8:45 A.M. ORDER OF WORSHIP May 8, 2022 FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE: Meditation on "Crown Him with Many Crowns" - C. Callahan

P. We prepare our hearts and minds for worship, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C. Amen.

BRIEF ORDER OF CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS:

You may either stand or kneel.

- P: God of resurrection life, we come before you today as those who would die to sin and rise to newness of life.
- C: Lower into the grave all selfishness, greed, and envy, all harmful desires and unworthy ambitions.
- P: Raise from death the good that is in us -- and gift us with the good that is not in us.
- C: Help us to love neighbors, strangers, and those we do not even like.
- P: We have failed you.
- C: We have failed our world.
- P: Give us the skill and the desire to bring healing into this world.
- C: Forgive us the sins we can name and the sins we cannot name.

(Silence to ponder our wrongs.)

- P: Lord, make us channels of blessing for the impoverished and injured souls of this world.
- C: In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS:

P: As the Apostle Paul teaches us in Romans chapter 5: If in Adam and Eve all have died—so now--in Jesus Christ--all are made alive. Let us rejoice in the lifegiving power of God's unconditional love. Our sins are forgiven for Jesus' sake.

C: Amen.



GATHERING HYMN: "You Servants of God"



Text: Charles Wesley, 1707–1788, alt. Music: attr. Johann Michael Haydn, 1737–1806 LYONS 10 10 11 11

APOSTOLIC GREETING:

- P. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- C. And also with you.

HYMN OF PRAISE: Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his peo-ple on earth. C Lord God, heav-en-ly king, al-might-y God and Fa - ther: We wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God: You take a - way the sin of the world; have mer-cy You are seat-ed at the right hand on us. of the Fa ther; re - ceive our prayer. For you a are the Ho-ly One, you a-lone lone are the Lord, you a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir - it,

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PRAYER OF THE DAY:

- P. The Lord be with you
- C. And also with you.
- P. Let us pray

Almighty God, the voice of the living Christ speaks today. Give us the ears we need to hear Him and the courage we need to love as He loves. Through the Holy Spirit we pray. Amen.

BIBLE READINGS

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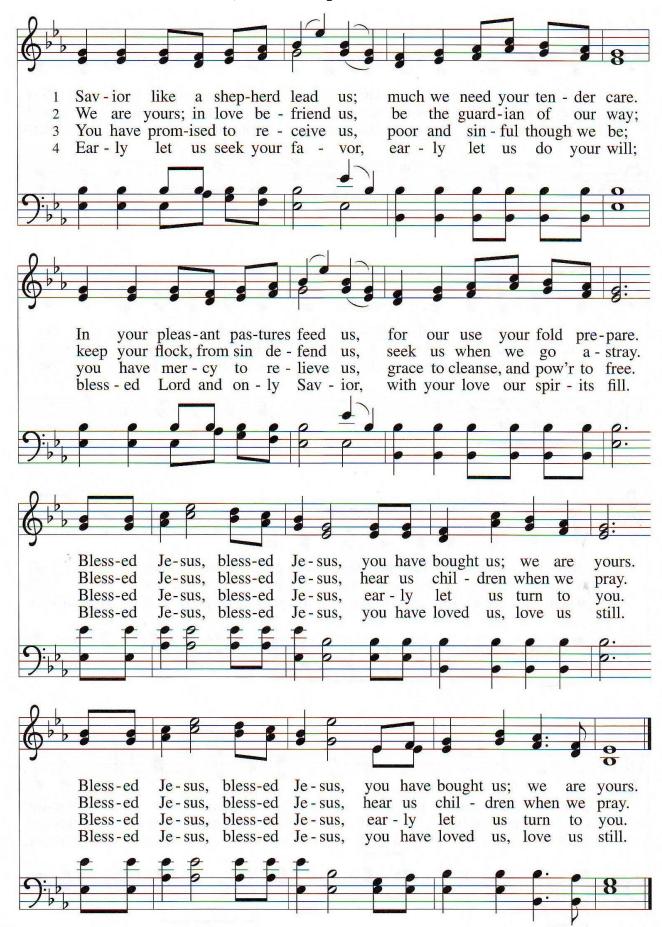
After the reading of the Gospel:

- P. The Gospel of the Lord"
- C. Praise to you O Christ.

SERMON: "Name That Tune!"

Pastor Larry Isbell

HYMN OF THE DAY: "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"



APOSTLES' CREED:

C: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended into hell.

On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven,

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen

CHOIR ANTHEM: "The Lord's my Shepherd" – Bob Chilcott

The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want. He makes me down to lie in pastures green: he leadeth me the quiet waters by, the quiet waters by.

My soul he doth restore again; and me to walk doth make within the pats of righteousness, e'en for his own name's sake, e'en for his own name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through death's dark vale, yet will I fear no ill: for thou art with me and thy rod and staff me comfort still.

My table thou has furnished in presence of my foes; my head thou dost with oil anoint, and my cup overflows, my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life shall surely follow me: and in my Father's heart always my dwelling place shall be, my dwelling place shall be.

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH:

(At the end of each petition, the leader will say "Lord, in your mercy." Feel free to respond with "Hear our prayer.")

P. Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

THE BLESSING OF THE OFFERING

COMMUNION LITURGY

P. In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body given for you.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

THE LORD'S PRAYER:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

HOLY COMMUNION:

All are welcome to receive Holy Communion. We trust and teach the "real presence" of Jesus, in, with, and under the elements of bread and wine.

As you approach the altar rail, please keep a good space between yourself and others. The floor is marked where you may stand or kneel.



POST COMMUNION PRAYER:

P. Let us pray. We give you thanks almighty God that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life. In your mercy, strengthen us through this gift – in faith toward you and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C: Amen

BENEDICTION:

- P. Now may God, who has loved us with a love beyond all telling, send us forth to care for the world around us and to share the good news of that love, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
- C. Amen.

SENDING HYMN: "I Know That My Redeemer Lives!"



8 He lives, all glory to his name! He lives, my Savior, still the same; what joy this blest assurance gives: I know that my Redeemer lives!

DISMISSAL:

- P. Go in peace! Serve the Lord!
- C. Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE: "O Sons and Daughters, Let Us Sing" – L. Trapp

Today's altar flowers are given by Ronito Romel in honor of Ronito and Anitha's birthdays.