



Mar in Grove
United Church

where worship leads to service

EASTER SUNDAY



He is
RISEN

“New Life in Christ”

Rev. Dr. Rick Tamas
April 5, 2026

Welcome to Worship!

VU refers to Voices United, MV refers to More Voices

***Indicates an invitation to stand -in body, or in spirit**

Prelude: “Lift Up Your Heads” *Music by Thomas Williams, Arr
by Lloyd Larson* (Jill Diane Filion)

Minister’s Welcome

Announcements

Lighting of the Christ Candle

***Opening Hymn: VU 161 “Welcome, Happy Morning”**
(vs. 1, 2, & 3) *Words by J. Ellerton, Music by Frances Ridley Havergal*

Call to Worship (David Dallimore)

Prayer of Approach

Song of Personal Prayer: “Breathe on Me, Breath of God”
Music by Robert Jackson, Arr by Lloyd Larson

Words of Assurance

Choir Anthem: “Easter is Here” *Words by J. Paul Williams,
Music by Jon Paige*

First Scripture: Acts 10:34-43 (David Dallimore)

Second Scripture: Psalm 118:1,14-24

For the Young and Young at Heart

Song of Reflection

Third Scripture: John 20: 1-18 (Rev. Rick)

Reflection: “New Life in Christ” (Rev. Rick)

Song of Illumination: “How Great Thou Art” *By Stuart K. Hine*
(Michael Sproule-Baritone)

Offering Invitation

***Offering Song: MV182 “Grateful”** *Words by Tom Tomaszek*

***Offering Prayer**

HOLY COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving

Communion Liturgy

Lighting of the Prayer Candle

Pastoral Prayer

Lord’s Prayer

***Closing Hymn: “VU 155 “Jesus Christ is Risen Today”**
(Vs. 1, 2, & 4) *Words and Music by Lyra Davidica*

***Commissioning**

***Benediction**

Sung Blessing: MV 215 “Peace be With You” *Words by Alison L. Wesley*

Postlude: “Tambourin” *from Sonata for Violin, op. 9 #3”*
By Jean-Marie Leclair

(Michael Sproule, Violin)

*We welcome and give Special Thanks to
Michael Sproule
and Jill Diane Filion
for their gift of music*



“We acknowledge that our sacred space is found on the indigenous territories of the Mississaugas of the Credit, the Anishinabe, the Chippewa, the Haudenosaunee and the Huron -Wendat peoples and is now home to many diverse First Nations, Inuit and Metis. With gratitude and respect for their stewardship of creation, we seek to live into right relations with all.”

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LOOKING AHEAD

April 12 - Guest - Judith Dallimore –10:30am

April 19 - Guest - Judith Dallimore –10:30am

April 26 - Worship –10:30am –Rev. Dr. Rick Tamas

May 3 - Worship –10:30am –Rt. Rev. Carmen Landsdowne

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