

Service for the Lord's Day

Fifth Sunday of Easter - May 10, 2020
Half Past Ten o'clock in the Morning



WE GATHER TOGETHER TO WORSHIP

VOLUNTARY

Variations on THE OLD HUNDREDTH
Maestoso – Con moto – Vivo – Scherzando – Misterioso

Dénis Bedard

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

We gather to worship called by God:
who knows each of us by name,
who restores our souls,
who leads us in the way of righteousness,
and whose goodness and love never stops pursuing us.
Together, let us worship our Good Shepherd.

HYMN

“Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us”

BRADBURY

*Savior, like a shepherd lead us;
much we need your tender care.
In your pleasant pastures feed us;
for our use your fold prepare.*

*Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
you have bought us: we are yours.*

*Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
you have bought us: we are yours.*

*We are yours: in love befriend us;
be the guardian of our way.
Keep your flock: from sin defend us;
seek us when we go astray.
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
hear your children when we pray.
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children when we pray.*

*You have promised to receive us,
poor and sinful though we be;
you have mercy to relieve us,
grace to cleanse, and power to free.*

*Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
early let us turn to you.*

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early let us turn to you.*

*Early let us seek your favor;
early let us do your will.
Blessed Lord and only Savior,
with your love our spirits fill.
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
you have loved us; love us still.
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
you have loved us; love us still*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, we find ourselves lost and wandering in a place we didn't want to go. We look around, seeking a way to save ourselves. In our panic we forget that you are here with us, offering us protection and guidance.

In this unsettling time, we often focus on our own needs, forgetting that we belong to your flock and that so many of your lambs are suffering in ways we cannot understand. They lack a home in which to find shelter; their cupboards are bare; the threat of danger lurks around every corner.

Forgive us; help us remember and claim the promises of resurrection life for ourselves and for our fellow sheep so that together, we may travel through this dark valley and find green pastures and still waters. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Friends, God's goodness and mercy follow us all the days of our lives. Our shepherd forgives our wandering ways and calls us back into the flock. Thanks be to God!

GLORIA PATRI

GREATOREX

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.*

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD PROCLAIMED

A TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

Rev. Bob Scott

SCRIPTURE LESSON - John 10:1-10

“Very truly, I tell you, anyone who does not enter the sheepfold by the gate but climbs in by another way is a thief and a bandit. The one who enters by the gate is the shepherd of the sheep. The gatekeeper opens the gate for him, and the sheep hear his voice. He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. When he has brought out all his own, he goes ahead of them, and the sheep follow him because they know his voice. They will not follow a stranger, but they will run from him because they do not know the voice of strangers.” Jesus used this figure of speech with them, but they did not understand what he was saying to them.

So again, Jesus said to them, “Very truly, I tell you, I am the gate for the sheep. All who came before me are thieves and bandits; but the sheep did not listen to them. I am the gate. Whoever enters by me will be saved and will come in and go out and find pasture. The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly.

THE WORD PROCLAIMED

Abundance Reevaluated

Rev. Dr. Dawn Haeger

WE RESPOND TO WHAT WE HAVE HEARD

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN RECOGNITION OF A WOMAN OF FAITH

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OUR LORD’S PRAYER *(Collectively)*

**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 debts, as we forgive our debtors;

and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND OURSELVES

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OFFERTORY ANTHEM

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy

DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures high and low. Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise God, in Jesus fully known:
Creator, Word, and Spirit one. Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

WE GO FORTH IN LOVE AND PEACE TO SERVE

HYMN

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

SAINT COLUMBIA

*The King of love my shepherd is,
whose goodness faileth never;
I nothing lack if I am his
and he is mine forever.*

*Where streams of living water flow
my ransomed soul he leadeth,
and where the verdant pastures grow,
with food celestial feedeth.*

*Perverse and foolish oft I strayed,
but yet in love he sought me,
and on his shoulder gently laid,
and home, rejoicing, brought me.*

*In death's dark vale I fear no ill
with thee, dear Lord, beside me;
thy rod and staff my comfort still,
thy cross before to guide me.*

*Thou spread'st a table in my sight;
thy unction grace bestoweth;
and O what transport of delight
from thy pure chalice floweth!*

*And so through all the length of days
thy goodness faileth never;
Good Shepherd, may I sing thy
praise within thy house forever.*

INVITATION AND BLESSING

VOLUNTARY

Variations on THE OLD HUNDREDTH – Allegro molto

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Assisting in the leadership of worship are
Rev. Bob Scott, Senior Pastor; Rev. Dr. Dawn M. Haeger, Associate Pastor;
Rebecca Anderson-Futral and Beth Daniels, Soprano Soloists;
Timothy Belk, Director of Music Ministries.

Choristers

Rebecca Futral-Anderson, Soprano
Beth Daniels, Soprano
Krysten Richards, Alto

Keith McMullen, Tenor
Kevin Nickorick, Tenor
Chris Lewis, Bass

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