

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE READING - MATTHEW 28:1-20 (NIV)

Jesus Has Risen

28 After the Sabbath, at dawn on the first day of the week, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to look at the tomb. **2** There was a violent earthquake, for an angel of the Lord came down from heaven and, going to the tomb, rolled back the stone and sat on it. **3** His appearance was like lightning, and his clothes were white as snow. **4** The guards were so afraid of him that they shook and became like dead men. **5** The angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you are looking for Jesus, who was crucified. **6** He is not here; he has risen, just as he said. Come and see the place where he lay. **7** Then go quickly and tell his disciples: 'He has risen from the dead and is going ahead of you into Galilee. There you will see him.' Now I have told you." **8** So the women hurried away from the tomb, afraid yet filled with joy, and ran to tell his disciples. **9** Suddenly Jesus met them. "Greetings," he said. They came to him, clasped his feet, and worshiped him. **10** Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid. Go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me."

The Guards' Report

11 While the women were on their way, some of the guards went into the city and reported to the chief priests everything that had happened. **12** When the chief priests had met with the elders and devised a plan, they gave the soldiers a large sum of money, **13** telling them, "You are to say, 'His disciples came during the night and stole him away while we were asleep.' **14** If this report gets to the governor, we will satisfy him and keep you out of trouble." **15** So the soldiers took the money and did as they were instructed. And this story has been widely circulated among the Jews to this very day.

The Great Commission

16 Then the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. **17** When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. **18** Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. **19** Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, **20** and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

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**TO KNOW CHRIST TO SHOW CHRIST
TO SERVE CHRIST**

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HE IS RISEN! HE IS RISEN INDEED!

Easter Video - "He Arose"

Songs of Praise Christ The Lord Is Risen Today
Rejoice, The Lord Is King

Scripture Reading Matthew 28:1-20 (Ross McCallum)

Tithes and Offerings Living Hope

KIDZ Church Children dismissed

Pastoral Prayer Roland Craig

Message Easter Message

Closing Praise Crown Him With Many Crowns

Easter Blessing

"Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In His great mercy He has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead." 1 Peter 1:3 NIV

PRAYER
and
Praise

Praise Items:

* Praise the Lord all the seats for the Niagara Christian Gleaners fundraising dinners in mid-April have been filled! Please pray the two evenings will be successful in raising funds for this very special ministry in our area.

Prayer Items:

- * Please be in prayer for our Search Committee members for spiritual wisdom and discernment as they continue the process of seeking a Worship and Youth leader for our church.
- * Please pray God's blessing on our new sister church, **Joshua Ministries** in Chatham, Ontario, and for their outreach ministries to a nearby school and retirement home.
- * Please continue to pray for the people and survivors of the recent earthquake in Turkey and Syria and for the Ukrainian people and for all the churches and relief agencies helping with shelter, clothing, food, emotional and spiritual needs.

Send praise and prayer requests to
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A special thank-you to our kitchen volunteers, Dave, Don, Sue, Susanne, Lorein, and Alfonso for preparing a wonderful Easter breakfast for our church family this morning and to Diane, Noel and Heidi for setting up and decorating the tables and to Andrew delivering Easter breakfast to our shut-ins and caregivers. God Bless You!



Copies of recent monthly updates from CBM Missionary Kathryn Scott, MOGI, and NorthWind Family Ministries are available on the table by the church family mailbox. Pick up your copies today to learn how God is using these ministries in amazing ways in Guatemala, Thailand, and Thunder Bay!

Thank-you for supporting the ministry of our church with your tithes and offerings.



- April 14th Niagara Gleaners Fundraising Dinner - SOLD OUT!
- April 15th Niagara Gleaners Fundraising Dinner - SOLD OUT!
- April 29th Mental Health Seminar with Agora Network Ministries
- April 30th Guest Speaker - Allan Gallant, Agora Network Ministries
- May 1st Ladies Afternoon Bible Study resumes - details to follow
- May 6th CPBC Community Bike Clinic

Wishing you a blessed and joy filled Easter!



"Thank-you to our church family who have faithfully prayed for and supported us these past few months. We also so much appreciated all the phone calls, visits, cards, and best wishes as we celebrated our wedding anniversary recently. Our God is good and faithful, and we are especially thankful for our loving and caring church family. God Bless!"
Ron and Annette Johnson

Nursery/Toddler Rooms

Jesus loved the little children and so do we! For parents with babies and toddlers, we have two rooms available for nursing, diaper changing, and toys for your little ones. Sound is piped into the rooms so you can still listen to the worship service. Please see an usher (seated at the back of the sanctuary during the service), and they will direct you to these rooms.

Jesus is Alive!



A warm welcome to everyone worshipping with us today as we celebrate the resurrection of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!! We pray you will be richly blessed as you worship with us on this Easter Sunday mornina!

