

**Welcome to Grace United Methodist Church
We are glad you are here!**

EASTER SUNDAY

9:30 A.M. Worship

10:45 A.M. Sunday School

April 4, 2010

Invitation and Gathering

Gathering music, fellowship, sharing with family and friends, announcements.

Gathering Words (John 20)

Open us, O God, like tombs giving way to your light. Open us, O God . . .

**To your possibilities, to your word, to your surprises, to your love, to your grace,
to your risen presence.**

Praise Sentences (Psalm 118)

God is good!

All the time!

And all the time!

God is good!

Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good. God's love endures forever. Let all people shout it from the rooftops, "God's love endures forever!"

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*** Opening Hymn 302**

Christ the Lord is Risen Today

Proclamation and Response

Children's Moment

***Responsive Reading UMH 839**

Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24

Special Music

Chancel Choir

Gospel Reading

John 20:1-18

Witness to the Word

Pastor Mike Fender

Response to the Word

Prayers of the People

Prayer Hymn: UMH 349

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Offering, Offertory, and Doxology

Mr. Andrew Salyer

Sending Forth

Benediction

***Choral Benediction UMH 322**

Up from the Grave He Arose