



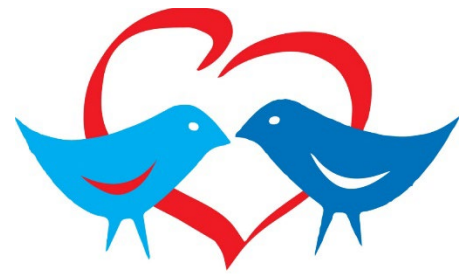
May 5, 2024

6th Sunday of Easter

10:00 am

E-mail: office@dulinchurch.org

www.dulinchurch.org



Friends

SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

Preacher: the Rev. Dr. M. Davies Kirkland

Music Director: Dr. Donna Kay Whited

Lector: Brian Cobb

Ushers: Bob Miller, Sunita Lough

Greeter: Cathy Eckbreth

Video Production: Mark Batarseh, Chad Carmichael, Jay 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 honor of our son Jared Michael Beyer's 40th birthday! by June and Mike Beyer

Confirmands Francesca Ayala, Marion Ayala, Hannah Dho, James Gremminger, Evelyn Witt

VOLUNTARY

"Adagio Molto"

Alexandre Guillmant

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 139 "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" Lobe Den Herren

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Leader: Let us pray,

People: Jesus, friend and brother, you taught us to abide in your generous love, for it completes our lives and gives us joy; you ask us to love others as you have loved us, for it brings your creation to fruition. We sometimes struggle to love the people in our lives as you have loved us. Forgive us, we pray, and teach us your love again. Amen.

MINISTRY THROUGH MUSIC "This is My Will" arr. John Bell
Sanctuary Choir; Linda Miller, soloist

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE "Friends! Friends! Friends!" Pastor Dave

+ HYMN UMH 560 "Help Us Accept Each Other" Aurelia

HEAR GOD'S WORD

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Leader: Let us pray,

People: Long ago Jesus said to his disciples, "I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from God. You did not choose me, but I chose you!" Jesus speaks these words to us today. Jesus forgives us and chooses us to be his friends, sharing his great work of love.

THE EPISTLE LESSON – 1 John 5:1-6

+ THE GOSPEL LESSON – John 15:9-17

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

People: Thanks be to God.

HOMILY "Friends" the Rev. Dr. M. Davies Kirkland

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

People: God of Love, do not let us grow weary of living our lives according to the example of your child, Jesus. Loving one another is a great challenge and a high calling. We do not want to fail our friend and brother. Pour out upon us your Spirit who reminds us that we bear Jesus' love and life within our very being—a powerful gift for our world. Out of this gift, may we bear the fruit of love. Amen

OFFERING

MUSIC DURING OFFERTORY

"How Majestic is Your Name"

Fred Bock

+ 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 548

"In Christ There is No East or West"

St. Peter

+ OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINISTRY

+ BLESSING AND BENEDICTION

+ VOLUNTARY

"Solemn Procession"

Lloyd Weber

Join us for "Coffee Talk" in the Wesley Room hosted by Sunita Lough and Cathy Eckbreth

+Stand, if you are able.

Scan Below to Donate!



Scan Below to see our website!

