

Online Worship Bulletin  
**April 19, 2020**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter  
**We Gather to Worship God**

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship:

One: Blessed be the God of our Savior, Jesus Christ!

**All: God has given us a new birth in the living hope of the resurrection.**

One: God has given us an inheritance that is imperishable and unfading.

**All: In this we rejoice, even when we suffer trials.**

One: For although we have not seen Jesus, we love him; and although we have not seen him, we believe in him.

**All: For the outcome of our faith is the salvation of our souls.**

Prayer of the Day

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

**God, you have made known to us the ways of life. Yet, to often, we put other things above you and turn away from the ways of life toward the ways of death. Forgive us and guide us back into your presence,...**

*(Pause for a few moments of silent reflection and personal confession.)*

**...that we may know the fullness of joy. Amen.**

Assurance of Forgiveness

Words of Peace

Response

*Glory Be to the Father*

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**We Listen For God's Word**

Prayer for Illumination

Responsive Psalm & Psalm Prayer

Psalm 16

One: Protect me, O God, for I take refuge in you.  
I have said to the LORD, "You are my Lord;  
my good above all other."

**All: All my delight is in the godly that are in the land,  
upon those who are noble among the people.**

One: But those who run after other gods  
shall have their troubles multiplied.

**All: I will not pour out drink offerings to such gods,  
never take their names upon my lips.**

One: O Lord, you are my portion and my cup;  
it is you who uphold my lot.

**All: My boundaries enclose a pleasant land;  
indeed, I have a rich inheritance.**

One: I will bless the Lord who gives me counsel;  
my heart teaches me night after night.

**All: I have set the Lord always before me;  
because God is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.**

One: My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spirit rejoices;  
my body also shall rest in hope.

**All: For you will not abandon me to the grave,  
nor let your holy one see the pit.  
You will show me the path of life;  
in your presence there is fullness of joy,  
and in your right hand are pleasures forevermore.**

One: Gracious God, your goodness surpasses everything else. Uphold us day after day, and teach us night after night, that we may follow in the path of life and be filled with resurrection joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

New Testament Lesson

1 Peter 1:3-9

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Lesson

John 20:19-31

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

*Shelter in Place*

Hymn

*In the Cross of Christ I Glory  
Verses 1 & 4*

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Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed by 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**

**We Respond to God's Word**

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory

Prayer of Thanksgiving

\*Affirmation of Faith

*Apostles' Creed*

**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 catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**We Leave to Serve God**

\*Charge and Benediction

Postlude