

# First Methodist Church

MAIN AT EIGHTH  
Canon City, Colorado



"A House of Prayer for All People"

## Our Welcome

*To all who sin, and need a loving Saviour; to all the lone who need a friendship true; to all who walk the humbler paths of service; to all who toil with mind and body, too; to those of burdened hearts, with grief and sorrow; to those of spirits glad and free from care—to all a hearty welcome is extended to come with us for work and praise and prayer.*

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DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT

THE REVEREND RICHARD O. GILPIN

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Colorado Springs, Colorado

# Easter Sunday, April 1, 1945

CHURCH SCHOOL 9:30: MORNING WORSHIP 10:45

## Order of Divine Worship

(Let all observe a reverent silence when the Organ Prelude begins)

Organ Prelude—Where'er You Walk ..... Handel

The Call to Worship ..... by the Minister

Hymn—280, Onward Christian soldiers! ..... Sabine Baring-Gould

The General Confession: (The congregation will be seated)

Our Father, we adore Thee, whose name is love, whose nature is compassion, whose presence is joy, whose word is truth, whose spirit is goodness, whose holiness is beauty, whose will is peace, whose service is perfect freedom, and in knowledge of whom standeth our eternal life. Amen.

Silent Prayer: (Let all spend a few moments in silent Prayer)

Words of Assurance ..... by the Minister

Organ Interlude—during which the people may be seated.

Prayer, concluding with the Lord's Prayer, and Choral Response.

Responsive Reading, Easter, Second Reading, Page 630.

The Gloria Patri—No. 569, Hymnal.

Anthem—Lift Up Your Heads ..... E. L. Ashford

Scripture Lesson—St. Mark 16: 1-14.

Offertory—The Prophet Bird ..... Schumann

Duet—So Thou Lifest Thy Divine Petition, from "The Crucifixion" ..... Stainer  
Mrs. Elton B. Woodford, Mrs. Earl R. Gilbert

SERMON: *Life Triumphant!* ..... Dr. Eitelgeorge

But now is Christ risen from the dead, and become the firstfruits of them that slept. For since by man came death, by man came also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive. I Corinthians 15: 20-22.

Reception of Members and Baptisms.

Hymn—164, All hail the power of Jesus' Name ..... Edward Perronet  
(Use only stanzas 1, 4, 5)

Benediction—Doxology.

Postlude—Festival Postlude ..... Dudley Buck

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We are happy to have the Knights Templar with us this morning.

## EVENING WORSHIP AT 7:30

At this hour the Choir, assisted in part by the Canon City High School Orchestra—both under the direction of Prof. Earl R. Gilbert—will present a very fine Easter Program. "The Heavens Are Telling," by Haydn, and, the Easter Cantata, "The Risen King," by P. A. Schnecker. Everyone will want to hear this, therefore come early and make sure you get a seat.

Because of the Sunrise Service on Skyline today there will be no Youth Fellowship meetings tonight.

Tuesday: The Alethea Sunday School Class will meet with Mrs. Ethel McGinn, 420 Greenwood Avenue, at 2:30. All members are urged to be present.

The Monthly Social Meeting of the Queen Esther Class will take place at the home of Mrs. E. E. Tefft, 1233 Logan Street, at 2:30. Mrs. Wright will lead the devotions; Mrs. Quinn will have charge of the study hour; Mrs. W. W. Gates is assistant hostess.

Wednesday: Choir practice at 7:30.

Thursday: The W. S. C. S. will meet at 11 a. m. in the Church Parlor for the Mission Study, "West of the Date Line," in charge of Mrs. Welch. The Wesleyan Service Guild will be luncheon hostess at 12:45. Please phone your reservation to Mrs. Rinehart Dickson, 843-J, by Tuesday noon. Business and devotional meeting at 2 p. m. The W. S. C. S. from Florence will be guests. Mrs. E. Guy Cutshall, of Colorado Springs, will be guest speaker. First Circle will sell home made Butterhorn and Cinnamon Rolls at the close of the meeting. Every lady of the Church is most cordially invited to meet with us and enjoy the fellowship of the day.

Thursday: The Official Board will meet in regular session at 7:30; please make an effort, if necessary, to be there.

The District Superintendent writes that he will be with us Wednesday evening, April 18, for the Fourth Quarterly Conference, at 7:30.

We have separate programs for the Easter Cantata. Don't miss it!

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The *fact* of Easter is the risen Lord;  
The *proof* of Easter is the holy Word;  
The *joy* of Easter is the life again;  
The *hope* of Easter is immortal man.

—Benjamin Eitelgeorge.





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