

## Welcome to the LIVE EVENT Eastgate Easter Sunrise Service!

Order of Events:

• OT reading: Isaiah 12:2-6

• **Song:** 10,000 Reasons

• The Women's Prayer

• NT Reading: Matthew 28:1-10

Devotional:

• Easter Morning Prayer

• Song:

Words to songs are on reverse side. Responsive reading: read the words in **bold** together.

## The Women's Prayer

There was darkness over the earth before creation; There is darkness in the womb before birth; The seed grows in darkness before it meets the light;

There is darkness in the tomb before resurrection.

## But now Christ is risen! The dawn has come!

A new creation has commenced The world is born anew.

## Lord Jesus, we greet You!

You have risen from the dead, victorious over sin and death, over suffering and shame, over all evil and wrong.

## Lord Jesus, we greet You!

You have risen from the dead, proving that nothing can separate us from God's love, showing us how far that love will go.

Lord Jesus, we greet You, risen from the dead! We hold our heads high because death has been conquered and you have restored us to new life.

Amen!

## **Easter Morning Prayer**

Praise to You, Righteous God!

Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ;
King of endless glory!

Christ is risen!

## He is risen indeed! Hallelujah!

Shut away in a box, He has conquered their coffin.

Shut away in a book, He fulfills, Living Word!

Shut away in our concepts, He ruins our boundaries.

## No prison can hold Him; no tomb thwart the miracle.

His life is our liberty; His love changed my life.

Death itself cannot rob us of the

Victory He's obtained!

Stepping out boldly, we claim RESURRECTION!

Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ; King of endless glory!

Let all creation give thanks to the Risen Lord!

# We give thanks to You Jesus, our Risen Lord! Death is swallowed up in victory!

We are here this morning to attest to a story that has not lost its power during twenty centuries of change and conflict. Our presence here attests to life rising above the tomb of despair!

### Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ!

As the rising sun scatters the darkness, let fear and the memory of failure be scattered from our souls that we may live in the glorious freedom of the children of God!

## Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ; King of endless glory!

Our Morning Star is alive! Risen in splendor, He is among us; the darkness is driven back by the Son!

Where, O grave, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting?

Christ is risen!

He is risen indeed!
Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ;
our resurrection,
our light and our peace!
Amen!

#### 10,000 Reasons

Chorus: Bless the Lord oh my soul
Oh my soul
Worship His Holy name
Sing like never before
Oh my soul
I'll worship Your Holy name

The sun comes up
It's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass
And whatever lies before me
Let me be singing
When the evening comes

Bless the Lord oh my soul
Oh my soul
Worship His Holy name
Sing like never before
Oh my soul
I'll worship Your Holy name

You're rich in love
And You're slow to anger
Your name is great
And Your heart is kind
For all Your goodness
I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons
For my heart to find

### Chorus

And on that day
When my strength is failing
The end draws near
And my time has come
Still my soul will
Sing Your praise unending
Ten thousand years
And then forevermore
Forevermore

Bless the Lord oh my soul
Oh my soul
Worship His Holy name
Sing like never before
Oh my soul
I'll worship Your Holy name

#### Resurrecting

The head that once was crowned with thorns
Is crowned with glory now
The Savior knelt to
wash our feet
Now at His feet we bow

The One who wore our sin and shame
Now robed in majesty
The radiance of perfect love
Now shines for all to see
Your name, Your name
Is victory
All praise, will rise
To Christ, our king

Your name, Your name
Is victory
All praise, will rise
To Christ, our king

The fear that held us now gives way
To Him who is our peace
His final breath upon the cross
Is now alive in me

Your name, Your name
Is victory
All praise, will rise
To Christ, our king

By Your spirit I will rise
From the ashes of defeat
The resurrected King,
is resurrecting me
In Your name I come alive
To declare Your victory
The resurrected King,
is resurrecting me

The tomb where soldiers watched in vain
Was borrowed for
three days
His body there would
not remain
Our God has robbed
the grave