

A joyous welcome to you all! We are here to celebrate the glorious victory of Christ over sin and death. Let us rejoice exuberantly and give God the glory. Hallelujah! The Lord lives, and reigns forever and forever.

## CALL TO WORSHIP

Presentation by the Sunday School Department

Youth: Christ is risen!

Congregation (Third repetition): *He is risen indeed!*

**Christ is risen  
From the tomb  
Come and worship  
Allelu!**

(The congregation sings the response on the third repetition)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PRAYER REQUESTS

- The second offering today is a special self-denial offering for home missions.
- **April 15** - Conference-wide day of prayer and fasting
- **April 24** - Zone Rally at Grand Gorge
- **April 26** - Pastoral vote
- Our sister church to pray for this week is **Syracuse**. The pastor is Andrew Manley.
- Pray for **comfort and healing** for the family members who are mourning the sudden death Friday night of Anna Walker (wife of the Rev. B. J. Walker).
- Be sure to check out our church web site for updates, bulletins, and pictures of recent church events.

### *Suggested Daily Scripture Reading*

	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>
OT	Joshua 5:1-7:15	Joshua 7:16-9:2	Joshua 9:3-10:43	Joshua 11:1-12:24
NT	Luke 15:1-32	Luke 16:1-18	Luke 16:19-17:10	Luke 17:11-37
PSA	Psalms 81:1-16	Psalms 82:1-8	Psalms 83:1-18	Psalms 84:1-12
PROV	Proverbs 12	Proverbs 13	Proverbs 14	Proverbs 15

*Thursday*  
Joshua 13:1-14:15  
Luke 18:1-17  
Psalm 85:1-13  
Proverbs 16

*Friday*  
Joshua 15:1-63  
Luke 18:18-43  
Psalm 86:1-17  
Proverbs 17

*Saturday*  
Joshua 16:1-18:28  
Luke 19:1-27  
Psalm 87:1-7  
Proverbs 18

# Christ the LORD is Risen

Duane Maxey

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Christ the Lord is risen! — There is joy today  
For He rose a Victor o'er the grave!  
Spread the blessed tidings out upon the way,  
Now He lives with mighty power to save!

*Refrain*

*Glory! Glory! let the ransomed sing!  
Glory! Glory! to the living King!  
There is full salvation through His precious blood—  
Life Eternal in the Risen Lord!*

2

Christ the Lord is Risen to the Father's side,  
As our Great High Priest to intercede.  
In our stead He suffered, in our place He died,  
Now His grace supplieth every need.

*Refrain*

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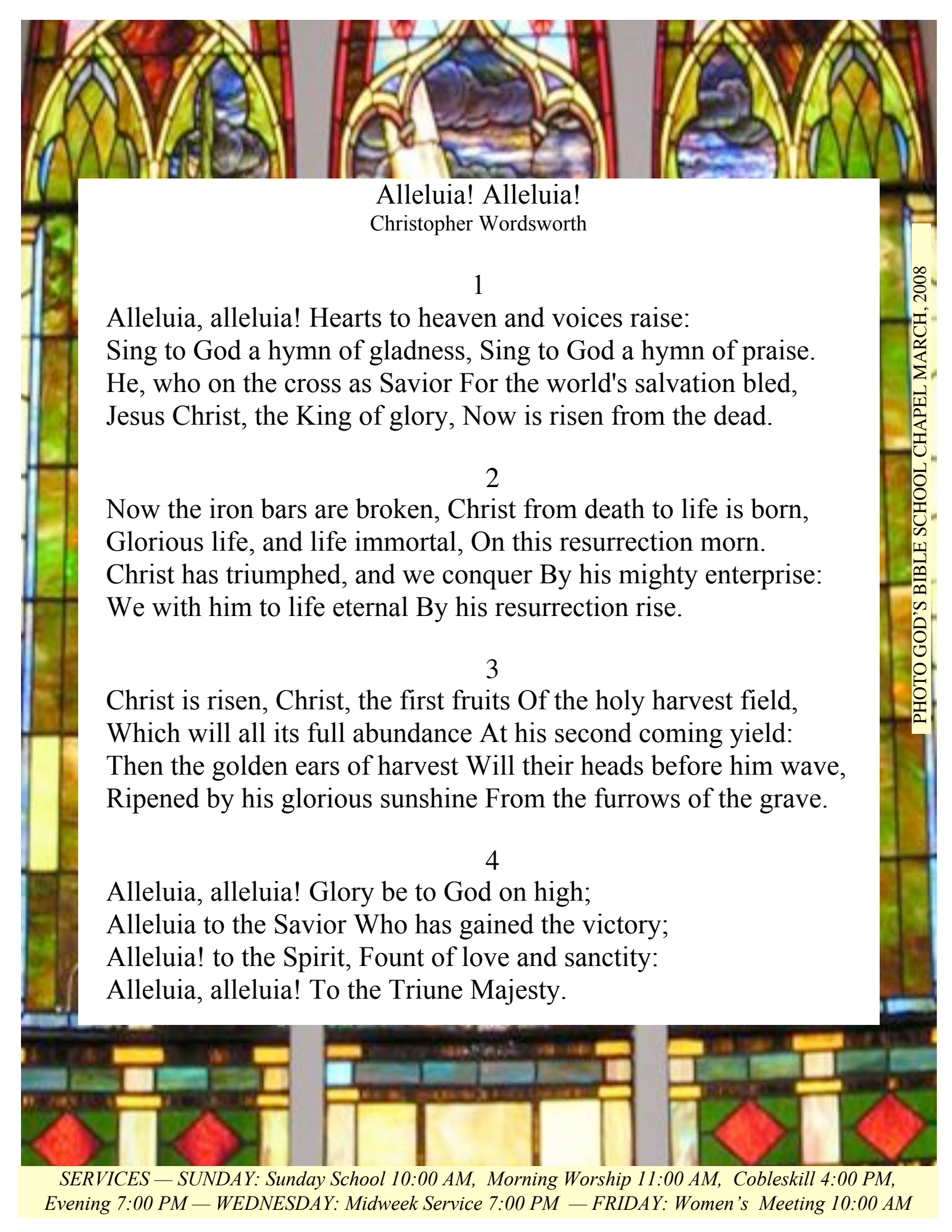
Christ the Lord is risen. Do not be dismayed,  
When the way is dark and steep the road.  
If you call upon Him, He will give you aid,  
Help you bear the Cross and every load.

*Refrain*

4

Christ the Lord is risen. Now He lives on high,  
But He shall return and all shall see  
Jesus in His Glory coming in the sky.  
Then the saints shall have their Jubilee!

*Refrain*



Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Christopher Wordsworth

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Alleluia, alleluia! Hearts to heaven and voices raise:  
Sing to God a hymn of gladness, Sing to God a hymn of praise.  
He, who on the cross as Savior For the world's salvation bled,  
Jesus Christ, the King of glory, Now is risen from the dead.

2

Now the iron bars are broken, Christ from death to life is born,  
Glorious life, and life immortal, On this resurrection morn.  
Christ has triumphed, and we conquer By his mighty enterprise:  
We with him to life eternal By his resurrection rise.

3

Christ is risen, Christ, the first fruits Of the holy harvest field,  
Which will all its full abundance At his second coming yield:  
Then the golden ears of harvest Will their heads before him wave,  
Ripened by his glorious sunshine From the furrows of the grave.

4

Alleluia, alleluia! Glory be to God on high;  
Alleluia to the Savior Who has gained the victory;  
Alleluia! to the Spirit, Fount of love and sanctity:  
Alleluia, alleluia! To the Triune Majesty.