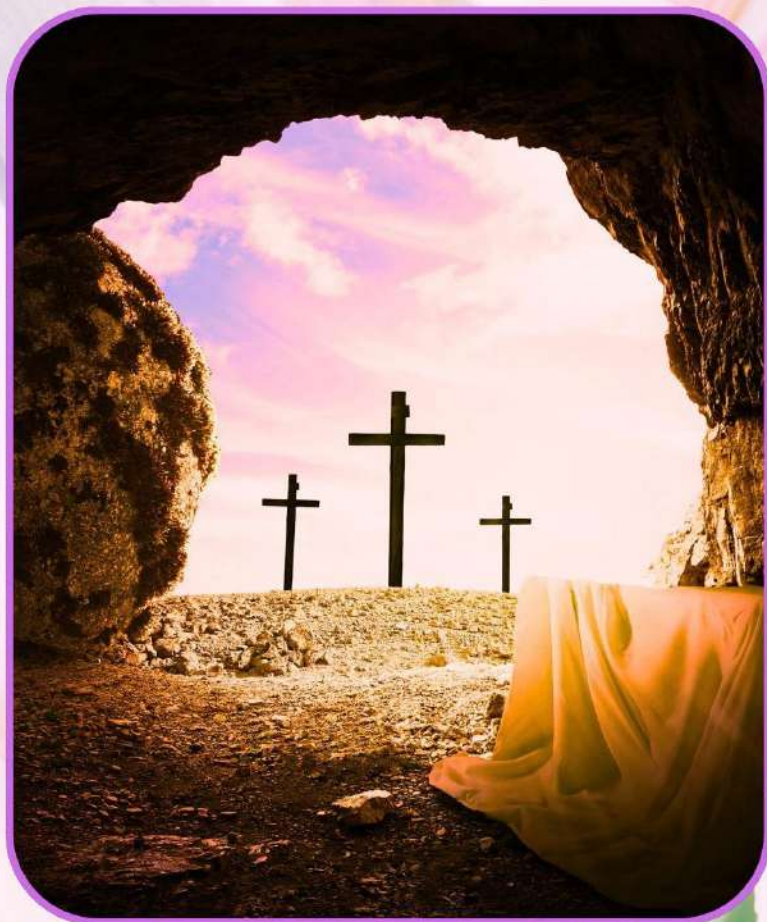


# Easter Sunday



Knox United Church  
April 5, 2026

## Easter Sunday Worship Order, 10:00 AM

(复活节) 2026年4月5日

♪↑ Rise to sing, as you are able    ♪+ Remain seated to sing

**Prelude:** Reflection: “When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”  
序曲：反思：“当我瞻仰奇妙的十字架”

**Welcoming & Candle Lighting**      欢迎仪式与烛光仪式

**Call to Worship:**      呼唤敬拜

Early in the morning, when hope seemed gone,  
**God was already at work.**  
In the place of sorrow and confusion,  
**Christ came near.**  
In the midst of tears and longing,  
**new life began to stir.**  
Come and worship the God of resurrection.  
**We come with wonder, gratitude, and joy.**

♪↑ **Processional Hymn:** “Jesus Christ Is Risen Today”  
进堂赞美诗：“耶稣基督今日复活”

VU 155

**Prayer** (*said together*)      祷告（一起说）

**Living God, on this Easter morning we give you thanks.**  
**Where we saw endings, you brought new life.**  
**Where sorrow lingered, you opened hope.**  
**Open our hearts to the risen Christ and help us receive the**  
**new life you offer.**  
**Amen.**

♪↑ **Hymn:** “Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Give Thanks”  
圣诗：“哈利路亚，哈利路亚，感恩！”

VU 179

**Scripture:** John 20:1–18      *The Empty Tomb*      p. 882

经文：约翰福音 20:1-18      空墓

**Anthem:** “Run, Mary, Run”

颂歌：“快跑，玛丽，快跑”

**Sermon:** And Yet – He Came Back      讲道：然而——他回来了

♫↑ **Communion Hymn:** “I Come with Joy” (*verses 1-3*)      VU 477

圣餐赞美诗：“我带着喜悦而来” (*第 1-3 节*)

**Dedication of Offering**      奉献祈祷

### **Sacrament of Holy Communion**

\*\* Along with regular wafers we are serving low-gluten wafers which are not recommended for people with celiac disease.

\*\* 除了普通威化饼外，我们还供应低麸质威化饼，但低麸质威化饼不建议乳糜泻患者食用。

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Blessed are you, Lord God of the Universe. Your mercy --- who forever sing to the glory of your name:

♫+ **Sanctus & Benedictus**      圣洁与祝福      MV 203

You are holy, Almighty One, --- fed the hungry, and ate with sinners.

By the baptism of his suffering, --- And so, in remembrance of these, --- as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

♫+ **Memorial Acclamation**      纪念欢呼      MV 204

Pour out your Holy Spirit --- Almighty Father, now and forever.

♫+ **Great Amen**      伟大的阿门      MV 205

**Communion Meditation**      圣餐默想

**Prayers of the People**      会众祷告

♫+ **The Lord’s Prayer** (*said together*)      主祷文 (一起说)      VU 914

**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name.**

**Thy kingdom come,**

**Thy will be done**

**on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread;  
and forgive us our trespasses,**

**as we forgive those**

**who trespass against us;**

**and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom,**

**and the power, and the glory,**

**for ever and ever. Amen.**

♫↑ **Hymn:** “Thine is the Glory”      VU 173

圣诗：“荣耀归于你”

**Commissioning and Benediction** (*said together*)

差遣与祝福 (一起说)

**Go into the world with Easter hope, trusting that the risen Christ is  
still bringing new life where we least expect it.**

**May the God of resurrection, the risen Christ, and the Spirit of new  
life go with you in hope and peace.**

**Amen!**

♫↑ **Benediction Response:** “Halle, Halle, Halle” (*sing 3 times*)      VU 958

祝福回应：“哈雷，哈雷，哈雷” (*唱 3 遍*)

**Postlude:** Short Fantasia on Hymn Tune: “Abridge”

后奏曲：赞美诗曲调短幻想曲：‘简略版’

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**Worship Leaders:**

Presider: Rev. Richard Chung  
Music Director: Colleen Coulter  
Communion Servers: Robin O'Brien,  
Catherine Shen, Dave Cass,  
Sandra Trueman, Richard Dunsterville  
Webminder: Alex Danny

Scripture Reader: Robin O'Brien  
Ministry of Music: Knox Choir  
Trumpeter: Kalen Warren  
Head Usher: Dave Cass  
Greeter: Catherine Shen  
Live-Streaming: Kevin Wong

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and Sel'il\_witulh (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations. We thank them for having cared  
for this land and look forward to relating with them as covenant people  
of God as we continue to care for this land together.

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*This bilingual worship order reflects our welcome toward Chinese members of  
the community, as part of our commitment to being a welcoming and inclusive  
church.*

*本双语礼拜程序体现了我们对社区华人朋友的欢迎，也是我们致力于成为一个欢  
迎并包容的教会的一部分。*

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2026年4月5日      复活节

**Title:** And Yet – He Came Back

讲道：然而——他回来了

**Text:** John 20:1-18      *The Empty Tomb*

文本：约翰福音 20:1-18      空墓

**Synopsis:** Resurrection is not a return to the same life, but something  
categorically new — and humanity has always struggled to tell the  
difference. From our restless hunger to cheat death, it arrives at the  
garden, where Mary mistakes Jesus for the gardener until he simply  
says her name.

复活并非回归旧日的生活，而是一种全新的存在——人类始终难以分辨二  
者的区别。我们渴望战胜死亡的执念，最终在客西马尼园得以实现。  
在那里，玛利亚误把耶稣当成了园丁，直到他呼唤了她的名字。

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Mission: "We exist to love God and love our neighbours"  
(Matthew 22: 36-40)

Vision: "We aspire to engage our neighbours through  
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