

# Sunday, April 7, 2024 - Traditional 8:00 am

## Music for Gathering / Prelude

**Choral Introit** *“Allelu!”*

† **Opening Hymns** *“Christ is Alive! Let Christians Sing!”* UMH #318 v. 1, 2, 5  
*“Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee”* UMH #89 v. 1-2

## Prayer

## Announcements

## Prayer for Illumination

**Responsive Reading** **Psalm 126:1-3, NRSV**

**Response** *“He Has Made Me Glad”*

**Scripture Reading** **John 20:19-31, CEB**

**Choral Anthem** *“I Am the Resurrection”*

## Affirmation of Faith

**Hymn** *“Jesus is the Rock ‘N He Rolls My Blues Away”*

**Scripture Reading** **1 John 1:1–2:2**

**Sermon** *“Live, Laugh, Love”* Rev. Ron Bartlow

## The Offering

**Invitation to the Offering**

**Offertory/Special Music** *“The Hornet Song”*

† **Doxology** *“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”* UMH #94

† **Offertory Prayer**

† **Closing Hymn** *“Give to Us Laughter”* tune: UMH #451

## † Benediction

## Postlude

*Pianist: Brent Burmeister | Choral Music: Early Bird Choir | Quartet: Harmony*

† indicates times we will invite the congregation to stand / remain standing.

Sunday, April 7, 2024 - Contemporary 9:30 am

**Music for Gathering**

† **Praise Songs**

*“Trading My Sorrows”*  
*“I’ve Got the Joy”*

**Opening Prayer**

**The Lord’s Prayer**

**Announcements**

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Responsive Reading**

**Psalm 126:1-3, NRSV**

**Transitional Song**

*“The Joy of the Lord is Your Strength”*

**Scripture Reading**

**John 20:19-31, CEB**

**Affirmation of Faith**

**Scripture Reading**

**1 John 1:1–2:2**

**Sermon**

*“Live, Laugh, Love”*

Rev. Ron Bartlow

**The Offering**

**Invitation to the Offering**

**Collection & Special Music**

*“Zip-a-dee-doo-dah”*

**Offering Prayer**

† **Closing Song**

*“Down by the Riverside”*

† **Sending Forth**

**Music for Departing**

*Pianist: Brent Burmeister | Praise Band: Grace Multiplied*

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