HYMN 364 Red Hymnal

"Because He Lives"

Verse 1

*SCRIPTURE I Corinthians 15:12-20 (NIV)

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Leader: This is the Word of God for the People of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE Pastor Ron Kite

"Resurrection Hope"

*CLOSING HYMN 310 Red Hymnal

"He Lives" Verses 1, 2, and 3

*BENEDICTION Pastor Ron Kite

*POSTLUDE Bob Wambold

"All Creatures of Our God and King"

Arr. By Mark Hayes

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God's People Gather

*Please stand as you are able.
(Please be sure to sign the attendance registration)
(Prayer cards are in attendance pad, you may fill out and place
in the offering plate)

GATHERING MUSIC Bob Wambold

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*GREETING

ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Ron Kite

PRELUDE Bob Wambold

"Molto Cantabile"

Jane Wood

*CALL TO WORSHIP Video

"Great Is the Lord"

*OPENING PRAYER (Based on 1 Corinthians 15, Luke 6)

Holy God, we cling to the light and power of the resurrection we find in your Son, and our Savior, Christ Jesus. We know that if he has not been raised, then there is no hope – no hope for the poor, the hungry, or the oppressed; no hope for the rejected, or for those who mourn. But because your Son has indeed been raised, we have hope and know that we are blessed – blessed with spiritual richness; blessed with the bread of life; blessed with the laughter of true joy; and blessed with liberation from fear. Amen.

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Unison

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John 14:1-14

By Steve Garnaas-Holmes

We believe in God, creator of all that is and all that is to come. In God's house are many rooms, and God prepares a place for us, so that where God is, we may be also. We believe in God; we believe also in Christ, who is our way, our truth and our life. Through him we have seen God, who lived and worked in him. We believe in the Holy Spirit, who lives and works in us; so that we may do the works that Jesus does, and even greater works; so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. Alleluia.

*GLORIA PATRI 70 Red Hymnal

"Glory Be to the Father"

*OPENING HYMN

"Resurrection Power"

Chris Tomlin

JOYS AND CONCERNS Pastor Ron Kite

PRAYER HYMN 334 Red Hymnal

"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

PASTOR'S PRAYER Pastor Ron Kite

LORD'S PRAYER Unison

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 trespasses; as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

CHILDREN'S TIME Ashli Teel

"Jesus Loves Me"

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INVITATION TO OFFERING (Based on Luke 13)

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Video

Loving God, you have set the table and have given us every good thing. In gratitude for your kindness and mercy, receive our thanks and offerings. Accept our hearts into your keeping, that our lives may bear good fruit as we may enter into your glory. Amen.

OFFERTORY Bob Wambold

"Every Time I Feel the Spirit"

Arr. By Pepper Choplin

*OFFERING SONG Screen

"Bless Thou the Gifts"

*OFFERING PRAYER Pastor Ron Kite

SPECIAL MUSIC Adult Choir

"May the Mind of Christ, My Savior"

Words by K. Wilkinson, Arr. By Marty Parks, From the Well-Seasoned Praise Book

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