Sunday, April 11, 2021

## Order of Worship

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

- \*Opening Hymn "Christ Is Risen" vs. 1, 2
- 1. Christ is risen! Shout Hosanna! Celebrate this day of days. Christ is risen! Hush in wonder; all creation is amazed. In the desert all surrounding, see, a spreading tree has grown. Healing leaves of grace abounding bring a taste of love unknown.
- 2. Christ is risen! Raise your spirits from the caverns of despair. Walk with gladness in the morning. See what love can do and dare. Drink the wine of resurrection, not a servant, but a friend; Jesus is our strong companion. Joy and peace shall never end.

\*Call to Worship:

Leader: Christ the Lord is risen!

People: Even though we have not touched his wounded hands, yet we believe.

Leader: Even though we have not heard him speak our names, yet we believe. People: Let us celebrate God's love through the life of Jesus Christ. Amen.

### \*Morning Prayer:

Lord of Resurrection surprises, open our hearts this day to the presence of Jesus Christ. Erase our excuses for unbelief, and exchange them for strong witness to the power of your mercy and love. Give us courage and challenge us to walk the path of discipleship, knowing that Jesus goes before us, leading and guiding our steps. In his name, we pray. Amen.

Song of Praise "His Tomb Wasn't Empty" Solo by: Millie Frambaugh

Children's Message

Millie Frambaugh

Children may go to Fellowship Hall for Sunday School following Children's Message.

**Prayer Concerns and Praises** 

Silent Prayer

Prayer

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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

\*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!

Praver of Illumination

All: Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the Scriptures are read and your word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

Scripture Readings

Charlie Tramel

Acts 4:32-35 1 John 1:1-2:2 John 20:19-31

Sermon "The Elephant in the Room" Pastor Jane Piehl

Moment of Reflection

## Offering Please place in offering plate at door

\*Closing Hymn "Victory in Jesus" vs. 1, 2

1. I heard an old, old story, how a Savior came from glory, how he gave his life on Calvary to save a wretch like me; I heard about his groaning, of his precious blood's atoning, then I repented of my sins and won the victory.

Refrain: O victory in Jesus, my Savior forever! He sought me and bought me with his redeeming blood; he loved me ere I knew him, and all my love is due him; he plunged me to victory beneath the cleansing flood.

2. I heard about his healing, of his cleansing power revealing, how he made the lame to walk again and caused the blind to see; and then I cried, "Dear Jesus, come and heal my broken spirit, " and somehow Jesus came and brought to me the victory.

Refrain: O victory in Jesus, my Savior forever! He sought me and bought me with his redeeming blood; he loved me ere I knew him, and all my love is due him; he plunged me to victory beneath the cleansing flood.

#### Benediction

#### "God Be with You"

God be with you til we meet again; by his counsels guide uphold you, with his sheep securely fold you; God be with you till we meet again.

#### Postlude

#### Upcoming activities:

4/10 10:30a 4H mtg

4/10 11a-5p Sharon Firefighter's Fish Fry at Town Hall, drive thru/ carry out style

4/13 7p Be Like Jesus Study

6p Scout mtg

4/14 7p Scout District mtg

4/15 7p Grief Group Begins

4/18 7p Labyrinth Walks Begin



# Gíven By:

Bill & Nancy Baldwin in Honor of our Risen Lord

Pat Bernhard in Memory of Phil Bernhard

Millie Frambaugh in Memory of grandparents and Dad Millie Frambaugh in Celebration of our Lord

Julianne Kinford in Memory of Richard Kinford

The Krautheim in Memory of Bob Krautheim

Barb Moore in Memory of George Barb Miller and Dave Downs

Mravetz Family in Memory of Clarence & Pearl Shingleton and Joe & Jennie Mravetz