

But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified. He is not here, for he has risen, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay."

Matthew 28:5-6

THE LORD'S DAY

April 16, 2016

Worship Service

Enter with reverence, Worship in truth, Serve Christ with gladness.

Prelude

The Old Rugged Cross

† Call to Worship & Prayer of Invocation

Matthew 28:5-6

Adoration

† *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today*

Hymn **273**
EASTER HYMN

† Congregational Reading

The congregation will read text in italics.

Luke 24:1-9

But on the first day of the week, at early dawn, they went to the tomb, taking the spices they had prepared.

² *And they found the stone rolled away from the tomb*

³ but when they went in they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus.

⁴ *While they were perplexed about this, behold, two men stood by them in dazzling apparel.*

⁵ And as they were frightened and bowed their faces to the ground, the men said to them, "Why do you seek the living among the dead?"

⁶ *He is not here, but has risen. Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee,*

⁷ that the Son of Man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men and be crucified and on the third day rise."

⁸ *And they remembered his words,⁹ and returning from the tomb they told all these things to the eleven and to all the rest.*

† *Doxology*

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow!
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly hosts;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Old One Hundredth

Thanksgiving

† *Christ Arose*

The Stone Was Rolled Away

Hymn **265**
CHRIST AROSE

Instrumental
Darrell and Donna Guenter

Petition

† Prayer of Intercession & Offering
Christ the Lord is Risen Today

Were You There

Vocal Trio
Tirzah and Aviya Baluch
Rachel Macdonald

Ministry of the Word

Scripture Reading

John 20:1-10

†*The One Who Lives Again*

Hymn **Folder Insert**

“Four Witnesses to the Resurrection”

John 20: 1-31

Pastor Russ Baun



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Children ages 4-11 may be excused for Children's Church

See the Christ

Vocal Duet
Jordan Baun, Kaitlynn Tompkins

I. The Empty Tomb (1-10)

II. Mary Magdalene (11-18)

THE SERMON

"Four Witnesses to the Resurrection"

†*He Lives*

Hymn **268**
Ackley

III. The Disciples (19-23)

†**Prayer & Benediction**

†*Congregation invited to stand, if able.*



IV. Thomas (24-29)

No Evening Service

To our guests: Welcome to Bethany Bible Church! We trust that you will sense our love for the Lord and our desire to sincerely worship Him and magnify His Word. You and your entire family are invited to worship with us. If you desire, a nursery is provided for children ages 0–3, and the service is simulcast in our large Sunday School room down the hall if you need to attend to young children. We would love to have a record of your visit. Please find a guest card, located in the backs of the pews, which you can fill out and place in the offering plate or hand to an usher or the pastor. Thank you! We trust that God will richly bless you as we endeavor to magnify the Lord on His day.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & COMING EVENTS

Wednesday - - Bible Study at 7:00; Awana @6:45; Teens @ 7:00

Thursday: Ladies Bible Study 10:00---11:30

| | April 9 | Budget | YTD | YTD Budget |
|---------------|---------|---------|----------|------------|
| General Fund | \$1,880 | \$3,269 | \$50,707 | \$49,038 |
| Missions | | | \$1,839 | |
| Deacons Fund | \$170 | | \$2,501 | |
| Building Fund | | | \$708 | \$55,488 |

KIDS4TRUTH Q&A AND MEMORY VERSE FOR NEXT WEEK

Q. Where is God?

A . God is omnipresent, which means He is everywhere, all the time. **Jeremiah 23:24** --"Can a man hide himself in secret places so that I cannot see him? declares the LORD. Do I not fill heaven and earth? declares the LORD." (Adven. 2 Mission 8)