**Morning Order of Worship**

April 16, 2017—9:30 AM

**Easter Sunday**

REJOICING IN THE LORD

Prelude

Ministry of Music—*Forever (We Sing Hallelujah)*

Welcome

\*Call to Worship—Colossians 3:1-4

\*God’s Greeting and Mutual Greeting

\*Opening Songs of Worship

HWC #216 vs. 1, 2—*Christ Arose*

 HWC #217—*Christ the Lord is Risen Today*

APPROACHING THE LORD

We Remember the Resurrection Story—Luke 24:1-12

We Profess Our Faith in the Resurrected Christ

The Contemporary Testimony, Art. 27

Song of Response

 HWC #225 vs. 1, 2—*Worship Christ the Risen King*

Easter Prayer

Offering for the General Fund

 Ministry of Music—*Christ Is Risen, He Is Risen Indeed*

**LISTENING TO THE LORD**

\*Song of Preparation:

 Screen—*10,000 Reasons*

Scripture: Luke 24:13-35 (page 1025)

Message: ***From Darkness to Sight***

Prayer of Application

\*Hymn of Application

PH #405—I Serve a Risen Savior

 **LEAVING TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD**

\*God’s Parting Blessing

\*Doxology

 HWC #213—vs. 1, 3—*Because He Lives*

\*Postlude

**Worship Participants**

Worship Leader: Pastor Matt Riddle

Pianist: Stephanie Walters

Trumpets: Sheila Johnston, Barb Nagelkerk

Ministry of Music: Noordeloos Choir

*\*Please Stand*