

## Hymns for Easter 2

**Alleluia, alleluia,**  
give thanks to the risen Lord;  
alleluia, alleluia,  
give praise to His name.

1 Jesus is Lord of all the earth,  
He is the King of creation:  
Chorus

2 Spread the good news o'er all the earth,  
Jesus has died and has risen:  
Chorus

3 We have been crucified with Christ;  
Now we shall live for ever:  
Chorus

4 God has proclaimed the just reward:  
Life for all men, alleluia!  
Chorus

5 Come, let us praise the living God,  
Joyfully sing to our Saviour:  
Chorus

1 **All heaven declares**  
the glory of the risen Lord.  
Who can compare  
with the beauty of the Lord?  
Forever He will be  
the Lamb upon the throne.  
I gladly bow the knee  
and worship Him alone.

2 I will proclaim  
the glory of the risen Lord,  
who once was slain  
to reconcile man to God.  
Forever You will be  
the Lamb upon the throne.  
I gladly bow the knee  
and worship You alone.

1 This joyful Eastertide,  
What need is there for grieving?  
Cast all your cares aside  
And be not unbelieving:  
Come, share our Easter joy  
That death could not imprison,  
Nor any power destroy  
Our Christ, who is arisen!

2 No work for him is vain,  
No faith in him mistaken,  
For Easter makes it plain  
His Kingdom is not shaken:  
Chorus

3 Then put your trust in Christ,  
In waking and in sleeping,  
His grace on earth sufficed;  
He'll never quit his keeping:  
Chorus

1 **Christ is alive! Let Christians sing.**  
The cross stands empty to the sky.  
Let streets and homes with praises ring.  
Love, drowned in death, shall never die.

2 Christ is alive! No longer bound  
to distant years in Palestine,  
but saving, healing, here and now,  
and touching every place and time.

3 In every insult, rift and war,  
where colour, scorn or wealth divide,  
Christ suffers still, yet loves the more,  
and lives, where even hope has died.

4 Women and men, in age and youth,  
can feel the Spirit, hear the call,  
and find the way, the life, the truth,  
revealed in Jesus, freed for all.

5 Christ is alive, and comes to bring  
good news to this and every age,  
till earth and sky and ocean ring  
with joy, with justice, love and praise.

**1 I know that my Redeemer lives!**

What joy the blest assurance gives!  
He lives, he lives, who once was dead;  
he lives, my everlasting head!

2 He lives, to bless me with his love;  
he lives, to plead for me above;  
he lives, my hungry soul to feed;  
he lives, to help in time of need.

3 He lives, and grants me daily breath;  
he lives, and I shall conquer death:  
he lives, my mansion to prepare;  
he lives, to lead me safely there.

4 He lives, all glory to his name;  
he lives, my Saviour still the same;  
what joy the blest assurance gives!  
I know that my Redeemer lives.