

2022-04-17 Meditation for Easter Sunday is now available
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Theme song:

This joyful Eastertide
away with sin and sorrow!
My love, the Crucified,
has sprung to life this morrow.

Blessed be the God and Father

Lyrics: 1 Peter 1:3-5, 15, 17b, 22b, 23a, 24, 25

Music: Samuel Sebastian Wesley (1810-1876; composed 1834)

Artists: Consortium, Edward Barbieri (dir.)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y1kldw_nKW8

[Choir, unaccompanied]

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
which according to his abundant mercy
hath begotten us again unto a lively hope
by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, [1 Peter 1:3]

[All men, organ]

To an inheritance incorruptible, and undefiled,
that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you,
Who are kept by the power of God
through faith unto salvation
ready to be revealed at the last time. [1 Peter 1:4-5]

[Boy treble, organ]

But as he which hath called you is holy,
so be ye holy in all manner of conversation. [1 Peter 1:15]
Pass the time of your sojourning here in fear. [1 Peter 1:17b]

[Boy treble solo, answered by all the trebles' refrain, organ]

Love one another with a pure heart fervently.
See that ye love one another.
Love one another with a pure heart fervently. [1 Peter 1:22b]

[All men, organ]
Being born again,
not of corruptible seed,
but of incorruptible,
by the word of God. [1 Peter 1:23]

For all flesh is as grass,
and all the glory of man
as the flower of grass.

The grass withereth,
and the flower thereof falleth away. [1 Peter 1:24, quoting Isaiah 40:6]

[Full choir, full organ]
But the word of the Lord endureth for ever. [1 Peter 1:25a]
Amen.

[N.B. This is the final meditation in this daily series, which has run from the First Sunday of Advent to Easter Sunday. All earlier meditations remain available on this website and can be searched by date or or composer; each meditation offers an appropriate PDF. The Point Grey Inter-Mennonite Fellowship in Vancouver, Canada thanks you for joining us for these meditations.]

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