such fundraiser will be a Parent's Night Out for the Nursery and Children's Ministry on May 4th from 4:30- 7 PM! Don't worry parents all of the usual Sunday morning staff will be on hand as well. Any donation of your choosing would be greatly appreciated and we'll make sure they have an amazing time! Please RSVP to Leah in the office@broadmoorumc.org.

Summer Buddies and TNT Registration

Buddies/TNT is an opportunity for kids aged 6 months through 4th grade to enjoy some summer fun Tue, Wed, and Thur. The times and dates for these programs are 9:30-2:00, June 9-11, 16-18 and July 13-15, 20-22. For more information contact Kristin Nelson via email at atkristin@broadmoorumc.org.

Raise Your Joys & Triumphs High

As we gather to celebrate the resurrection of our Lord and Savior, you are invited to offer a gift of praise and thanksgiving through our special Easter Offering. You may place your gift in the Easter Offering envelopes, you can notate "Easter Offering" in the memo line on your check, or you can donate online at broadmoorumc.org/give.