

Easter

SUNRISE SERVICE

SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 2026

FOREST LAWN – LONG BEACH



- Prelude Grace Notes Instrumental Ensemble
Faith Rietveld, Director
- Choral Prelude Grace Notes Community Choir
“Christ is Risen, He’s Risen Indeed” Faith Rietveld, Director
by K Getty, K Getty, E Cash, arr. J Koerts
- Welcome Michelle Villegas
Forest Lawn – Long Beach
- Call to Worship* Reverend Steve Boggan
Pastor, Lakewood Village Community Church
- Congregational Hymn* All
“Christ the Lord is Risen Today” by Charles Wesley (lyrics below)
- Choral Anthem Grace Notes Community Choir
“Living Hope” by P Wickham, B Johnson, arr. L Larson
- Morning Prayer Reverend Boggan
- Scripture Reading Reverend Boggan
Psalm 118:14, 17
- Choral Anthem Grace Notes Community Choir
“I Will Rise” by L Giglio, C Tomlin, M Maher, J Reeves, arr. M McDonald
- Sermon. Reverend Boggan
“I Shall Not Die, But Live”
- Congregational Hymn* All
“O Praise the Name” (Anástasis) by M Sampson, B Hastings, D Ussher,
arr. D Galbraith, J Haschek (lyrics below)
- Closing Remarks Michelle Villegas
- Benediction* Reverend Boggan
- Choral Benediction Grace Notes Community Choir
“Hallelujah Chorus” by GF Handel



CHRIST THE LORD IS RISEN TODAY

by Charles Wesley

Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia!
All creation, join to say: “Alleluia!”
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!
Sing, O heav’ns, and earth reply: Alleluia!

Lives again our Glorious King, Alleluia!
Where O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!
Jesus died, our souls to save, Alleluia!
Where’s 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!
Following our exalted Head, Alleluia!
Made like Him, like Him we rise, Alleluia!
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Alleluia!



O PRAISE THE NAME (ANÁSTASIS)

by Hastings, Ussher, Sampson - CCLI Song #7037787

I cast my mind to Calvary
Where Jesus bled and died for me.
I see His wounds, His hands, His feet.
My Saviour on that cursed tree.

His body bound and drenched in tears,
They laid Him down in Joseph’s tomb.
The entrance sealed by heavy stone.
Messiah still and all alone.

O praise the Name of the Lord our God.
O praise His Name forevermore.
For endless days we will sing Your praise.
Oh Lord, oh Lord our God.

Then on the third at break of dawn,
The Son of heaven rose again.
O trampled death, where is your sting?
The angels roar for Christ the King.

O praise the Name of the Lord our God.
O praise His Name forevermore.
For endless days we will sing Your praise.
Oh Lord, oh Lord our God.

He shall return in robes of white,
The blazing Son shall pierce the night.
And I will rise among the saints,
My gaze transfixed on Jesus’ face.

O praise the Name of the Lord our God.
O praise His Name forevermore.
For endless days we will sing Your praise.
Oh Lord, oh Lord our God.



REVEREND STEVE BOGGAN

My wife is Christian and we have four grown, married children and six grandchildren. I have been the Senior Pastor of Lakewood Village Community Church since 2013. I graduated from Trevecca College (BS) and Asbury Theological Seminary (MDiv). I was ordained as an Elder in the United Methodist Church. I have done missionary work in South America and the Caribbean starting in 1974 and began pastoral ministry in 1979.

GRACE NOTES COMMUNITY CHOIR is a group of musicians from churches in the Artesia, Bellflower, Cerritos area and beyond. The singers share a common bond of love for God and love for singing. They are led by Faith Rietveld, a church pianist, organist, worship leader, and piano teacher in the Bellflower area. Their accompanist is Juan-Carlos Lora.