

Clover Hill Reformed Church

April 28, 2024 10:00am Fifth 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.

Approach to the Word

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Bread of Life

Bernadette Farrell

*Call to Worship

God is with his people. He dwells in their midst.

Listen and hear him speak.

OUR HEARTS LONG FOR HIS WORD. WE WAIT UPON THE LORD SO THAT WE MAY RENEW OUR STRENGTH

God is our help and our support. His spirit moves among us to lead us in holiness and righteousness all our days. **WITH JOYFUL HEARTS WE SING GOD'S PRAISE.**

WITH REJOICING WE CALL UPON HIM

The Lord is our hope and our salvation.

LET US WORSHIP GOD

*Opening Hymn # 267

Prayer of Confession

OH GOD OF EVERLASTING LOVE, WE CONFESS THAT WE HAVE BEEN UNFAITHFUL. WE HAVE SINNED AGAINST YOU AND ONE ANOTHER. WE WORSHIP OTHER GODS SUCH AS MONEY, POWER, GREED, AND CONVENIENCE. WE SERVE OUR OWN INTEREST INSTEAD OF SERVING YOU. WE DO NOT LOVE OUR NEIGHBOR AS YOU COMMAND. AND WE HAVE NOT RIGHTLY LOVED OURSELVES. FORGIVE US, GRACIOUS GOD, AND EMPOWER US TO DO YOUR WILL AND FOLLOW IN YOUR WAYS. THROUGH CHRIST, OUR LORD, AMEN.

Song of Response

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

All Things Bright and Beautiful

<u>Kyrie</u>

Assurance of Pardon Rejoice and be glad! Our God is full of mercy. **OUR GOD IS SLOW TO ANGER AND ABOUNDING IN STEADFAST LOVE.** Let us dare to believe in the gift of a new beginning and be at peace. My friends, hear the Good News, in Jesus Christ we are Forgiven. 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

<u>Gloria Patri</u>

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

In This Place

Children's Sermon Choir Anthem Scripture Readings Psalm 37:1-9, Exodus 34:10-14, 27-28 Sermon

Trevor Thomson Lori Voorhees

"41 is Coming – Moses"

The Apostle's Creed

Response to the Word

*Affirmation of Faith

Let us stand then and affirm our faith together.

I BELIEVE IN GOD THE FATHER ALMIGHTY, MAKER OF HEAVEN AND EARTH, AND IN JESUS CHRIST HIS ONLY SON OUR LORD; WHO WAS CONCEIVED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT, BORN OF THE VIRGIN MARY, SUFFERED UNDER PONTIOUS PILATE, WAS CRUCIFIED, DEAD AND BURIED; HE DESCENDED INTO HELL; THE THIRD DAY HE ROSE AGAIN FROM THE DEAD; HE ASCENDED INTO HEAVEN, AND SITTETH ON THE RIGHT HAND OF GOD THE FATHER ALMIGHTY; FROM THENCE HE SHALL COME TO JUDGE THE QUICK AND THE DEAD. I BELIEVE IN THE HOLY GHOST, THE HOLY CATHOLIC CHURCH; THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS; THE FORGIVENESS OF SINS; THE RESURRECTION OF THE BODY; AND THE LIFE EVERLASTING. AMEN.

*Hymn

Have Thine Own Way, Lord!



Text: Adelaide A. Pollard, 1862–1934 Tune: ADELAIDE, 5 4 5 4 D; George C. Stebbins, 1846–1945

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 # 276 *Benediction *Passing the Peace

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

*Postlude

Take the Word of God With You

Christopher Walker

Great is Thy Faithfulness

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