



## The Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 21st, 2024

10:00 am



*Good Shepherd* (2019), Kelly Latimore

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Please stand to sing as you are able

Opening Hymn

*Love divine, all loves excelling*

The Hymnal 1982, #657

1 Love di - vine, all loves ex - cell - ing, joy of heaven, to  
2 Come, al - might - y to de - liv - er, let us all thy  
3 Fi - nish then thy new cre - a - tion; pure and spot - less

earth come down, fix in us thy hum - ble dwell - ing, all thy  
life re - ceive; sud - den - ly re - turn, and nev - er, nev - er -  
let us be; let us see thy great sal - va - tion per - fect -

faith - ful mer - cies crown. Je - sus, thou art all com - pas - sion,  
more thy tem - ples leave. Thee we would be al - way bless - ing,  
ly re - stored in thee: changed from glo - ry in - to glo - ry,

pure, un - bound - ed love thou art; vis - it us with  
serve thee as thy hosts a - bove, pray, and praise thee  
till in heaven we take our place, till we cast our

thy sal - va - tion, en - ter ev - ery trem - bling heart.  
 with - out ceas - ing, glo - ry in thy per - fect love.  
 crowns be - fore thee, lost in won - der, love, and praise.

Words: Charles Wesley (1707-1788). Music: *Hyfrydol*, Rowland Hugh Prichard (1811-1887).

## The Easter Acclamation

*Presider* Alleluia. Christ is risen.

*People* **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

## Opening Prayer

O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

*Please be seated*

*Children of all ages are invited to the steps of the sanctuary to be sent on their way for Godly Play.*

*Deacon or Priest*

May you be deeply rooted and grounded in the Love of the God who made you and adores you.

*People* **May you understand how much this community values you and delights in you.**

*All* **And may you discover ways that you can be a force for Love in this world.  
Amen**

## The Liturgy of the Word

### The First Reading

Acts 4:5-12

*Reader* A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

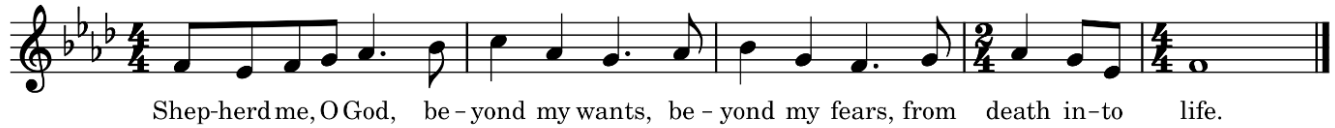
*After the reading*

*Reader* Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

## Psalm 23

### *Refrain*



### *Prayed responsively by whole verse*

- 1 The LORD is my shepherd; \*  
I shall not be in want.
- 2 **He makes me lie down in green pastures \***  
**and leads me beside still waters. *Refrain***
- 3 He revives my soul \*  
and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.
- 4 **Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,**  
**I shall fear no evil; \***  
**for you are with me;**  
**your rod and your staff, they comfort me. *Refrain***
- 5 You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; \*  
you have anointed my head with oil,  
and my cup is running over.
- 6 **Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, \***  
**and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever. *Refrain***

## The Second Reading

I John 3:16-24

*Reader* A reading from the First Letter of John.

### *After the reading*

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

***People*** **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand to sing as you are able

Gospel Hymn

Savior, like a shepherd lead us

The Hymnal 1982, #708

1 Sa - vior, like a shep - herd lead us; much we need thy  
2 Ear - ly let us seek thy fa - vor, ear - ly let us

ten - der care; in thy plea - sant pas - tures feed us;  
learn thy will; do thou, Lord, our on - ly Sa - vior,

for our use thy folds pre - pare. Bless - ed Je - sus!  
with thy love our bos - oms fill. Bless - ed Je - sus!

Bless - ed Je - sus! Thou hast bought us, thine we are.  
Bless - ed Je - sus! Thou hast loved us: love us still.

Words: *Hymns for the Young*, ca. 1830, alt. Music: *Sicilian Mariners*, Sicilian melody, from *The European Magazine and London Review*, 1792.

## **The Gospel**

John 10:11-18

*The Deacon or Presider*

The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Luke.

**People**

**Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

*After the reading*

*The Deacon or Presider*

The Gospel of the Lord.

**People**

**Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

## **Sermon by Rev. Dennis j. Sagun Parker**

*Please stand as you are able*

## **The Nicene Creed**

*Presider and People*

**We believe in one God, Almighty Creator,  
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

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

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, our Guide and giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Creator.  
With Creator and Christ, She is worshiped and glorified.  
She 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

by the Rev. Dcn. Tracy LeBlanc

*Deacon* Let us join together in praying for the church, the world, and the needs of our own hearts.

*Leader:* For all people in this world who seek to understand and follow the Resurrected Christ and for us as we seek to live out our faith:

*All* **Let Love be our guide,  
mercy the path at our feet,  
truth the melody in our ears,  
compassion and justice the work of our hands,  
and resurrection the song on our lips: Alleluia!**

*Leader* For the fallible and imperfect systems of government, economics and policy in our country. For the people who work to better them and people impacted by their brokenness:

*All* **Let Love be our guide, alleluia!**

*Leader* For all people in positions of power and leadership in the church, our city, our nation and in the world:

*All* **Let Love be their guide, alleluia!**

*Leader* For this beautiful and broken world - that holds war, poverty, climate change and oppression in one hand and joy, connection and laughter in the other – and for us as we seek to be voices of hope in it:

*All* **Let Love be our guide, alleluia!**

*Leader* For all whose lives are torn with suffering born of addiction, mental and physical illness, loss, unemployment or strife. For those who seek to be people of resilience or companions with others in this journey:

*All* **Let Love be our guide, alleluia!**

*Leader* For us as we encounter injustice, indifference, anger, hopelessness, or any situation in which we might forget who we are:

*All* **Let Love be our guide, alleluia!**

*Leader* For those who have died and those who mourn:

*All* **Let Love be our guide, alleluia!**

*Leader* For the concerns and needs of this parish spoken silently or aloud:

*(People are invited to voice prayers at this time)*

*Leader*  
*All*

And for each of our daily lives:  
**Let Love be our guide,  
mercy the path at our feet,  
truth the melody in our ears,  
compassion and justice the work of our hands,  
and resurrection the song on our lips: Alleluia!**

*Presider*

O Lord our God, accept the fervent prayers of your people; in the multitude of your mercies, look with compassion upon us and all who turn to you for help; for you are gracious, O lover of souls, and to you we give glory, Creator, Redeemer, and Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

### **The Peace**

*Presider*

The Peace of Christ be always with you.

*People*

**And also with you.**

*Please greet those around you with a sign of God's peace!*







Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and

might, Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord,

God of power and might, hea - ven and earth are

full, full of your glo - ry. Ho -

san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na

in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes

in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na

in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The image shows a three-system musical score for a choir. Each system consists of a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The music is in a minor key with a 3/4 time signature. The lyrics are: 'in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.' The score includes various musical notations such as notes, rests, and dynamic markings.

Music: From *Deutsche Messe*, Franz Peter Schubert (1797-1828); arr. Richard Proulx (b. 1937). Copyright © 1985 GIA Publications, Inc.

*The Presider continues ...*

We acclaim you, holy God, glorious in power. ... Recalling Christ's death and Christ's descent among the dead, proclaiming Christ's resurrection and ascension to your right hand, awaiting Christ's coming in glory; and offering to you, from the gifts you have given us, this bread and this cup, we praise you and we bless you.

*Presider and People*

**We praise you, we bless you,  
we give thanks to you,  
and we pray to you, Lord our God.**

*The Presider continues ...*

God, we pray that in your goodness and mercy your Holy Spirit may descend upon us, and upon these gifts, sanctifying them and showing them to be holy gifts for your holy people, the bread of life and the cup of salvation, the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ. ... Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, all honor and glory are yours, Almighty God and Creator, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, for ever and for ever. **Amen.**

### **The Lord's Prayer**

Book of Common Prayer, p. 364

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

**Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your Name,  
your kingdom come  
your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins,  
as we forgive those  
who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial,  
and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours,  
now and for ever. Amen.**

### **The Breaking of the Bread**

*The Presider breaks the consecrated Bread.*

*Presider* Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

***People* Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

*The People receive Communion.*

*The Bread is gluten free, nut free, and dairy free. Both wine and juice are available at the rail; when presented with the cup, please let the Minister know if you prefer juice. If you are unable to ascend the steps to the rail, Ministers will be available to bring the elements out to you; please let an usher know. All are welcome to partake.*

Communion Hymn

*I come with joy to meet my Lord*

The Hymnal 1982, #304

*Unison or harmony*

1 I come with joy to meet my Lord, for -  
 2 I come with Chris - tians far and near to  
 3 As Christ breaks bread and bids us share, each  
 4 And thus with joy we meet our Lord. His  
 5 To - geth - er met, to - geth - er bound, we'll

1 giv - en, loved, and free, in awe and won - der  
 2 find, as all are fed, the new com - mu - ni -  
 3 proud di - vi - sion ends. That love that made us  
 4 pres - ence, al - ways near, is in such friend - ship  
 5 go our dif - ferent ways, and as his peo - ple

1 to re - call his life laid down for me.  
 2 ty of love in Christ's com - mun - ion bread.  
 3 makes us one, and stran - gers now are friends.  
 4 bet - ter known: we see, and praise him here.  
 5 in the world, we'll live and speak his praise.

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*Please stand as you are able*

## The Prayer after Communion

Prayers for an Inclusive Church

**All**      **Risen Christ, whom we have seen with our eyes and touched with our hands, the word of life in whom our joy is complete: Send us out to declare your truth, your unshakeable faith in the world you love. Amen.**

*The Presider gives the Blessing*

## Closing Hymn

*The King of love my shepherd is (vv. 1-3, 6)*

The Hymnal 1982, #645



1 The King of love my shep-herd is, whose good-ness  
2 Where streams of liv-ing wa-ter flow, my ran-somed  
\* 3 Per-verse and fool-ish oft I strayed, but yet in  
\* 4 In death's dark vale I fear no ill with thee, dear  
5 Thou spread'st a ta-ble in my sight; thy unc-tion  
6 And so through all the length of days thy good-ness



1 fail-eth nev-er; I noth-ing lack if  
2 soul he lead-eth, and where the ver-dant  
3 love he sought me, and on his shoul-der  
4 Lord, be-side me; thy rod and staff my  
5 grace be-stow-eth; and oh, what trans-port  
6 fail-eth nev-er: Good Shep-herd, may I



1 I am his, and he is mine for ev-er.  
2 pas-tures grow, with food ce-les-tial feed-eth.  
3 gent-ly laid, and home, re-joic-ing, brought me.  
4 com-fort still, thy cross be-fore to guide me.  
5 of de-light from thy pure chal-ice flow-eth!  
6 sing thy praise with-in thy house for ev-er.

Words: Henry Williams Baker (1821-1877); para. Psalm 23. Music: *St. Columba*, Irish melody, harm. *Hymnal 1982*.

## Dismissal

*Deacon*      ...in this world. Alleluia, Alleluia.

*People*      **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.**

## Serving Today

<b>Preacher and Presider</b>	Rev. Dennis j. Sagun Parker
<b>Deacon</b>	Rev. Tracy LeBlanc
<b>Music</b>	St. David's Choir Josh Hegg, Guest Musician
<b>Readers</b>	Katie Urbani Cheaquetta Johnson
<b>Intercessor</b>	Anne Norloff
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	Madeline Moore
<b>AV Tech</b>	Mary Hultquist
<b>Zoom Host</b>	Mary Hultquist
<b>Vestry on Duty</b>	Mary Hultquist
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Kim Felder Jacqueline Gonnerman
<b>Coffee Hour Lead</b>	Ginny Allen

## This Week

### Sunday

Eucharist: 10 am in the Sanctuary and on Zoom

Childcare (ages 0 - 9): from 9 am - noon

Coffee Hour: Join us after the service for coffee, snacks, and community in the parish hall

Jr. Youth Group (grades 3 - 5): 11:30 am - 12:30 pm in the Fireside Room

Vestry Meeting: 11:45 am - 1 pm in the Grace Room

Taizé: 5 pm in the Sanctuary

### Monday

Weekly garden work party: 5:30 - 7 pm outside the church

### Wednesday

Potluck and Fellowship: 5:30 - 7 pm in the Parish Hall

### Thursday

Morning Prayer: 9 am in the Chapel

Gentle Yoga: 9:45 - 10:45 am in the Chapel

Choir Rehearsal: 6:30 - 7:30 pm in the Sanctuary

### Friday

*Say Their Names:* at noon at church

## Announcements

**Save the Date – Pentecost Chili Cook Off**, Sunday, May 19th, 2024. For more information, contact Cindy Marvin, [99cindywho@gmail.com](mailto:99cindywho@gmail.com)

## Everyone is Invited

**Junior Youth Group** (Grades 3 - 5), First and third Sundays: 11:30 am - 12:30 pm in the Fireside Room – the next meeting is today

**Youth Group** (Grades 6 - 12), Second and fourth Sundays: 11:30 am - 12:30 pm in the Fireside Room – the next meeting is April 28

**St. David's Taizé Service**, Third Sundays: 5 pm in the Sanctuary – the next service is today

## Acts of Service

### Serve During our Liturgies

April 2024

### Family Promise: Help host families in the building.

Email Cass Cole: [cassandracole90@gmail.com](mailto:cassandracole90@gmail.com)

### Hot Meals: Serve a hot lunch every 2nd Saturday.

Signup, or email Kieran Cannistra:

[kieran.cannistra@gmail.com](mailto:kieran.cannistra@gmail.com)

### Brigid's Table: Serve to-go meals every Tuesday.

Email Barbara Brecht: [bbrechtlcs@gmail.com](mailto:bbrechtlcs@gmail.com)

### Hospitality: Help with coffee hour.

Email Cindy Marvin: [99cindywho@gmail.com](mailto:99cindywho@gmail.com)

### AV Team: Help host our hybrid service.

Email Mary Hultquist: [mhultquist@mac.com](mailto:mhultquist@mac.com)

### Lay Eucharistic Ministers

Contact Madeline Moore at 503-502-0405 or speak to Deacon Tracy

### Share with the Community – Announcements

(Due Tuesdays by noon)

### Maintenance Requests – Follow this link

**Lost and Found** – Please check the lost & found box (under the coat rack near the parking lot entrance) for any belongings you may have left behind. Anything unclaimed will be given to charity at the end of each month.



Priest-in-Charge – The Rev. Dennis j. Sagun Parker  
Deacon – The Rev. Dcn. Tracy LeBlanc  
Priest Associate – The Rev. Sara Fischer  
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