# The English Community Outreach Project Protestant Deanery of Wiesbaden in the Bergkirche

May 1, 2022



## **Lessons and Carols in the Easter Season**

Thank you for joining us for worship this morning! We are glad you are here with us. Here are a few things to help orient you during the service.

- We request that you please wear a mask for the duration of the service, especially when singing.
- Hymnals are available at the entrance to the sanctuary.
- In the bulletin, items marked with a star\* indicate that you should stand in body or spirit, as you are able. During the Prayers of the People, you may remain seated until Rev. Cranbury invites you to stand for the Lord's Prayer.

**Greeting and Invocation:** We gather today in the love of God, the compassion of Jesus, our Christ, and of the Holy Spirit –  $\square$  Amen.

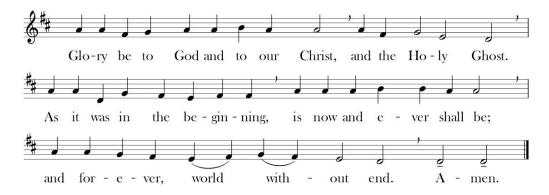
\*Opening Hymn

Christ the Lord is Risen Today

#288

"Roll Back the Stone" by Janet Morley

Reader - Come, let us worship!



#### **Introduction to the Lessons and Carols**

**Choir/John 20:1-18** 

When It Was Yet Dark

Stephen Hatfield

Luke 24:13-35

**Choir and Congregation** 

Now the Green Blade Rises

#311 (Congregation sings vv. 2 and 4)

John 20:19-31

Hymn

Christ is Risen! Shout Hosanna!

#293

John 21:15-19

Matthew 28:16-20

Choir

This Joyful Eastertide

arr. Charles Wood

Acts 1:6-10

Acts 2:42-47

Hymn

Community of Christ

#615

"Risen" by Jan Richardson

### Prayers of the People and the \*Lord's Prayer

You are invited to say the Lord's prayer in whatever language or translation is most familiar or comfortable for you. If you are unfamiliar with this prayer, you may read the following words:

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 debts as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation,

But deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever and ever.

Amen.



#### **Announcements**

\*Sending Hymn Good Christians All, Rejoice and Sing #307

**\*Benediction ☐** Amen

**Postlude** Toccata in C-Minor Léon Boellmann

Choir Director: Rhodri Britton; Organ: Dirk Putzek; Technology: Jörg Müller

Donations placed in the plate near the exit will be used to support this ministry, the English Community Outreach Project.

## Thank you for worshipping with us this morning!

We hope you will join us for our other activities.

First Sunday: Worship at the Bergkirche and Livestream at 11AM

Second Sunday: Dinner Church at 6PM

Third Sunday: No Gathering

Fourth Sunday: Walking Church at 11AM (location announced via email)

For more information or to be added to the email list, please contact Rev. Hannah Cranbury.

You are also warmly invited to "Caleidescope of Sound," an Organ Concert at the Bergkirche by Dirk Putzek on May 7, at 7:30PM.

### **Fundraising**

Today marks the beginning of our 2022 funding drive. Unlike most German congregations, we are not funded by the church tax. We are a ministry that can only exist because of the generosity of those who attend. This week, you will receive an email inviting you to pledge your support for this congregation. Pledge cards are also available at the entrance to the sanctuary. Please consider what you could give towards our 18,000€ goal before September 31. We appreciate your support and consideration!

If you would rather give a one time donation right away, you may give an offering as you exit the church at the end of the service or make a transfer to the following account:

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Thank you for your ongoing support and your faith in this project!

Are you on Facebook? If so, check us out at "English Outreach - A Ucc-Ekhn Church Partnership" (<u>https://www.facebook.com/getinvolved2015</u>).

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