



April 14, 2024

3rd Sunday of Easter

10:00 am

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SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

Preacher: the Rev. Dr. M. Davies Kirkland

Music Director: Dr. Donna Whited

Lector: Kari Mock

Ushers: Bob Miller, Allen Chin

Greeter: Pat Turner

Video Production: Mark Batarseh, Jadiel Torres



PRAYER CONCERNS

College Students Parker Anderson, Sophia Bailey, Luke Batarseh, Matthew Bloss-Baum, Lindsay Bomgardner, Noah Chin, Elizabeth Dunlop, Emma Dunlop, Thomas Gallaway, Victoria Gallaway, Zachary Hardy, David Kargbo, Donald Kargbo, Jessica Layton, Emerson Mellon, Lauren Mellon, Perry Mentzer, Casey Scheuerman, Mateo Short, Tanner Smith, Savannah Smith, Gio Vigil, Liam Watts, Rose Watts, Ian Wilson, Kyle Wilson, Grace Zarnowiecki

Service For persons serving overseas and their families

Altar Flowers In memory of our loving Parents/Grandparents, Flo and Bob Bloss by the Bloss-Baum Family

VOLUNTARY

"Elegy"

G.T. Thalben-Ball

WELCOME

OUR MISSION AND VISION STATEMENT

Our Mission

To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Our Vision

Dulin Church is a caring congregation empowered by the Holy Spirit to bring God's ministry to all people and serve Jesus Christ with love.

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

SILENCE

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, forever. Amen.

+ CALL AND RESPONSE TO WORSHIP

+ HYMN UMH 318

"Christ is Alive"

Truro

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Leader: Let us pray,

People: Lord, you are so patient with us. You brought us through Easter when we rejoiced at the news of the resurrection of your Son our Savior. You were with us in the upper room when we remained hidden out of our fears, sharing with Thomas our doubts and anxieties. Now you come to us on the road. You come to us in our everyday lives, moving out of this pristine setting of worship into the work world. But we aren't always ready for you and don't always see you or feel your presence. We let so many things crowd in on our lives and these intrusions blot out our awareness of your presence. Forgive our blindness and our stubbornness. Help us keep our hearts open to you, to see and tell the good things you have done in our lives. For we ask this in Jesus' Name. Amen.

MINISTRY THROUGH MUSIC

"To Sing Once More"
Sanctuary Choir

Craig Courtney

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

+ HYMN UMH 613

"O Thou Who This Mysterious Bread"

Land of Rest

HEAR GOD'S WORD

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Leader: Let us pray,

People: Loving God, come and speak to our hearts today. May we, like those on the Emmaus Road, find your words burning with hope in our lives. Strengthen us and give us courage for the journey ahead. For we pray in Christ's Name. Amen.

+ THE GOSPEL LESSON – Luke 24: 13-35

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God

People: Thanks be to God.

HOMILY

"Stranger, Guest, Host"

the Rev. Dr. M. Davies Kirkland

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

OFFERING

MUSIC DURING OFFERTORY

"Fanfares on Easter Hymn"

Robert Lau

+ OFFERTORY RESPONSE

Lasst uns erfreuen

***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 OF THANKSGIVING

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

BLESSING THE PEOPLE AND THE BREAD AND JUICE

EATING THE BREAD AND DRINKING THE JUICE TOGETHER

SILENCE

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

DEPART TO SERVE

+ HYMN UMH 617

"I Come with Joy"

Dove of Peace

+ OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINISTRY

+ BLESSING AND BENEDICTION

+ VOLUNTARY

"Toccatà"

Dietrich Buxtehude

Join us for "Coffee Talk" in the Wesley Room served by Lisa Lahrman and Bob Kirschman

+Stand, if you are able.

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