

RINGING THE BELLS and ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Bill

OPENING MUSIC

CHORAL INTROIT "Festival Alleluia" (Pote)

*CALL TO WORSHIP Pastor Mary

One: Do not let your hearts be troubled - believe in God, believe also in Christ.

All: We believe in the Father, and the Son, Jesus Christ.

One: Jesus has told us there is a place for us in God's house.

All: We believe in the Father, and the Son, Jesus Christ.

One: Jesus has promised to come and take us to be with him.

All: We believe in the Father, and the Son, Jesus Christ.

One: Jesus has said, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life."

All: We are following Him and trust His promises and grace.

*OPENING HYMN "Faith of Our Mothers" (on screen)

*UNISON INVOCATION

Most holy God, we come together in worship this day to proclaim Your goodness and declare Your greatness. Stir our hearts, that we may bring You the worship You deserve. Send Your Holy Spirit to guide us in our worship. May all we do, say and sing bring honor and glory to the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

*RESPONSE "Gloria Patri" (on screen)

RECOGNITION OF MOTHERS

PRELUDE TO PRAYER "Near to the Heart of God" (on screen)

MORNING PRAYER

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And with you also.

One: Let us pray...

Concluded with the *The Lord's Prayer* (on screen)

Organ Response

ANTHEM "I Know My Redeemer Lives" (Cox) Traditional Choir

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS Pastor Bill

OFFERTORY "Little Song" (Kabalevsky) Diane Fowler, cello

*DOXOLOGY "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow" (on screen)

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Gracious God, the generosity of Your Spirit is evident all around us in the diversity and beauty of Your creation. May our giving to Your mission and ministry be cheerful, open-handed and gracious, as we give thanks for our blessings and recognize the needs of our neighbors, both near and around the world. Amen.

*SERMON HYMN "Standing on the Promises" # 430

SCRIPTURE READING John 14: 1-6 (NLT)

SERMON **WHERE ARE YOU GOING?** Pastor Bill

RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES

*CLOSING HYMN "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder" # 552

*BENEDICTION

One: Chapters end,

All: New ones begin -

One: More school or new work or something completely different.

All: Endings carry the seeds of new possibility.

One: Endings are never the last word in God's eyes.

All: There is grace surprising us,

One: Resurrections freeing us,

All: Hope reviving us,

One: Life calling us,

All: Praise God for endings and beginnings. Amen.

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE "Because He Lives" (on screen)

*RINGING THE BELLS

*CLOSING MUSIC

SUNDAY - 5/14 -**Recognition of Mothers & Graduates**

- 9:00 am Traditional Worship
- 9:15 am Praise Singers
- 10:00 am Breakfast, Sunday School
- 11:00 am Discovery Worship
- 12:00 pm Dining Room & Kitchen Reserved

MONDAY - 5/15

- 9:30 am Seniors Exercise Class
- 5:30 pm 208 & Gym Reserved

TUESDAY - 5/16

- 8:00 am Weight Watchers
- 9:00 am Women's Bible Study
- 9:30 am 4C Play & Learn
- 3:00 pm Open Gym
- 5:15 pm Weight Watchers

WEDNESDAY - 5/17

- 9:30 am Seniors Exercise Class
- 3:00 pm Open Gym
- 5:15 pm Women at the Well Bible Study
- 6:00 pm Discovery Music & Handbell Choir
- 7:00 pm Traditional Choir

THURSDAY - 5/18

- 3:00 pm Open Gym
- 5:30 pm Gym Reserved
- 5:45 pm Music Board
- 6:00 pm D/E/T Meet
- 7:00 pm Council Meeting (Dining Room)

FRIDAY - 5/19

- 9:30 am Seniors Exercise Class

SATURDAY - 5/20 -**JUNE & JULY NEWSLETTER DEADLINE****SUNDAY - 5/21 -****Music Sunday**

- 9:00 am Traditional Worship
- 9:15 am Praise Singers
- 10:00 am Breakfast, Sunday School
- 11:00 am Discovery Worship
- 12:00 pm Youth Group
- 12:00 pm JAMkids

NURSERY ATTENDANTS**May 14**

- 9:00 am & S.S. Hour** Stacey Henderson
- 11:00 am** Stacey Henderson & Janine Koehler

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GREETERS**May 14**

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USHERS**MAY**

- 9:00 am** Bob Dreier, Captain; Louis Buschkill, Don Lindenberg, Rusty Yeager, Darlene Dycus, Jim Geiser
- 11:00 am** Ralph Heneisen, Captain; Shawn Heneisen, Fred Huck, Tom Huck, Chris Kirwer, Gary Ruminer

DEACON**MAY**

- 9:00 am** Kris Igleheart-Mindrup
- 11:00 am** Dirck Stahl

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Fifth Sunday of Easter

Traditional
Worship
May 14, 2017
9:00 AM



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