

Our Service of Worship

Fifth Sunday of Easter

10:55 am

April 24, 2016

*We invite those who are able, to stand during these acts of worship

Gathering Music

Announcements

Rev. Tilk

Opening Scripture

Voluntary

Entrée in E-flat, Op. 29, No. 1

Matthew Bishop, Organist
By Léon Boëllmann

Lighting the Altar Candles

*Opening Hymn

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

384

*Affirmation of Faith

888

*Gloria Patri

70

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.

Story for All Ages

Amy Rooks

Jesus Loves Me

191

Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so.

Little ones to him belong; they are weak, but he is strong.

Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

Following this, all children through Kindergarten

Are invited to "Children's Church" time next door in our Education Building.

Parents may pick them up there following the worship service.

Prayer Sharing

Rev. Tilk

Choral Call to Prayer

Matthew Bishop, Organist

Hear Our Prayer

By Jay Padgett (after P.I. Tchaikovsky)

Morning Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

895

The Offering

Ushers

Offertory

Matthew Bishop, Organist

Communion in A, Op. 29, No. 4

By Léon Boëllmann

*Doxology

94

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Prayer for Illumination

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

Old Testament Lesson

Psalm 148

Rev. Tilk

(Pg. 716 OT)

Anthem

Bright Morning Stars

Matthew Bishop, Organist

Appalachian Folk Hymn

Arr. by Alice Parker

New Testament Lesson

Acts 17: 22-34

(Pg. 168 NT)

Sermon

"Taking the Resurrection Seriously"

Rev. Whitehead

*Closing Hymn

310

He Lives

*Choral Benediction

671

Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing

Postlude

Matthew Bishop, Organist

Sortie in F Minor, Op. 30, No. 1

By Léon Boëllmann

Worship Matters

We want to **remember and lift up in prayer** these folks: Eunice Bass, Sue Goodwin, Dixy Hazenberg, Marilyn Higdon, Betty Ruth Suber, and all who are home bound. Also, those men and women serving in our military especially those overseas. Also, our sister church Santa Clara in Cuba and missionaries Leonardo & Cleivy Garcia in East Angola.

This service is being recorded to produce DVD's for shut-ins

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Communion will be served in Shelfer Chapel this morning after the worship service.

Children's Church Helper **TODAY: Jessica Miller**
Sunday, May 1 – Sonja Durrwachter

Tuesday, April 26

11am – Exercise class

3pm – Fantastic 4th and 5th

Sunday, May 1 – UMW Sunday

Guest speaker: Lynsley Smith

Sunday, May 15 – Graduation Sunday

Centenary Graduate: James Schroeder

9am – breakfast in F. H. (please sign up in Narthex)

If you have a graduate in your family you would like to have recognized, please send a photo and their information to the church office by **May 8**.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOX COLLECTION– MAY

Small Toys

Stuffed animals, trucks, balls, jump rope, slinky, etc.

(NO military)

Our Presence Last Week

Worship Service	68
Sunday School	21

Our Stewardship Last Week

General Fund 2016	\$1,621.00
Plate Offering	\$73.00
Sunday School	\$10.00
Pastor's Discretion	\$150.00
Cuba	\$108.00

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