



# EASTER

**THE LORD IS RISEN INDEED.**

LUKE 24:34

# Makawao Union Church

April 17, 2022

The Resurrection of the Lord, Easter Sunday

*\*Please stand in body or in spirit.*

*Child care is available for our youngest children.*

*Congregational responses are printed in **bold**.*

## *The Time of Preparation*

Prelude

*He Is Risen!*

*Prelude on "Unser Herrscher"*

Alan MacMillan

Welcome and Announcements

Resurrection Proclamation

Christ is risen!

**Christ is risen, indeed!**

\*Gathering Song     *This Is the Day, V.2*     #84 (The New Century Hymnal)

**This is the day, this is the day**

**Jesus rose again,**

**Jesus rose again;**

**we will rejoice,**

**we will rejoice and be glad in it,**

**and be glad in it.**

**This is the day Jesus rose again,**

**we will rejoice and be glad in it.**

**This is the day,**

**this is the day Jesus rose again.**

\*Call to Worship

L: Lord, like the women at the tomb on the first Easter, we come out of our darkness and into your light

**P: We come out of emptiness to enter your fullness**

L: We come out of our hopelessness to find your joy

**P: We come out of our confusion to seek your peace**

L: We come far from home because we know we have been found

**P: We come at your invitation to celebrate your risen life and to praise you as Lord.**

\*Hymn # 230      *Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain*

Opening Prayer

May God be with you.

**And also with you....**

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. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

*We Hear the Good News*

Anthem

*Easter Song*

Anne Herring/arr. Joseph M. Martin

A Moment with Our Youth and Children

Scripture Readings	Isaiah 65: 17-25	Judi Nakanelua
	I Corinthians 15: 19-26	Judi Nakanelua
	John 20: 1-18	Martha-Lee Bohn

Sermon

“Getting in the Last Word”

Rev. B. David Williams, Pastor Emeritus

Hymn # 256

*We Live by Faith and Not by Sight*

*We Respond with Thanksgiving*

Prayers of the People

Giving Our Tithes and Offerings

\*Doxology # 780

\*Prayer of Dedication

**Generous God, all we have we offer in praise and thanksgiving for the amazing news of resurrection. Our gifts rise out of a new sense of appreciation for the good news of the empty tomb and faith in the risen Christ. May all we give equip others and us to serve you. Amen.**



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ **Please continue supporting MUC with your time, talents and treasures.**

To make a donation, please use the offering plates. You may also visit our website at [www.makawaounionchurch.org](http://www.makawaounionchurch.org), or you can send your donations via US Postal service to our mailing address:

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- ◆ **Welcome** all who are visiting this morning. We are glad that you are here, and, if you don't already have one, we hope that you will make Makawao Union Church your church home.
- ◆ **Prayer Team** for continued prayer support provided by MUC Prayer Team, please call or text Judi Nakanelua: (808) 397-6600.
- ◆ **Secondhand Heaven** is open Wednesdays and Saturdays from 9AM to 2PM. Come see the treasures on every level of our Community Hall. Children's clothing, toys and accessories are always free for Maui's community. Our beloved volunteers work hard each week to rotate the stock so visit often!

### Upcoming Events

Apr 20	9:00AM Secondhand Heaven, Community Hall
	8:00PM Narcotics Anonymous, Sanctuary
Apr 21	4:00PM Council Meeting, Narthex
Apr 22	6:30PM Alcoholics Anonymous, Sanctuary
Apr 23	9:00AM Secondhand Heaven, Community Hall
	1:00PM Peiling's Spring Recital, Sanctuary
Apr 24	9:00AM Choir rehearsal
	10:30AM Worship

### Isaiah 65: 17-25

<sup>17</sup> For I am about to create new heavens and a new earth; the former things shall not be remembered or come to mind. <sup>18</sup> But be glad and rejoice forever in what I am creating; for I am about to create Jerusalem as a joy, and its people as a delight. <sup>19</sup> I will rejoice in Jerusalem, and delight in my people; no more shall the sound of weeping be heard in it,

or the cry of distress. <sup>20</sup> No more shall there be in it an infant that lives but a few days, or an old person who does not live out a lifetime; for one who dies at a hundred years will be considered a youth, and one who falls short of a hundred will be considered accursed. <sup>21</sup> They shall build houses and inhabit them; they shall plant vineyards and eat their fruit. <sup>22</sup> They shall not build and another inhabit; they shall not plant and another eat; for like the days of a tree shall the days of my people be, and my chosen shall long enjoy the work of their hands. <sup>23</sup> They shall not labor in vain, or bear children for calamity; for they shall be offspring blessed by the LORD— and their descendants as well. <sup>24</sup> Before they call I will answer, while they are yet speaking I will hear. <sup>25</sup> The wolf and the lamb shall feed together, the lion shall eat straw like the ox; but the serpent—its food shall be dust! They shall not hurt or destroy on all my holy mountain, says the LORD.

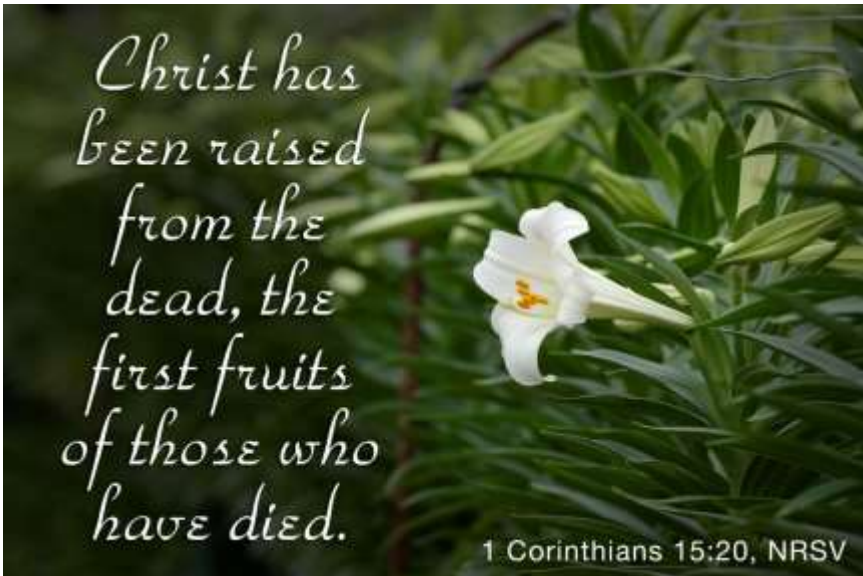
### **I Corinthians 15: 19-26**

<sup>19</sup> If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied. <sup>20</sup> But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. <sup>21</sup> For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; <sup>22</sup> for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. <sup>23</sup> But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. <sup>24</sup> Then comes the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, after he has destroyed every ruler and every authority and power. <sup>25</sup> For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. <sup>26</sup> The last enemy to be destroyed is death.

### **John 20:1-18**

<sup>20</sup> Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. <sup>2</sup> So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, “They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.” <sup>3</sup> Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went toward the tomb. <sup>4</sup> The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. <sup>5</sup> He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. <sup>6</sup> Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, <sup>7</sup> and the cloth that had been on Jesus’ head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. <sup>8</sup> Then

the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; <sup>9</sup> for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. <sup>10</sup> Then the disciples returned to their homes. <sup>11</sup> But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; <sup>12</sup> and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. <sup>13</sup> They said to her, “Woman, why are you weeping?” She said to them, “They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.” <sup>14</sup> When she had said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. <sup>15</sup> Jesus said to her, “Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you looking for?” Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, “Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.” <sup>16</sup> Jesus said to her, “Mary!” She turned and said to him in Hebrew, “Rabbouni!” (which means Teacher). <sup>17</sup> Jesus said to her, “Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, ‘I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.’” <sup>18</sup> Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, “I have seen the Lord”; and she told them that he had said these things to her.



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