WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SUNDAY WORSHIP

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EASTER SUNDAY
ENGLISH AND JAPANESE JOINT WORSHIP
APRIL 5 • 10:00 am

ORDER OF WORSHIP

(Please be sure to silence your cell phones. Thank you!)

PRELUDE 前奏: – Shane Cantanho

WELCOME 歓迎: — Mark Teagle, Director of Spiritual Formation, Community Engagement, and Music

***CALL TO WORSHIP 招きの言葉 :** – Kara Tanoue

Leader: Early in the morning, faithful women came seeking Jesus at the tomb — and found it empty.
Congregation: We come this morning, seeking the risen Lord.
Leader: The angel declared: "Do not be afraid. He is not here. He has risen, just as he said!"
Congregation: He is risen! Just as he said. Jesus has risen!
Leader: Jesus met them on the road and said, "Do not be

afraid. Go and tell."
Congregation: We will not be afraid. We will go, and do the ministry of Jesus.
Leader: Christ is risen!
Congregation: Christ has risen indeed! Alleluia! Amen!

***<u>OPENING PRAYER 祈禱</u>:** – Kara Tanoue

Gracious God, like the women who walked to the tomb in the early morning darkness, we come to you carrying our questions, our fears, and our heavy burdens. You are the God who can roll away stones, obstacles and challenges in our lives. Open our eyes this morning to see what those first witnesses saw; that death could not hold your Son, and that your love was and is more powerful than anything that stands against us. May we leave this place, as they did, with great joy, and may we run to tell the world that Jesus is alive. In the name of the risen Christ, Amen.

***<u>SONG</u>: "Living Hope"** – Wesley Praise Band

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How great the chasm that lay between us.
How high the mountain I could not climb.
In desperation I turned to heaven
and spoke your name into the night.

Then through the darkness your loving kindness
tore through the shadows of my soul.
The work is finished, the end is written.
Jesus Christ, my living hope.

Who could imagine so great a mercy?
What heart could fathom such boundless grace?
The God of ages stepped down from glory
to wear my sin and bear my shame.
The cross has spoken; I am forgiven.
The King of kings calls me his own.
Beautiful Savior, I'm yours forever.
Jesus Christ, my living hope.

Hallelujah, praise the One who set me free!
Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me!
You have broken ev'ry chain.
There's salvation in your name.
Jesus Christ, my living hope.
Hallelujah, praise the One who set me free!
Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me!
You have broken ev'ry chain.
There's salvation in your name.
Jesus Christ, my living hope.

Then came the morning that sealed the promise,
your buried body began to breathe.

Out of the silence, the Roaring Lion
declared the grave has no claim on me.
Then came the morning that sealed the promise,
your buried body began to breathe.
Out of the silence, the Roaring Lion
declared the grave has no claim on me.
Jesus, yours is the victory. Whoa.

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Jesus Christ, my living hope.
Hallelujah, praise the One who set me free!
Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me!
You have broken ev'ry chain.
There's salvation in your name.
Jesus Christ, my living hope.

Jesus Christ, my living hope.
O God, you are my living hope.

COMMUNION: — Rev. John Oda, Senior Pastor

SONG: "Light of the World" – Wesley Praise Band

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Light of the World, Treasure of Heaven,
brilliant like the stars in the wintery sky.
Joy of the Father, reach through the darkness,
shine across the earth, send the shadows to flight.

Light of the World, from the beginning
the tragedies of time were no match for your love.
From great heights of glory, you saw my story.
God, you entered in and became one of us.

Sing hallelujah, sing hallelujah.
Sing hallelujah for the things he has done!
Come and adore him, bow down before him.
Sing hallelujah to the Light of the World.

Light of the Word, crown in a manger,
born for the cross, to suffer, to save.
High King of Heaven, death is the poorer.
We are the richer by the price that he paid.

Sing hallelujah, sing hallelujah.
Sing hallelujah for the things he has done!
Come and adore him, bow down before him.
Sing hallelujah to the Light of the World.

<u>SONG</u>: "Let Us Break Bread Together"

– Shane Cantanho
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Let us break bread together on our knees,
let us break bread together on our knees.
When I fall on my knees
with my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me.

Let us drink wine together on our knees,
let us drink wine together on our knees.
When I fall on my knees
with my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me.

Let us praise God together on our knees,
let us praise God together on our knees.
When I fall on my knees
with my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me.

Children and Youth dismissed to their classes.

ANTHEM: "Risen Indeed!" — Chancel Choir
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WELCOMING NEW MEMBERS: — Rev. John Oda
Elizabeth Chien-Hale, Helen Jewell, Robin Kinoshita

Question to the new members:
As members of the Wesley United Methodist Church will you do all in your power to support the ministries of this church and be loyal members to Wesley UMC; and with God's help, will you participate in this church by your Prayers, Presence, Gifts, Service, and Witness? If so, please answer YES.

Question to the congregation:
As members of this congregation, will you continue to nurture and care for one another and include these persons in your care? If so, please answer YES.

SCRIPTURE 聖書: – Kara Tanoue
Matthew 28:1-10

[1]After the Sabbath, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. [2]And suddenly there was a great earthquake, for an angel of the Lord, descending from heaven, came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. [3]His appearance was like lightning and his clothing white as snow. [4]For fear of him the guards shook and became like dead men. [5]But 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, for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. [7]Then go quickly and tell his disciples, 'He has been raised from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you

will see him.’ This is my message for you.” [8]So they left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy and ran to tell his disciples. [9]Suddenly Jesus met them and said, “Greetings!” And they came to him, took hold of his feet, and worshiped him. [10]Then Jesus said to them, “Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers and sisters to go to Galilee; there they will see me.”

JAPANESE SCRIPTURE聖書: – Katsue Watts ワッツ克江
マタイによる福音書28章1節-10節（新共同訳）

[1]さて、安息日が終わって、週の初めの日の明け方に、マグダラのマリアともう一人のマリアが、墓を見に行った。[2]すると、大きな地震が起こった。主の天使が天から降って近寄り、石をわきへ転がし、その上に座ったのである。[3]その姿は稲妻のように輝き、衣は雪のように白かった。[4]番兵たちは、恐ろしさのあまり震え上がり、死人のようになった。[5]天使は婦人たちに言った。「恐れることはない。十字架につけられたイエスを捜しているのだろうが、[6]あの方は、ここにはおられない。かねて言われていたとおり、復活なさったのだ。さあ、遺体の置いてあった場所を見なさい。[7]それから、急いで行って弟子たちにこう告げなさい。『あの方は死者の中から復活された。そして、あなたがたより先にガリラヤに行かれる。そこでお目にかかれる。』確かに、あなたがたに伝えました。」[8]婦人たちは、恐れながらも大いに喜び、急いで墓を立ち去り、弟子たちに知らせるために走って行った。[9]すると、イエス

が行く手に立っていて、「おはよう」と言われたので、婦
人たちは近寄り、イエスの足を抱き、その前にひれ伏し
た。[10]イエスは言われた。「恐れることはない。行って、
わたしの兄弟たちにガリラヤへ行くように言いなさい。そ
こでわたしに会うことになる。」

<u>MESSAGE 説教</u>: "He Is Risen" – Rev. John Oda

"God Removes the Immoveable" - Water Ritual

<u>SONG</u>: "Gratitude" — Wesley Praise Band

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All my words fall short; I got nothing new.
How could I express all my gratitude?
I could sing these songs, as I often do,
but every song must end and you never do.

So I throw up my hands
and praise you again and again,
'cause all that I have is a hallelujah, hallelujah.
And I know it's not much,
but I've nothing else fit for a king
except for a heart singing, "Hallelujah, hallelujah."

I've got one response, I've got just one move:
with my arms stretched wide I will worship you.

So I throw up my hands
and praise you again and again,
'cause all that I have is a hallelujah, hallelujah.
And I know it's not much,
but I've nothing else fit for a king
except for a heart singing, "Hallelujah, hallelujah."

Come on, my soul, oh don't you get shy on me.
Lift up your song,
'cause you've got a lion inside of those lungs.
Get up and praise the Lord.

Come on, my soul, oh don't you get shy on me.
Lift up your song,
'cause you've got a lion inside of those lungs.
Get up and praise the Lord.

So I throw up my hands
and praise you again and again,
'cause all that I have is a hallelujah, hallelujah.
And I know it's not much,
but I've nothing else fit for a king
except for a heart singing, "Hallelujah, hallelujah."

COLLECTION OF OUR OFFERING 献金: — Kara Tanoue

If this is your first time or you are new, please don't feel any obligation to put anything in the offering plate. Your presence with us is truly gift enough.

OFFERTORY MUSIC: — Shane Cantanho
We are grateful for the donations of lilies for Easter.

***<u>DOXOLOGY 頌栄</u>:** – Shane Cantanho
"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"
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Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God all creatures here below;
Praise God above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

In Japanese:
A-me-tsu-chi ko-zo-ri-te
Ka-shi-ko-mi ta-ta-e-yo
Mi-me-gu-mi a-fu-ru-ru
Chi-chi mi-ko mi-ta-ma wo. Amen

***<u>OFFERTORY PRAYER 祈祷</u>:** – Kara Tanoue

Lord Jesus, you met the women at the tomb and sent them to go and tell. Every sending requires provision, and these gifts are our way of supporting the ministries here at Wesley and beyond. Take what we offer, multiply it for your glory, and use it to carry the resurrection message

to the people that are still waiting for new life, a resurrection, a renewal in their lives. Amen.

PASTORAL PRAYER 牧会祈祷: — Rev. John Oda

THE LORD'S PRAYER:
Our Creator, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.

***HYMN: "Hallelujah (Your Love Is Amazing)"**

— Wesley Praise Band

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Your love is amazing, steady and unchanging.
Your love is a mountain firm beneath my feet.
Your love is a mystery, how you gently lift me.
When I am surrounded, your love carries me.

Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
Your love makes me sing.
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

Your love makes me sing.

Your love is surprising, I can feel it rising,
all the joy that's growing deep inside of me.
Every time I see you
all your goodness shines through.
I can feel this God song rising up in me.

Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
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***BENEDICTION 祝祷:** – Rev. John Oda

***RESPONSE 応答: – "Go Now In Peace"**

– Wesley Praise Band

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Go now in peace, never be afraid.
God will go with you each hour of every day.
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.
Know God will guide you in all you do.

Go now in love, and show you believe.
Reach out to others so all the world can see.
God will be there, watching from above
Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.
Amen. Amen. Amen.

POSTLUDE MUSIC 後奏: — Shane Cantanho

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