

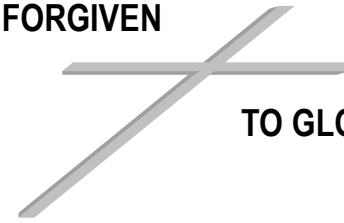
St. John 20:1-10 NLT

The Resurrection

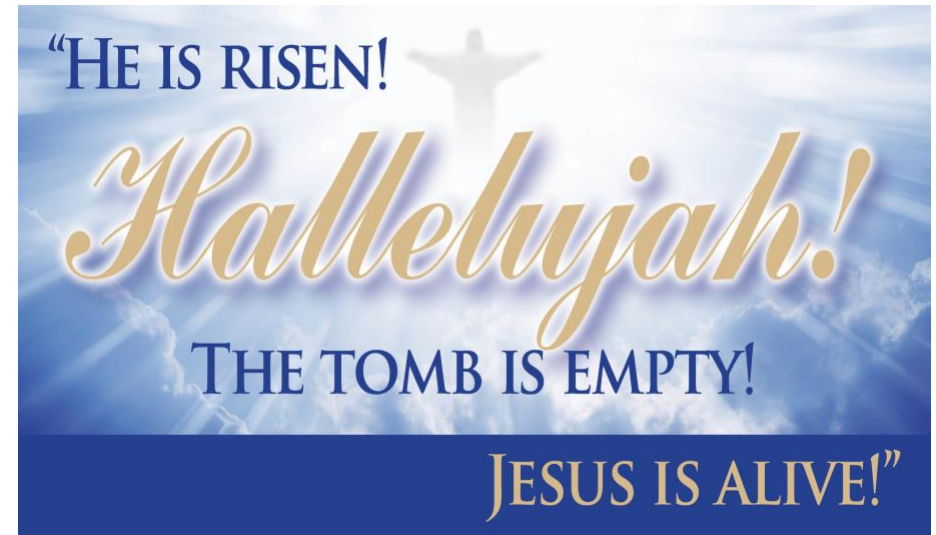
20 Early on Sunday morning, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and found that the stone had been rolled away from the entrance. ² She ran and found Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved. She said, “They have taken the Lord’s body out of the tomb, and we don’t know where they have put him!”

³ Peter and the other disciple started out for the tomb. ⁴ They were both running, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. ⁵ He stooped and looked in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he didn’t go in. ⁶ Then Simon Peter arrived and went inside. He also noticed the linen wrappings lying there, ⁷ while the cloth that had covered Jesus’ head was folded up and lying apart from the other wrappings. ⁸ Then the disciple who had reached the tomb first also went in, and he saw and believed— ⁹ for until then they still hadn’t understood the Scriptures that said Jesus must rise from the dead. ¹⁰ Then they went home.

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Easter Sunday 20th April 2025 10:30 am
The Church of Jesus the Saviour
Celebrates the Good News
of God's Love for the World
Made Manifest in Jesus His Son
as we learn to share Christ's Love with everyone

Celebrating the Truth of the Presence of God – Alleluia!

Call to Worship:

Praise: “Hallelujah, hallelujah” **BP #188**

Lenten Liturgy: on screen

Welcome, and announcements:

Celebrating the Truth of Forgiveness – We Receive New Life!

Praise: “Thine be the glory” **BP #201**

Prayer, and the Lord's Prayer:

Celebrating the Truth of God's Word! - We are Listening!

Scripture: St. John 20:1-18 NLT

Message: “What if it's all true?!”

Celebrating the Truth of God's gifts to us – We Are Accountable

Presentation of our Tithes and Offerings:

+ Offertory

Doxology: “When I survey” vs 4 **BP #178**

Prayer of Dedication

Praise: “He lives!” **SB #49**

Celebrating the Truth of our Going Forth – We Leave for Ministry

Benediction:

Interpersonal Benediction: “The Blessing”

Worship & Sacraments Team: Prayer Requests

Gladys Brown – at home

Frank De Vries – at home

Ann Gray – Trinity Village

Doug Greenwood – Cambridge Memorial Hospital

Frank Ingold – at home

Bob Kenzie – Sunnyside Home

Mary Master – Conestoga Lodge

Dolly McCormack – Court at Laurelwood Retirement Home

Marg & Terry McCorriston – at home

Julie Phoenix – Southbridge London Long Term Care Home

Curt Ryan – AgeCare West Williams LTC

Shirley Steinberg – Winston Park LTC

Dirk Vanderheide – at home

George Ziegler – at home

Sunday School:

The dates this term for our regular bi-weekly Sunday School are: **April 20; May 04, & 18; June 01, & 15.**

We are looking for more Sunday School teachers, helpers, or back-ups to join the team permanently but also specifically to help with the younger group. If interested, please contact Cathrine (gcejtaylor@gmail.com), Nicolene (nclemens7@yahoo.ca).

We are thrilled to share and grow with the children this year. Peace and Joy, Cathrine and Nicolene

The Mission & Outreach Team is meeting on Wednesday 30th April at 7 pm in the McLean Fireside Room.

WOW, Women of Worship, will be meeting on Saturday, April 26th from 10:00 till noon. We will be meeting in the Sanctuary. Coffee, tea and treats will be provided. If you have any questions, please contact Jo Anne Aitken at aitkenj09@gmail.com or 519-886-6559.

Events This Week: 20th – 27th April 2025

- Sunday:** 9 am – 10 pm – Federal Election Advanced Polls
10:30 am – **Easter Communion Worship Service**; Sunday School; coffee & conversation in the Gray Hall
- Monday:** 9 am – 10 pm – Federal Election Advanced Polls
7 pm – Elders' meeting upstairs
- Tuesday:** 9:30 – 11:30 am – Bible study group this week.
12 – 1:30 pm – Music Therapy
6:30 – 8 pm – Sparks in the Gray Hall
- Wednesday:** 9:30 – 11:30 am – Bible study in McLean room
6:30 – 9 pm – Scouts in the Gray Hall
- Thursday:** 9 – 11 am – Sonshine Corner this week
- Friday:** 12 – 3:30 pm – Music Therapy
- Sunday:** 10:30 am – Worship Service

From the Finance Team: options for financial giving to KEPC:

- 1) **Canada Post:** send your offering envelope in an envelope addressed to the Church: 10 Zeller Dr, Kitchener, ON, N2A 4A8
- 2) **E – transfer:** This involves using your online banking application using the e-transfer option & sending the transaction to the Church email: kepc@golden.net
- 3) **PAR: pre-authorized remittance.** This is set up once and an amount is withdrawn from your bank account monthly until you choose to stop it or change the amount. Contact Chris Clemens clemensc78@yahoo.ca and he can set you up.
- 4) **Tithe.ly** on our website, (click on the menu “Donate Now”) and donations can be through your Visa, Mastercard, or Debit.
- 5) The locked, **black box** on the wall of the sanctuary by the main doors for your offerings.

Thank-you for your ongoing and prayerful support of the mission and ministry of KEPC.

Here are the March financial statements:

There was a monthly surplus of close to \$5000 and our YTD shortfall is just a little over \$3000 at the end of March
Thanks for everyone's financial support as the year unfolds!

Offering Envelopes: If you are interested in having assigned envelopes for 2025 and are not on PAR, please reach out to Chris. For anyone that has changed addresses, please let Chris and Mark know so that we can check our records and update them as required.

Grocery Cards:

We are participating in the grocery gift card program in our Region. If you would like to purchase grocery gift cards for the PC group of stores, and/or the Metro group of stores, please speak with Barb Cook, Rob Gloin, or Emmie Richardson. They are available every week. For each card we sell we receive a small amount back from the Community Charity Services.