CHRIST the SHEPHERD PCA

Easter Sunday – April 20, 2025

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Invocation

*Hymns and Songs of Worship and Adoration

Christ the Lord Is Risen Today (#277)

Jesus, Lord, Redeemer (#285)

*Confession of Faith – The Apostles' Creed

*Old Testament Scripture – Psalm 16

Corporate Prayer of Confession

Declaration of Absolution

Pastoral Prayer

*Worship through giving back to God

Worship Christ, the Risen King! (#286)

Sermon – He Has Arisen, As He Said

Matthew 28:1 – 10

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

*Closing Song

Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain (#265)

*Gloria Patri (TH #735)

*Benediction

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty,

maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

and born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, died, and was buried;

he descended into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.

From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy catholic church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

Corporate Prayer of Confession

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.