

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

*Second Sunday of Easter*

April 28, 2019

Eleven O'Clock

Greeters: Elizabeth Price and Lori Gast  
Liturgist: Julie Ciuro

## PRELUDE:

I. *Jesus Paid it All* - John T. Grape

II. *Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain* - AVE VIRGO VIRGINUM, arr. Gerald Peterson

## CHIMING THE HOUR

**GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS** **Psalm 118 says: This is the Day that the Lord hath made, let us rejoice and be glad in it! Good morning and welcome. It is so nice to see all of you here this morning. Please remember to sign the attendance registers located in each pew. It is time for announcements, does anybody have an announcement they would like to make?**

**Please stand, in body or spirit, and join me in our Call to Worship and remain standing through the response**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP:** (Responsively)

Leader: **O give thanks to the LORD, for He is good,**

People: **for His steadfast love endures forever.**

All: **Let us worship God.**

## \*PRAISE CHORUS:

Hymn No. 305 "*Come Sing, O Church, In Joy!*" vs. 4 DARWELL'S 148TH

**Come sing, O church in joy! Come join, O church in song!**

**For Christ the Lord has triumphed o'er the ages long!**

**In bold accord, come celebrate the journey now and praise the Lord!**

**Please bow your heads for our Opening Prayer**

**\*OPENING PRAYER** **Lord of Creation, we worship You with all our being. It is through Your gifts that we have eternal life in the presence of our God. We glorify Your name, now and forever. Amen.**

**Our first hymn today is:**

**\*HYMN** No. 263

*"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!"*

CORONATION

**\*CALL TO CONFESSION** **If we say we are without sin, we deceive ourselves. Let us confess our sins before Almighty God.**

**Let us pray...**

**\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**Merciful God, hear our cries of repentance and see our faces bowed in shame as we recall things we have done and things we have left undone. We are stubborn people, preferring to rely on our own strength rather than Yours. We believe we can control things around us and fail to acknowledge that You are in control. We view Your greatness as limited to our understanding. Forgive us when we try to put You in a box or mold You, O God, in our own image. Forgive us when we rely on ourselves rather than You in difficult times. We ask these things in the name of Your Son, our redeemer, Jesus Christ. (Please wait about 20 seconds, and then say,) Amen.**

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON** Brothers and sisters in Christ, believe the good news of the Gospel. In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

**\*RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 439 "O My Soul, Bless Your Redeemer" vs. 1 STUTTGART  
Far as east from west is distant, God has put away our sin;  
Like the pity of a father has the Lord's compassion been.

**TIME FOR YOUTH** You may be seated and at this time would our youth please come forward. (If there are no youth (besides the regulars,) then just say "you may be seated.")

**Please bow your heads for our Prayer of Illumination**

**PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION** Lord, give us the ears to hear and the heart to understand Your word for us today. Amen.

**PSALTER LESSON** Our Psalter Lesson comes from Psalm 150 please read it responsively with me.

Leader: **Praise the LORD! Praise God in His sanctuary; praise Him in His mighty firmament!**

People: **Praise Him for His mighty deeds; praise Him according to His surpassing greatness!**

Leader: **Praise Him with trumpet sound; praise Him with the lute and harp!**

People: **Praise Him with tambourine and dance; praise Him with strings and pipe!**

Leader: **Praise Him with clanging cymbals; praise Him with loud clashing cymbals!**

People: **Let everything that breathes praise the LORD! Praise the LORD!**

Leader: **The Word of the Lord.**

People: **Thanks be to God!**

**NEW TESTAMENT LESSON** Our New Testament Lesson comes from Revelation 1:4-8, you may follow along in your Pew Bibles on Page 245

**Our choir will now sing the Anthem:**

**ANTHEM:** *Rejoice! He is Alive* - Jean Anne Shafferman/Patti Brennan  
(There is an insert in your bulletin's to sing part of today's Anthem!)

**GOSPEL LESSON** Our Gospel Lesson comes from John 20:19-31, you may follow along in your Pew Bibles on Page 115

**SERMON**

Rev. Janet Boyanton

**Those who are able, please stand and join with me in singing:**

**\*HYMN** No. 286 "Breathe on Me, Breath of God" TRENTHAM

**Please join me in Affirmation of Faith as it is printed in your bulletin.**

**\*AFFIRMATION** The Apostles' Creed (Traditional)

**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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius 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.**

**\*RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 581 "Glory Be to the Father" 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.**

**You may be seated. It is now time for our Prayer Concerns and Celebrations. Does anybody have anything they would like to share?**

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNITY Prayer concerns and celebrations

## **PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

### **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 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

**OFFERTORY:** *Amazing Grace (How Sweet the Sound)*

- NEW BRITAIN / OMBRA MAI FU, arr. Matthew McConnell

**\*RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 606 *"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"*

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. Amen.

**Please join me in our prayer of Thanksgiving**

### **\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

God, who provides us with all we need, we come before You as Easter people. We remember anew the greatest gift we have been given, our salvation. We rejoice on Easter, help us to rejoice the rest of the year also. Amen.

**Our last Hymn today is:**

**\*HYMN No. 233**

*"The Day of Resurrection"*

ST. KEVIN

### **\*BENEDICTION**

**\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 611

"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" vs. 3 HYMN TO JOY

Mortals, join the happy chorus which the morning stars began.  
Love divine is reigning o'er us, joining all in heaven's plan.  
Ever singing, march we onward, victors in the midst of strife.  
Joyful music leads us sunward in the triumph song of life.

### **\*PASSING OF THE PEACE**

**\*POSTLUDE:** *Psalm of Glory* - Lani Smith

**\*Those who are able may stand.**

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*Please join us for coffee and refreshments  
Following the Worship Service*

# Daily Bread

Supplement

DeSoto Presbyterian Church [www.desotopresbyterian.org](http://www.desotopresbyterian.org)

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## **CLOTHES FOR THE NEEDY**

Our thoughts are with the homeless, so we are collecting clothing for the needy. Especially needed are men's clothing, and socks in dark colors in all sizes. Please bring these items to the church and place them in the laundry basket located in the opportunity corner.

Thank you, Faith in Action

## **BRING IN BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION!**

It's easy to find BOX TOPS, you may have some in your home right now. You can find them on hundreds of different products, from cereal as well as other kinds of food, to storage products, household products and school supplies. Look for a sample of one in the Opportunity Corner. Each BOX TOP is worth \$.10, so imagine how quickly they can add up! There is a write-up about this with a heartfelt thank you from the Goodland Academy on the bulletin board.

## **THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES**

### **MONDAY**

06:00 PM Cub Pack 789 Tigers

07:00 PM Boy Scouts 109

### **TUESDAY**

10:30 AM Tuesday Morning Group

### **THURSDAY**

10:00 AM Art Group

### **NEXT SUNDAY**

09:15 AM Choir Practice

10:30 AM Adult Bible Study

11:00 AM Worship Service w/communion

## **PRAYER CONCERNS**

Our Leaders

Our Presbytery, our church, our Session

Our Troops

Millie Allen

Tom Price needs continued prayers

Continued prayers for Bill and Nina Swaney

Sue Fitch

Continued prayers for Joan's nephew, Ryan McNeil

Makia and Mireille Epie

Joe and Lorrinda Alexander

Joan's sister Shirley Gearheart and her kids

Irmagene Mitchell

Bruce Allen

Prayers for those who are unable to go to church, but would love to

Pray for Russia – Christians can't share Christ in public

Karla Krueger, she has M.S. and is very sick

Nancy's granddaughter is being deployed for 4 months to an unknown location

Cora Marsaw is in treatments, pray for a good outcome

Sonia and Tyrone Wills

Continued prayers for Cameroon

Margie Sonntag

A family member of Janet's is suffering from depression

Sharon and Clyde Lockhart, Clyde has been diagnosed with mid-level Alzheimer's

Martha Brashear fractured a bone in her back, prayers for her and Truman

Continue to pray for Nancy's nieces, they lost both their parents in the last 5 months

Darla Guyer and family on the loss of her brother

Janet's brother in law Ken

## **CELEBRATIONS**

Charlie Ciuro is out of the hospital

Nancy's niece is out of the hospital

Jackie is doing well, she will be visiting us relatively soon.