

The Rev. Barton R. Buchanan  
(Please stand at points\* if you are able)

*Easter Sunday*

*April 17, 2022*

OPENING  
CELEBRATION

***Risen***

***Setting of the Table***

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

CELEBRATION & CONCERNS

GREETING TIME

(Please be sensitive of individuals personal boundaries).

CHILDREN'S  
MOMENT

\* HYMN

***Christ the Lord is  
Risen Today***

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\*CALL TO  
CELEBRATION

Death is not the final word...

***...neither are our mistakes.***

Resurrection manifests new beginnings.

***Our past experiences are teachers for all things new  
to unfold.***

We can arise from the dark places within.

***Light will appear when we open ourselves to it.***

Truth is always speaking to us.

***God, give us the courage to hear The Truth so we can  
walk into destiny.***

**Amen.**

SPECIAL  
MUSIC

***That Old Rugged Cross/  
Christ Arose***

Patrick Heisinger  
Praise Team

The Rev. Barton R. Buchanan

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\*SONG OF  
PRAISE

***Here I am to Worship***

ANTHEM

***King of Kings***

Choir

OFFERTORY INVITATION

***God, You call us by name. When darkness deafened our ears, we became stagnant because we allowed the past to speak louder than the promise of future. On this blessed Resurrection Sunday, empower us to lift our voices to share the Good News that expected endings can transform into new beginnings. Amen***

OFFERTORY

***Forever***

Praise Team

\*DOXOLOGY

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, you heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

SCRIPTURE

Luke 24: 1-12 NIV

GOOD NEWS

PRAYER

BENEDICTION  
RESPONSE

***Joyful, Joyful We Adore You***

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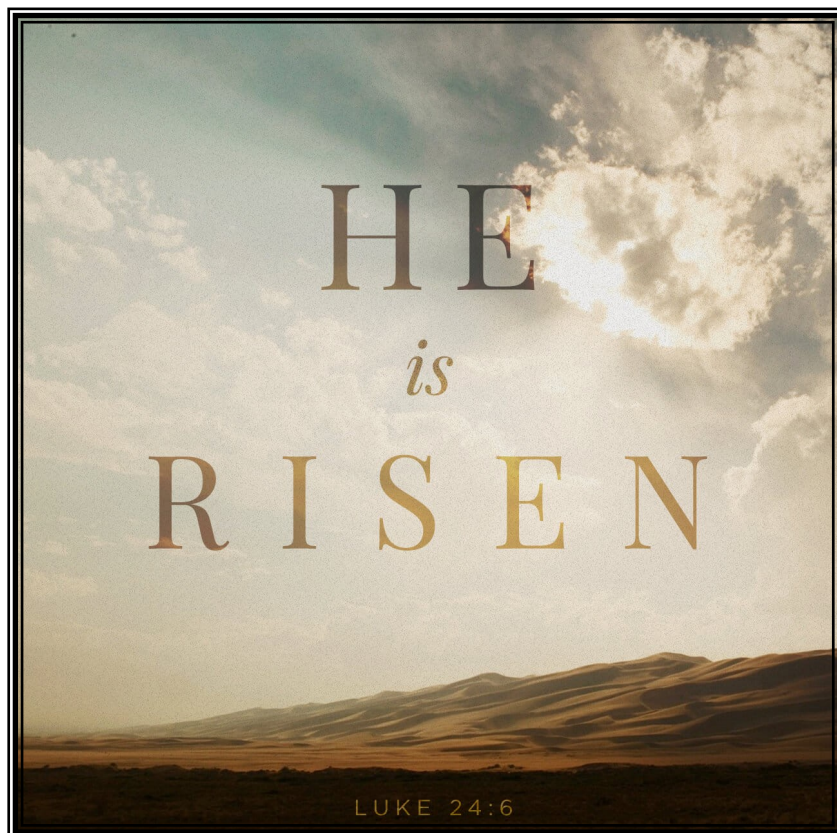


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*Scripture and Announcements*



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**Welcome to Windermere Union Church.**

**We're Glad You're Here!**

Please fill out a visitor's card and let us help you get connected. If you have a question about a ministry or event, we are here to help!

Contact the church office at 407-876-2112.

**Luke 24: 1-12 NIV**

## Jesus Has Risen

24 On the first day of the week, very early in the morning, the women took the spices they had prepared and went to the tomb. 2 They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, 3 but when they entered, they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus. 4 While they were wondering about this, suddenly two men in clothes that gleamed like lightning stood beside them. 5 In their fright the women bowed down with their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, "Why do you look for the living among the dead? 6 He is not here; he has risen! Remember how he told you, while he was still with you in Galilee: 7 'The Son of Man must be delivered over to the hands of sinners, be crucified and on the third day be raised again.' 8 Then they remembered his words.

9 When they came back from the tomb, they told all these things to the Eleven and to all the others. 10 It was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the others with them who told this to the apostles. 11 But they did not believe the women, because their words seemed to them like nonsense. 12 Peter, however, got up and ran to the tomb. Bending over, he saw the strips of linen lying by themselves, and he went away, wondering to himself what had happened.



## Announcements

Church Announcements - If your ministry has an announcement to share with the congregation, please send your announcements to our office manager by 5pm on Wednesday.

Church School classrooms - Help is needed. The new 4th and 5th grade class needs a teacher for 2 Sunday's a month this class will begin in September. If anyone is interested please contact Chris (Happyheart.chris@mail.com or 407-583-7872. Thank you for your consideration.

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Adult Sunday School - That's right Adult Sunday school is back!!! Class is on Sunday mornings at 9:00 am in the preschool kinder-gym. No preparation is needed.

Small Group - Will gather on Friday, April 22nd at 7pm. We are still in need of a host. Please contact Martha if you able to host the group. Everyone is welcome. For more information, please contact Martha H. at harrimanfamily2@gmail.com.

Bible Study - Meets on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 pm at church and for those who cannot physically attend via Zoom.

### Usher's

April 17 - Mary Ellen Nattans & Nancy Wheeler

April 24 - Kathy Coleman & Connie Lawton

May 1 - Becky Neaman & Nancy Wheeler

May 8 - Kathy Coleman & Provi Estrada





CONCERNS expressed by members and friends. Please pray for:

- ><>Walter - My Aunt is ill. Prayers for her and her family during this difficult time.
- ><> Lynn - Prayers for Jane as she mourns her father.
- ><> Ann M. - Keep the Young and Berry family in your prayers.

**~God we know You hear our prayers~**

CELEBRATIONS from church members and friends

- ><> Katie- - We are celebrating a milestone birthday on Wednesday for my dad (Carl).
- ><> Ann G. - A Happy Birthday to Connie.

**~Thank You God for blessing us~**

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO COMPLETE the C and C SLIPS, TO HELP ENSURE ACCURACY.**  
The Cs and Cs listed above are from completed slips and internet messages sent to the church office at [office@windermereunion.org](mailto:office@windermereunion.org). Please submit your Cs and Cs no later than Monday morning in order to be



**Birthdays Are Great and We Want to Celebrate With You!**

Please contact Ann Green, [ggreen7@cfl.rr.com](mailto:ggreen7@cfl.rr.com) or 407-293-8892 with those special dates for all your family members so we can recognize and wish one and all a Happy Birthday!

April 1	Karen Berwick	April 17	Todd Bednarek
April 3	Scotty Stumpf	April 17	Jessica Picard
April 4	Lin Wilensky	April 18	Katherine Buscall
April 6	Donna Venable	April 20	Cameron Snell
April 7	Laura Costello	April 21	Del Harriman
April 10	Connie Lawton	April 23	Steve Case
April 13	Debbie Centeno	April 24	Marcelino Rivera
April 13	Carl Kieper	April 26	Paul Bednarek
April 14	Jennifer Harris	April 26	Dawn Eckbreth
April 16	Provi Estrada	April 28	Phil Costello
April 17	Dennis Snow	April 28	Malena Larenas



## Christ the Lord Is Risen Today

Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia!  
Mortal tongues and angels say: Alleluia!  
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!  
Sing, glad heavens, and earth reply: Alleluia!

Let the Victor's people sing, Alleluia!  
Where, O death, is now your sting? Alleluia!  
Dying once, Christ lives to save, Alleluia!  
Where thy victory, O grave? Alleluia!

Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia!  
Fought the fight, the battle won, Alleluia!  
Death in vain for bids Christ rise, Alleluia!  
God has opened paradise, Alleluia!

Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia!  
Following our exalted Head, Alleluia!  
Made like Christ, like Christ we rise, Alleluia!  
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Alleluia!



## Here I Am to Worship

Light of the world. You stepped down into darkness.

Opened my eyes, let me see

Beauty that made this heart adore You

Hope of a life spent with You

### [Chorus]

Here I am to worship

Here I am to bow down

Here I am to say that You're my God

You're altogether lovely

Altogether worthy

Altogether wonderful to me

King of all days

Oh, so highly exalted

Glorious in heaven above

Humbly You came to the earth You created

All for love's sake became poor

### [Chorus]

(x4)

Well, I'll never know how much it cost

To see my sin upon that cross

## Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

Mortals, join the mighty chorus which the morning stars began.

Boundless love is reigning o'er us reconciling race and clan

Ever singing, move we forward, faithful in the midst of strife,

Joyful music leads us onward in the triumph song of life.



Happy Easter



***The lovely Easter flowers that decorate the altar so beautifully are:***

***In loving memory of ...***

- ◆ *Minnick Grandparents given by Bob and Pat Minnick*
- ◆ *Lombardo Grandparents, given by Bob and Pat Minnick*
- ◆ *Diomeda Torres given by Susana and Kevin Cochrane*
- ◆ *Luisa Obrien given by Susana and Kevin Cochrane*
- ◆ *Joseph and Elin Cochrane given by Kevin and Susana Cochrane*
- ◆ *Alda Bernardi given by Cathy Dawson*
- ◆ *Amedeo Bernardi given by Cathy Dawson*
- ◆ *Helen Whitton given by Lynn Evans*
- ◆ *Roberta Blick given by Lynn Evans*
- ◆ *Dick Snow given by Marie Snow*
- ◆ *Mike Rhodenbeck given by Sarah Larenas*
- ◆ *Ginny Porinsky given by Chris and Ron Stumpf*
- ◆ *Bob Porinsky given by Chris and Ron Stumpf*
- ◆ *Andrew Coxwell given by: Jerry Hedgepath*
- ◆ *Wilma Hedgepath-Eakins given by: Jerry Hedgepath*
- ◆ *The Powell Family– William, Jane And Teresa given by: Jerry Hedgepath*

***In honor of...***

- ◆ *Our silly socked Marge, mom, Meema..so glad that you are always with us. .given by Cindy Gorman*
- ◆ *The brave resilient people of Ukraine given by Cindy Gorman*
- ◆ *All my family at 2934 given by Cindy Gorman.*
- ◆ *The years of shepherding by Barton given by Cindy Gorman*
- ◆ *Our Family given by Gail and Fred Engelking*

