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10:30 A. M.

SUNDAY, APRIL 18, 1976

"COME IN TO WORSHIP"

The Praise of God

The Call to Worship

Hymn: 465 (105) "Jesus Christ is risen today"

Prayer of Invocation

Unison Reading: 464 (Vs. 2,4,5)

The Gloria

Quartette: "On Easter Morn"

Robert Shaw

The Word of God

The Reading from Scripture: Luke 24: 1-12

I Corinthians 15: 17-22

Hymn: (Bulletin Insert) "Low in the grave He lay"

Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Hymn: 480 (115) "Crown Him with many crowns"

Sermon: "EASTER: ULTIMATE HOPE"

Rev. Art Griffin

Our Response to God's Word

Prayer

Solo: "The Trumpet Shall Sound"

Tom Mawson

Handel

The Offering: Prayer, Organ Voluntary, Doxology

Announcements: The Life and Work of The Church

Hymn: 462 (107) Tune: Hymnas

The Benediction and Choral Amen

Organ Chimes and Postlude

"GO OUT TO SERVE"

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WELCOME - We extend a sincere welcome to all who are visiting with us today. An informal Coffee Hour will be held immediately after both Services, and all are invited.

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Organ:
Harry Stoth

7:00 P.

EVENING BROADCAST on CKWX
(Heard at 8:00 p. m.)

EASTER SUNDAY

Organ Prelude

The Call to Worship

Hymn: 467 "Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!"

Prayer of Invocation

Quartette: "Christ The Lord Is Risen Again"

The Reading from Scripture: Acts 4: 1-12

Solo: "The Trumpet Shall Sound"

Tom Mawson

Prayer and The Lord's Prayer (Sung)

Quartette: "He's Back In The Land Of The Living"

Sermon: "This Is The Lord's Doing"

Rev. Jack Shaver

Prayer

Hymn: 471 (110) "This joyful Easter-tide"

The Benediction and Choral Amen

Organ Chimes and Voluntary

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(Off the Air)

The Offering: Prayer, Organ Voluntary, Doxology

Announcements: The Life and Work of The Church

Hymn: 41 "Thine is the glory, risen, conquering Son"

Blessing and Organ Postlude

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TODAY marks the last Sunday as a regular member of the Quartette for Tom Mawson, our Bass soloist. Tom has been in the Quartette for ten years now. We greatly regret that he is leaving but wish him the best in the future. We know he will continue to have an interest in First Church and its music and it is our wish he will return occasionally.

NEXT SUNDAY, April 25th, Rev. Jack Shaver will conduct the Morning Service and Rev. Art Griffin the 7:00 p.m. Chapel Service.

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EASTER SUNDAY - APRIL 18 1976 7PM

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I mentioned on the magazine portion of the Broadcast
that I had trouble remembering an Easter Sermon
any easter Sermon

It would appear that Easter Preaching is
generally ~~just~~ not memorable.

It's not that the Resurrection doesn't matter.
it is rather that the Resurrection won't preach.

No amount of lecturing will get you to believe it.
No amount of you should will ~~get you~~
to believe it.

If there was such a thing as Resurrection Preaching
- it would exactly have to be not

not a you should really - a YOU SHOULD
Now Being needed

For the Resurrection to be The Wordless Thing
that is claimed for it.

It has to be The Lord's doing →
not a "YOU SHOULD"

← Why don't I give it back to Harry and The Quartette ~~in~~?

I think that preaching can attempt to point out

WHY the resurrection is the heart of the
Christian matter

Good news about our sin,

- takes it with total seriousness,

- claims that god is up to dealing with it.

Summary - This forces whom I see crucified
God raised up.

Can you recognize - at least part of that
as the story of your life?

Our lives seem to be beset by our betrayal of
that which is to aid our good.

Our lives are in flight from that which
creates us.

Our lives are destined to stomp on our salvation
that which saves us.

Story of Woman alcoholic :-

on verge of believing that - Power

- stomp - salvation.

There seems you can recall - countless times

Wounded of Loving - too painful

- wouldn't trust yourself to
love alone → pleasures ^{had}

counts as

- love was new face of destructive

possessions - or aggressively

loving ceased

knew it as death //

septiers

Did it any way.

Desperate reach for safety

Stomp on our salvation

Betray Land of Love

Crucially who comes to save

But this forces upon you crucifixion

had raised up.

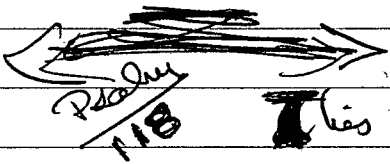
Even though we stomp on our salvation.

- Our selection won't stay stopped.

That's about as far as proceeding can go - because what this discussion ^{manage} allows.

The stone we reject is made

~~The hard work~~ The hard stone of the corner



This is the Lords D'Arcy & Wondroves's

Out ~~sign~~

It is

The Lords Doing ~~2~~ (Now is it conveyed under)

We cannot lift up our own lives
 " " resolve to love again.

That could be answered - ~~answer~~ ^{answer} means
hence the ~~truth~~ - now you can do it.

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Clue - what is it like
- it gets conveyed?

When I thought some more - DO needed
an easier Sonar

J.S. Bonnell - ²⁰⁰³ 14 - Wimpy

Read & Oway:

Chatter with ~~explosive exposure~~
~~sculpture~~ ~~bursty burst~~ both

What is it
like? For see to

The Recognized him

come upon

Rising Christ

Stripped or salvation
can still save

Tune

Recognition

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it has been before.

and will be - until he's coming
again -