

# WELCOME!

We're glad you're joining us this morning! We hope you experience the welcome of the risen Christ as we gather together.

## SUNDAY LITURGY

03.31.24

### WORSHIP IN SONG

**"Praise The King"**

### GOSPEL WELCOME & FELLOWSHIP TIME

### WORSHIP IN SONG

**"Christ The Lord Is Risen Today"**

**"All Hail King Jesus"**

### SCRIPTURE READING

**Acts 13:26-39**

### SERMON

**"The Promise of Easter"**

Ben Sansburn

### SONG OF RESPONSE

**"Living Hope"**

**"Because He Lives (Amen)"**

### BENEDICTION

## WHY DO WE DO THAT?

### *What is the Gospel?*

"Gospel" means "good news". The good news the gospel announces is the historic event of Jesus' life, death and resurrection; what Christians celebrate every Easter. Why is that event such good news?

The answer to that question begins with bad news. In the beginning, God created everything and called it good. At the center of his creation were a man and woman named Adam and Eve. God created these human beings to live in relationship with him, under his good rule, but they rejected that rule and determined to live apart from God and his kingship.

Every human since has done the same thing. The Bible says that "all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23). We've committed cosmic treason against the rightful King over our lives and over our world. Our rebellion is the cause of all the injustice and brokenness and pain we see in the world today, and it justly deserves God's judgment.

The good news though is that God, in his grace and kindness, sent his own Son Jesus Christ to save us. Though he was God, Jesus took on human flesh, lived the perfect life every one of us has failed to live, died the death we all deserve, and through his resurrection, conquered sin and death forever.

Now, through simple faith, admitting our sin and rebellion and trusting in what Jesus has done for us, we can share in his victory. The Christian message isn't, "do better, try harder," it's "trust in what Jesus has done for you." Through Christ's finished work, we can be rescued from sin's penalty, sin's power, and one day from sin's very presence. That's good news!

If you want to know more about this good news, we'd encourage you to talk with someone up front after the service today.

## NEW HERE?

We're glad you came and would love the privilege of getting to know you. Stop by our Connect Desk on the way out for a free gift! If you'd like to get connected at Summit, simply fill out a Connect Card and pass it on to a member of our host team.

## ABOUT US

Summit is a gospel-centered church with a vision to know and make known the real Jesus in our church, our city, and around the world. To do that we partner nationally with the Crossway Network ([crosswaynetwork.org](http://crosswaynetwork.org)) and locally with other like-minded churches and ministries. Find more about our vision, values, and beliefs online at [www.summit-christian.org](http://www.summit-christian.org)

## SERVE

The church is a family and as a family we share in the responsibility of serving together. If you are interested in serving, please fill out a Connect card and drop it off with a member of our host team or fill out the serve form on our website!

## SUMMIT YOUTH

Students in 6th-12th Grade - join us the following Sundays at the Summit Building from 5:00-7:00p.

## YOUNG ADULTS

Young Adults 18-35ish years old - join us on the 1st & 3rd Saturdays of the month starting at 5:30p! Call or text Marissa Swindler for location at 253.227.2275!

## CALENDAR

04.06 | Men's Breakfast

04.07 | 845 Equip Classes Begin

04.07 | New Sermon Series: "You Are Not Your Own"

## NEWS & NOTES

### Happy Resurrection Sunday!

Thank you for joining us here at Summit as we celebrate the risen and reigning King Jesus!

### "You Are Not Your Own" Sermon Series

"Who am I?" That singular, existential question has weighed on humanity since the dawn of creation. In our modern world, the prevailing notion is that individuals define their own identities, crafting their own unique, authentic selves. But is that the best answer? In our upcoming 4-week series, we'll explore how we should think about who we are in the midst of the cultural pressures of individualism, consumerism, human sexuality, and politics. Join us after Easter, Sunday, April 7th.

### Men's Breakfast

Men- Join us this Saturday, April 6th from 8:00-9:30a at the Summit Building as we continue to go through Brett McCracken's book *The Wisdom Pyramid*. Come enjoy some great food and fellowship as Isaac McPhee addresses what it looks like to center ourselves on the Bible as our primary source of wisdom!

### Family/Nursing Room

If you have some kiddos that need some space to run around or a nursing baby, be sure to check out our family room located down the hallway to the right of the stage!

### Financial Update

Thank you for your faithful giving! Here's a snapshot of how God is providing.

Average monthly giving needed (based on the 2024 budget): \$36,328.33

Average monthly giving in 2023: \$32,398.04

Giving last month (February): \$34,561.2

### Ford Update

With our move to Ford, we are prayerfully hoping to raise \$30,000 to help offset the cost of equipment needed and ministry opportunities at the school.

Thank you for praying and partnering over-and-beyond your regular giving to help make this a reality.

To date, we have raised: \$17,375.26

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## SERMON NOTES

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