

Order of Worship
April 21, 2019 – 11:00 a.m.
Resurrection Sunday

Welcome & Announcements

Introit: "Alleluia" verses 1, 3 and 4 insert

PRAISE AND ADORATION

Call to Worship: (responsively) (based on Psalm 118:1 & 5-8)
Leader: Out of our distress we called on the LORD; the LORD
answered us and set us in a safe place.

**People: With the LORD on our side we will not fear. What
can mortals do to us?**

Leader: The LORD is on our side to help us; we shall look in
triumph on those who hate us.

**People: It is better to take refuge in the LORD than to put
confidence in mortals.**

**All: O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his steadfast
love endures forever!**

*Hymn: "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" # 113

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession: (in unison)

**Almighty God, in raising Jesus from the grave, you
shattered the power of sin and death. We confess, however,
that we remain captive to fear and doubt, bound by the ways
that lead to death. We overlook those in need around us,
abuse the earth you created and neglect our own wellbeing.
Forgive us, God of mercy. Help us to trust your power to
change our lives and make us new so that we may know the
joy of abundant life as given to us in Jesus Christ, our risen
Lord. Amen.**

Confession Response: **"Lord have mercy upon us. Christ have
mercy upon us. Lord have mercy upon us."** # 574

Assurance of Pardon

Greeting One Another

*Response "Gloria Patri" # 579

HEARING THE WORD

Let the Children Come

Choral Music

Scripture Reading: The Gospels (specifically Luke 24:6)

Sermon: "Called to Remember"

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

*Hymn: "Victory in Jesus" insert

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Offertory and Presentation of Gifts to God

*Doxology # 592

*Prayer of Dedication

Affirmation of Faith: The 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 Spirit, 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
Spirit, the holy universal church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the
life everlasting. Amen.**

*Hymn: "Lift High the Cross" # 371

*Charge and Benediction

***Benediction Response: "God be with you 'til we meet again;
by his counsels guide, uphold you; with his sheep securely
fold you; God be with you 'til we meet again."**