

Easter Sunday

Avon Lake
Presbyterian Church



"What Easter Looks Like to Me" by Leo, age 6

ORDER OF WORSHIP

GATHERING MUSIC	<i>O Sacred Head Now Wounded</i> (PASSION CHORALE) <i>Were You There?</i>	Hans Leo Hassler Arr. Mark Hayes Traditional Spiritual Arr. Mark Hayes
WELCOME		
PRELUDE	<i>On the Third Day</i>	Allen Pote
INVITATION TO WORSHIP		
PASSING OF THE PEACE		
*HYMN	<i>He is Risen Hymn Medley</i> <i>Alleluia! Alleluia!</i> (HYMN TO JOY) <i>Christ Arose</i> (CHRIST AROSE) <i>Christ the Lord is Risen Today</i> (EASTER HYMN)	
SCRIPTURE	Matthew 28:1-10	
SERMON	“Story of Hope”	
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE		
OFFERING		
*HYMN	#213 <i>Because He Lives</i> (RESURRECTION)	
BENEDICTION		
HANDBELL POSTLUDE	<i>Easter Rejoicing</i> <i>There is a Redeemer</i> <i>Lamb of God</i> <i>Oh, How He Loves You and Me</i>	Douglas E. Wagner Melody Green Twila Paris Kurt Kaiser

“Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified.
He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said.”
Matthew 28:5-6

**Please stand if you are able.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Healing Prayer Ministry is always available for confidential prayers after worship in the back of the sanctuary.
- Music Monday classes will take a break until after Easter, resuming April 28 at 4:15 pm.
- Join us for breakfast in Hart Hall hosted by the Deacons on Easter Sunday. Choir will be served pancakes at 8:30 am followed by the general congregation at 9 am.
- Volunteers are the campfire that keeps VBS burning bright, and we'd love for you to join our adventure! If you're free June 9-13, consider donating some of your time to help us go Into the Wild. Sign up at myvbs.org/IntotheWildVBS, and if you need any help or have questions, Emilee (e.oliva@avonlakepc.org) is your guide for the journey!
- Now's a great time to start thinking about and planning articles for the Summer Edition of Saints Alive. Articles should be turned in to Kenzi no later than May 18. We'd like Saints Alive to consist less of "reports" on what has already happened and focus instead on content that looks ahead at upcoming events and how people can get involved. The Summer issue will cover June, July, and August, with the Fall issue coming out just before Rally Day.
- Kathy Hartzell will be joining us next Sunday to lead us in worship.

If you would like to speak to any member of the ALPC staff or need counsel with our pastor, Kristian, please contact the church office.

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