

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Resurrection Sunday – April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018

\*You are invited to stand, if able – **Please say, sing or pray together words in bold.**

**PRELUDE:** “Victimae” (motet for Easter Sunday) S. Webbe/arr. Rita Arendz  
“Christ ist erstanden” J.S. Bach/arr. Rita Arendz  
“When Morning Gilds the Skies” S. Romini/brass arr. Rita Arendz

### WELCOME

How are you today? **We are blessed and highly favoured!**

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

### LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

### INVITATION TO WORSHIP

\***HYMN:** #155 “Jesus Christ Is Risen Today” EASTER HYMN

### OPENING PRAYER

**HYMN:** #179 “Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Give Thanks” ALLELUIA NO. 1  
*Collier’s Kids are invited to gather as the hymn is sung.*

### PRAYER WITH COLLIER’S KIDS

*After prayer, the children may join their Helpers for Collier’s Kids.*

**READING FROM THE BIBLE:** Mark 16:1-8 Anne Snell  
This is the Word of God, for the People of God. **Thanks be to God.**

**MINISTRY OF MUSIC:** “Amen Chorus,” from *The Messiah* G.F. Handel

**MESSAGE:** “Stories of New Life” William Haughton

### PRIVATE PRAYER OR SILENT MEDITATION

\***HYMN:** #173 “Thine Is the Glory”

JUDAS MACCABAEUS

### WE PRESENT OUR OFFERINGS AND CARE CARDS

**OFFERING MUSIC:** “Haec Dies,” from *Gradualia* W. Byrd/arr. Rita Arendz

\***SUNG DEDICATION:** #540 “Grant Us, God, the Grace” STUTTGART  
**Grant us, God, the grace of giving, with a spirit large and free,  
that ourselves and all our living we may offer faithfully.**

### \*PRAYER FOR THE DEDICATION OF OUR OFFERINGS

**PRAYERS FOR OURSELVES AND OTHERS / THE LORD’S PRAYER:**  
**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. Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against  
us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the  
kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever, Amen.**

\***HYMN:** #586 “We Shall Go Out with Hope of Resurrection” LONDONDERRY AIR

### \*BLESSING

\***SENDING CHORUS:** “Hallelujah Chorus,” from *The Messiah* G.F. Handel  
*Please join the Choir in singing the “Hallelujah Chorus” using the words  
provided. As able, we will remain standing together.*

**POSTLUDE:** Toccata on “Amazing Grace” J.C. Pardini/brass arr. Rita Arendz

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