

**10.30 Holy Communion Service. 4th April 2021.
Easter Day.**

Tony to preach and preside.

The Easter Acclamation

Leader says,

Alleluia. Christ is risen.

All He is risen indeed. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Leader – Welcome, Notices, retiring collection.

Leader - *Let us pray that we may walk the risen life of Christ in glory.*

God of glory,

by the raising of your Son

you have broken the chains of death and hell:

fill your Church with faith and hope;

for a new day has dawned

and the way to life stands open

in our Saviour Jesus Christ.

All Amen.

Hymn – Thine be the glory

Confession.

All Heavenly Father, You have loved us with an everlasting love, but we have gone our own way and broken your laws. We are sorry for our sins and turn away from them. For the sake of your Son who died for us forgive us, cleanse us, and change us. By your Holy Spirit enable us to live for you and to please you more and more, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Leader says

The God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ promises to pardon and forgive all who truly repent and sincerely believe his holy gospel. May God grant us true repentance and his Holy Spirit, so that forgiven and cleansed from our sins, our lives may be holy, shielded by God's power until Christ comes. Amen.

Collect

Lord of life and power, who through the mighty resurrection of your son have overcome the old order of sin and death to make all things new in him: grant that we, being dead to sin and alive to you in Jesus Christ, may reign with him in glory; to whom with you and the Holy Spirit be praise and honour, glory and might, now and in all eternity. **Amen**

Song - Jesus hope of the nations.

Bible reading – John 20:1-18

Song - Praise is rising.

Sermon – Tony. Victory

The Lord's Prayer

Let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has taught us

All Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name; your kingdom come; your will be done; on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Closing Prayer/Blessing.

The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the eternal covenant, make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is pleasing in his sight; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among us and remain with us always.

All Amen.

Hymn - See what a morning.