



## *Clover Hill Reformed Church*

April 14, 2024 10:00am  
Third Sunday of Easter

Offering plates are located at the entrances to the sanctuary.  
\*All who are able, please stand where indicated.

*Before worship, speak with God.  
During worship allow God to speak with you.  
After worship speak with your neighbor.*

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### Approach to the Word

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Behold the Lamb

Martin Willett

\*Call to Worship

We are thankful for the gift of this day, a new day.

**WE ARE BLESSED IN THIS BEAUTIFUL SPACE WITH WARM HEARTS THAT GREET US.**

We come yearning to hear the Good News of Christ.

**WE LIFT UP OUR SONGS AND PRAYERS TO OFFER GOD OUR PRAISE.**

We are grateful for all the blessings in our lives and in our world.

**FOR WE ARE CHILDREN OF GOD WITH HOPE FOR TODAY AND ALL THE TOMORROWS  
LET US WORSHIP GOD!**

\*Opening Hymn # 142

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

Prayer of Confession

**GRACIOUS GOD, WE CONFESS AND ACKNOWLEDGE THAT WE ARE SINNERS. WE ARE PRONE TO EVIL AND SLOTHFUL IN OUR ATTEMPTS TO ACCOMPLISHING GOOD. ALL OUR SHORTCOMINGS AND OFFENSES WEIGH HEAVY ON OUR HEARTS. YOU ALONE KNOW HOW OFTEN WE SIN AND ALL THE TIMES WE HAVE WANDERED FROM YOUR WAYS. WE OFTEN WASTE YOUR GIFTS AND FORGET YOUR LOVE. O LORD, HAVE MERCY ON US, FOR WE ARE ASHAMED OF HOW WE HAVE DISPLEASED YOU. TEACH US TO HATE OUR ERRORS AND CLEANSE US FROM OUR SECRET FAULTS. FORGIVE OUR SINS AND EMPOWER US TO LIVE IN YOUR LIGHT AND WALK IN YOUR WAYS. IN THE NAME OF CHRIST, OUR LORD, WE PRAY. AMEN.**

Song of Response

Kyrie

**LORD HAVE MERCY UPON US.  
CHRIST HAVE MERCY UPON US.  
LORD HAVE MERCY UPON US.**

## Assurance of Pardon

With Christ, in Christ, and through Christ there's always hope –

**FOR IF THE GRAVE CANNOT HOLD HIM AND DEATH CANNOT DEFEAT HIM, NOTHING IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR HIM**

This same Christ, who offers His sure and certain hope to you and me, is with us in this place today; and He'll be with us everywhere and always.

**THIS IS THE GOOD NEWS! WE ARE FORGIVEN IN CHRIST, ALLELUIA! AMEN**

## The Law (Luke 10:27)

He answered,

**“YOU SHALL LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART  
AND WITH ALL YOUR SOUL  
AND WITH ALL YOUR STRENGTH  
AND WITH ALL YOUR MIND  
AND YOUR NEIGHBOR AS YOURSELF.”**

## \*Song of Response

Gloria Patri

**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.**

## Word of God

Children's Sermon

Choir Anthem

This Day Was Made by the Lord

Christopher Walker

Scripture Reading

Psalm 46:1-11

Genesis 7:11-19

George Farrell

Sermon

“41 is Coming – Noah”

## Response to the Word

\*Affirmation of Faith Heidelberg Catechism, 4.001

Let us stand then and affirm our faith together.

**ONLY OUR COMFORT, IN LIFE AND DEATH, IS THAT WE BELONG- BODY AND SOUL, IN LIFE AND IN DEATH – NOT TO OURSELVES BUT TO OUR FAITHFUL SAVIOR, JESUS CHRIST. WHO AT THE COST OF HIS OWN BLOOD, HAS FULLY PAID FOR ALL OUR SINS AND HAS COMPLETELY FREED US FROM THE DOMINION OF THE DEVIL. HE PROTECTS US SO WELL THAT WITHOUT THE WILL OF OUR FATHER IN HEAVEN, NOT A HAIR CAN FALL FROM OUR HEADS. INDEED, THAT EVERYTHING MUST FIT HIS PURPOSE FOR OUR SALVATION. THEREFORE, BY HIS HOLY SPIRIT, HE ALSO ASSURES US OF ETERNAL LIFE, AND MAKES US WHOLEHEARTEDLY WILLING AND READY FROM NOW ON TO LIVE FOR HIM.**

\*Hymn # 316

Breath on Me, Breath of God  
(verses 1-3, Repeat versus 1 & 2)

Giving of our gifts and ourselves in service

*Although we do not pass the plate during worship, let us take a moment to remember the tremendous blessings of God in our lives. In response, let us offer ourselves anew to God's kingdom. (There are offering plates as you leave worship for you to leave your gifts.)*

Prayers of the People

*What joys and concerns shall we share with one another?*

*Hold Silence for those prayers that remain on our hearts and in our minds.*

We hold before you,

Those who are hurting...

Those who are healing...

Those who are grieving...

Those who need guidance...

Those who are grateful...

We pray this in the name of the one who taught us to pray,

**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.**

\*Doxology #591

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

**PRAISE GOD FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW;**

**PRAISE CHRIST, ALL PEOPLE HERE BELOW;**

**PRAISE HOLY SPIRIT EVERMORE;**

**PRAISE TRIUNE GOD, WHOM WE ADORE. AMEN.**

Dispersion to Serve God

\*Closing Hymn # 379

My Hope Is Build on Nothing Less

\*Benediction

\*Passing the Peace

Make sure to celebrate the peace that has been created in our gathering  
by greeting one another.

\*Postlude

Amén. El Cuerpo de Cristo

John Schiavone