

UNIONVILLE EPC WORSHIP SERVICE
April 4th, 2021 – 9:30 AM

Welcome and Announcements

Pastoral Call to Worship/Prayer of Invocation

Apostle's Creed

Gloria Patri

Scripture Reading: Luke 24: 13 – 35

Sermon – *Revealed in the Breaking of the Bread*

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Prayer of Confession (In Unison)

Gracious Heavenly Father, we confess that we too often fail to share in the joy of the resurrection but get caught up in worldly anxiety. We confess that we do not always live in the spirit of new life but remain discontent, grumbling and anxious. Forgive us when we prefer to worry and complain rather than abiding in the joy and encouragement of new life in Christ. Call us back to Your ways, O God, to seek hope and reconciliation, restoration and peace. In the name of the Risen Christ, we pray; LORD, in Your mercy, hear our prayer.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Doxology

Distribution of the Bread and the Cup

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Closing Hymn –

Christ the Lord Is Risen Today!

Christ the Lord is ris'n today, Alleluia!
Sons of men and angels say, Alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!
Sing, ye heav'ns, and earth, reply, Alleluia!

Lives again our glorious King, Alleluia!
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!
Dying once, He all doth save, Alleluia!
Where thy victory, O grave? Alleluia!

Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia!
Fought the fight, the battle won, Alleluia!
Death in vain forbids Him rise, Alleluia!
Christ has opened paradise, Alleluia!

Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia!
Foll'wing our exalted Head, Alleluia!
Made like Him, like Him we rise, Alleluia!
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Alleluia!

Benediction