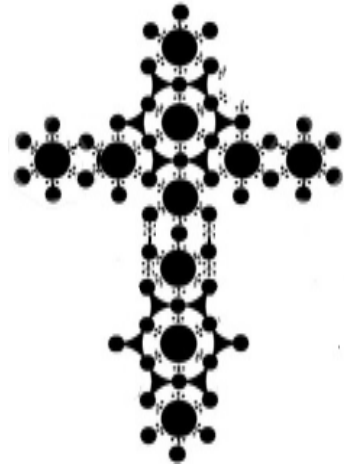


# The Fifth Sunday of Easter

May 19, 2019

10:00 AM Service

Holy Communion



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## WELCOME TO GOOD SHEPHERD

**If you are new** to our congregation, please let us know by getting a name tag at the Welcome Center outside and completing a newcomer card, found either at the Welcome enter or in the pew rack in front of you.

**Childcare is available:** During the service, infants to age 5 are welcome in the Nursery, located on the first floor of the education wing, accessed through the double doors next to the elevator.

We have **gluten-free wafers** available: Please make your request known at the altar rail.

**Restrooms are located** to the right as you go through the arch off the breezeway.

**Following the service** we welcome everyone for coffee and refreshments in Kirk Hall, located on the first floor. Turn right after passing through the arch off the passageway between the buildings.

A gentle reminder: As a courtesy during the church service, please be sure to turn your **cell phone off** or put it on the vibrate setting.

**If you read music**, the music for the hymns may be found in our blue Hymnal [located in the pew rack.] All service music marked "S" is found in the front section of The Hymnal.

## GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

*[During the Prelude, please prepare for worship by observing attentive silence.]*

### PRELUDE

*Beautiful Savior*

Michael Hassell

*[Please stand when the chimes sound.]*

Symbols in the Bulletin: **P** Priest, **D** Deacon, **C** Congregation, **L** Leader, **All** Everyone.

### GATHERING HYMN

*Glorious Things of Thee are Spoken*

522, vs. 1,2

*[Please stand.]*

**C** *Glorious things of thee are spoken, Zion, city of our God;  
he whose word cannot be broken formed thee for his own abode;  
on the Rock of Ages founded, what can shake thy sure repose?  
With salvation's walls surrounded, thou may'st smile at all thy foes.*

*See! the streams of living waters, springing from eternal love,  
well supply thy sons and daughters and all fear of want remove.  
Who can faint, when such a river ever will their thirst assuage?  
Grace which, like the Lord, the giver never fails from age to age.*

### WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND MISSION MOMENT

*[Please be seated.]*

### EASTER ACCLAMATION

*[Please stand.]*

**P** Alleluia! Christ is risen!  
**C** **The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

### GATHERING PRAYER

**P** We gather in the name of our Easter God:  
**C** **Our Risen Lord transforms darkness into light, hatred into tolerance,  
despair into hope.**

**P** We rejoice in the power of our Easter God:  
**C** **Our Father's love redeems every Good Friday nightmare into the promise  
of eternal life.**

**P** We embrace the purposes of our Easter God:  
**C** **The Holy Spirit challenges us to leave tomb-like safety and invites us to live  
our faith boldly.**

**P** We are Easter people:  
**C** **We are a sign that indeed miracles happen, and that with God,  
all things are possible.**

**AD** *When morning gilds the skies, my heart, awaking, cries,  
may Jesus Christ be praised!  
When evening shadows fall, this rings my curfew call,  
may Jesus Christ be praised!*

*When mirth for music longs, this is my song of songs:  
may Jesus Christ be praised!  
God's holy house of prayer hath none that can compare  
with: Jesus Christ be praised!*

*Ye nations of mankind, in this your concord find:  
may Jesus Christ be praised!  
Let all the earth around ring joyous with the sound:  
may Jesus Christ be praised!*

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** **And also with you.**

**P** Let us pray... O Lord God, you teach us that without love, our actions gain nothing. Pour into our hearts your most excellent gift of love, that, made alive by your Spirit, we may know goodness and peace, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** **Amen.**

## WORD OF GOD

**THE READINGS:** Jeremiah 3:16–17 • Psalm 148 • Revelation 21:1–6 • John 13:31–35

*[Please be seated.]*

The First Reading:

**L** *The First Reading is taken from Jeremiah, chapter 3...*

And in those days, when your numbers have greatly increased in the land, declares the Lord, people will no longer talk about the Lord's covenant chest; they won't recall or remember it; they won't even miss it or try to build another one. At that time, they will call Jerusalem the Lord's throne, and all nations will gather there to honor the Lord's name. No longer will they follow their own willful and evil hearts.

**L** The Word of the Lord.

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

Metrical Psalm 148: [Tune: O, For a Thousand Tongues]

**Hallelujah! Give praise to God From heaven and in the heights;  
Praise God all angels, sun, and moon, Give praise, you shining lights.**

**Praise God, high heavens and floods above, Yes, let them praise God's Name;  
You, Lord, commanded by your word; You spoke and forth they came.**

**You gave them being, they stand fast In your eternal sway;  
For you have given them a law, Which shall not pass away.**

**God's splendor spans all earth and heaven, All those who come to dwell  
With God receive both strength and praise: God's people Israel.**

The Second Reading:

Ⓛ The Second Reading is taken from Revelation, chapter 21...

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the former heaven and the former earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. I saw the holy city, New Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, made ready as a bride beautifully dressed for her husband. I heard a loud voice from the throne say, "Look! God's dwelling is here with humankind. He will dwell with them, and they will be his peoples. God himself will be with them as their God. He will wipe away every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more. There will be no mourning, crying, or pain anymore, for the former things have passed away." Then the one seated on the throne said, "Look! I'm making all things new." He also said, "Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true." Then he said to me, "All is done. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will freely give water from the life-giving spring.

Ⓛ The Word of the Lord.

ⓐ **Thanks be to God.**

**ACCLAMATION**

[Please stand.]

*Celtic Alleluia*

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Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

The Gospel:

Ⓓ The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

🔊 **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Ⓓ When Judas was gone, Jesus said, “Now the Human One has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify the Human One in himself and will glorify him immediately. Little children, I’m with you for a little while longer. You will look for me—but, just as I told the Jewish leaders, I also tell you now—‘Where I’m going, you can’t come.’

“I give you a new commandment: Love each other. Just as I have loved you, so you also must love each other. This is how everyone will know that you are my disciples, when you love each other.”

Ⓓ The Gospel of the Lord.

🔊 **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

SERMON

Becky Robbins-Penniman

*[Please be seated.]*

SERMON HYMN

*We Are One in the Spirit*

🔊 **We are one in the Spirit; we are one in the Lord;  
we are one in the Spirit; we are one in the Lord,  
and we pray that all unity may one day be restored:**

Refrain **And they’ll know we are Christians by our love, by our love;  
yes, they’ll know we are Christians by our love.**

**We will walk with each other; we will walk hand in hand;  
we will walk with each other; we will walk hand in hand,  
and together we’ll spread the news that God is in our land:** Refrain

**We will work with each other; we will work side by side;  
we will work with each other; we will work side by side,  
and we’ll guard human dignity and save human pride:** Refrain

**All praise to the Father, from whom all things come,  
and all praise to Christ Jesus, God’s only Son,  
and all praise to the Spirit, who makes us one:** Refrain

## THE NICENE CREED

*[Please stand.]*

- AI** We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*[Please stand, kneel, or sit, as you choose.]*

- D** Rejoicing in the mighty acts of God who has delivered all people from sin and death through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, let us lift our voices and pray.
- L** Risen Lord, we pray for your Church, that it may continue your work of reconciling all people to God; for our clergy and our bishops; for the many lay people who serve the church and serve others through the church.
- G** **We pray for all gathered here in worship and prayer, here and around the world.**
- L** Risen Lord, we pray that the joy of Easter may ever grow within us and the nations and peoples of the world, that the powers that oppress and destroy may cease.
- G** **We pray that a passion for justice, peace, and the common good will fill each of our hearts, and for the Spirit to guide us in lives of active faith.**
- L** Risen Lord, we pray for those who are sick, those who suffer, and those who struggle, [especially for... *add names from notebook*]. Please add the names of those on your heart, either silently or aloud. [*Leave time...*] Comfort, restore and heal them.
- G** **We pray that the troubles facing us will teach us that we endure nothing alone, but that you are always present, creating, redeeming and sustaining us every step of our journey through life.**

℣ Risen Lord, we give thanks for the multitude of gifts you shower upon us, for the beauty of this home you have created for us, and especially for the flowers given today to your glory in loving memory of Mike Slama by his family, and for the blessings of this life, [especially... *read items from notebook.*] Grant us a sense of joy and wonder in all your works.

☞ **We give thanks for our lives and the lives of our families, friends, and neighbors near and far, and praise you for your mercy and care for us.**

℣ Risen Lord, we pray for those who have died, [especially for... *add names from notebook*]. Please add the names of those on your heart, silently or aloud. [*Leave time ...*] May the hope born of Easter give both them and us peace, acceptance and renewal.

☞ **Heavenly Father, grant that all who now celebrate these joyful holy days here on earth may praise you forever, with all the angels and saints in heaven. We ask this through your risen Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

#### PRAYERS AND BLESSINGS

[Those celebrating birthdays, anniversaries or special occasions may receive an individual blessing.]

#### THE GREETING OF PEACE

[*Please stand.*]

℣ The peace of the Lord be always with you.

☞ **And also with you.** (*All may greet one another in the name of the Lord.*)

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

#### OFFERTORY SENTENCE

℣ Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, the power, the glory, the victory, and the majesty. For everything in heaven and on earth is yours. Yours, O Lord, is the kingdom, and you are exalted as head over all. Bring your tithes, gifts and offerings with a heart full of gladness.

#### OFFERTORY

*O God, Eternal Source of Love*

Bach/Johnson

[*Please be seated.*]

#### PRESENTATION

[*Please stand when the plates are given to the Deacon.*]

℣ We gladly present the fruits of our lives to the God who creates us, redeems us and sustains us. May we have the grace to use them to heal God's world.

#### PRESENTATION HYMN

*Praise God, From Whom*

380, vs. 3

℣ ***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.***

**EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER** [Enriching Our Worship 1]

**P** The Lord be with you.

**G** **And also with you.**

**P** Lift up your hearts.

**G** **We lift them to the Lord.**

**P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**G** **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

**P** It is truly right, and good and joyful, to give you thanks, all-holy God, source of life and fountain of mercy. You have filled us and all creation with your blessing and fed us with your constant love; you have redeemed us in Jesus Christ and knit us into one body. Through your Spirit you replenish us and call us to fullness of life. We praise you for the glorious resurrection of our Savior Jesus Christ, the true Paschal Lamb who gave himself to take away our sin, who in dying has destroyed death, and in rising has brought us to eternal life. And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with earth and sea and all their creatures, and with Angels and Archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we lift our voices with all creation as we sing:

**SANCTUS**

*Holy, Holy, Holy Lord*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.**

*[Please stand or kneel, as you choose.]*

**P** Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love. You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace. But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love.

Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people. Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."



- Ⓐ As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

- Ⓐ **Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

**Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever.**

- Ⓐ Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever.

#### CELTIC AMEN

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- Ⓐ And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

#### 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, for ever and ever. Amen.**

#### THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

- Ⓐ Alleluia. God of promise, you have prepared a banquet for us.

- Ⓒ **We come with joy to the Supper of the Lamb of God. Alleluia.**

- Ⓐ The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

[You may be seated. All are welcome at the Lord's Table. Please follow the directions of the usher, who will let you know when it's your turn to go to the altar rail. You may stand or kneel. To receive, hold your hands in front of you, one palm over the other. The priest will place a wafer there. You may either consume it immediately, and then sip from the cup of wine when it comes to you, or, you may wait and dip the wafer into the wine. When you are finished, please return to your seat by the side aisle.]

**Our Prayer Team will be in the south narthex (at the back of the church) during Holy Communion to pray with you for healing, guidance, a loved one, or anything else on your heart.**

**HYMN**

*Panis Angelicus*

César Franck

[Please remain seated.]

Judy Warner and Robert Moncrief

*"Bread of the angels given for mortals in earthly form. O how miraculous, God's gift.  
The poor and the lowly may feed upon the Body of Christ."*

**CHANT**

*Where True Charity and Love Abide*

[Please repeat this chant until the musician stops playing the tune.]

**☩ Where true charity and love abide, God is dwelling there; God is dwelling there.**

**POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

[Please stand or kneel, as you choose.]

**P** Let us pray...

**☩ God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.**

**THE BLESSING**

[Please stand.]

**P** The God who is creating a new heaven and a new earth, who walks where least expected, who disturbs the comfortable and comforts the distressed, and whom death could not control, now sends you out to announce with your lives that the Lord is risen indeed. Go, you are blessed in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**☩ Amen.**

**SENDING HYMN**

*In Christ there Is No East or West*

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**AD** *In Christ there is no East or West, in him no South or North,  
but one great fellowship of love throughout the whole wide earth.*

**Join hands, disciples of the faith, whate'er your race may be!  
Who serves my Father as his child is surely kin to me.**

**In Christ now meet both East and West, in him meet South and North,  
all Christly souls are one in him, throughout the whole wide earth.**

## THE DISMISSAL

☞ Alleluia, alleluia! Go in peace to love and serve our Risen Lord!

☞ **Thanks be to God! Alleluia, alleluia!**

## POSTLUDE

*Epilogue*

N. Gilbert

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