Every Sunday is Easter: A Worship Order

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Worship services printed in *Leaven* usually are distinctive in that they originate in special liturgical settings. The following service, however, is an example of a typical worship service of the Malibu Church of Christ, Malibu, California. Our thanks to Dan Anders and the Malibu Church.

*Every Sunday is Easter*

**We Gather for Worship**
- O Come, Let Us Adore Him
- The Doxology
- Welcome
- Call to Worship Psalm 16 (Read responsively)

**Leader:** I bless the Lord who gives me counsel... I keep the Lord always before me; because he is at my right hand, I shall not be moved.

**People:** Therefore my heart is glad, and my soul rejoices; my body also rests secure.

**Leader:** For you do not give me up to Sheol, or let your faithful one see the Pit.

**People:** You show me the path of life. In your presence there is fullness of joy; in your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

**We Praise Our God and Savior**
- Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens Adore Him
- Again the Lord of Light and Life

**We Share the Lord's Table**
- Here at Thy Table, Lord (1, 2)
- Communion Meditation
  - v. 3 with the Bread v. 4 with the Cup
- We Give Thee But Thine Own... with the Collection of Our Offerings

**We Offer God Our Thanks and Needs**
- Jesus, Wonderful Thou Art
  - Silent meditation will precede the spoken prayer.
- Our Morning Prayers
  - Worshippers may bow, kneel, or lift hands in prayer.

**We Hear God's Word**
- Low in the Grave He Lay
- An Affirmation of Our Faith 1 Corinthians 15 (Read in unison)

Christ died for our sins in accordance with scriptures. He was buried, and he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures. He appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve.

Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ.

"Death has been swallowed up in victory." Thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

**The Message** The Great Resurrection Declaration

God Sent His Son

**Shepherd's Remarks and Prayer**