

WOODSTOCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY, MAY 12, 2019 - 11:00 AM 4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER MOTHER'S DAY

"I was glad when they said to me,
'Let us go to the house of the Lord!'" Psalm 122:1

Welcome to all who gather to worship today! We hope you feel warmly welcomed and even "at home," for all are welcome in God's house! If you are a guest today, we are honored by your presence with us and hope to see you again! Please take a moment to sign the Friendship Register located in the pew. Everyone is invited to stay for our fellowship hour following worship!

WPC Vision & Mission Statement

Growing and Building in the Love of Christ Ephesians 4:16

We ENVISION a church that:

- † Is kind, generous, hospitable and welcoming.
- † Involves everyone in local and global mission.
- † Treats everyone as a Child of God.
- † Shares our time, talents, and treasure.

Our MISSION is to grow and build in:

- † Faith through worship, prayer, and Bible study.
- † Fellowship with one another and with guests.
- † Hospitality shown to our community and world.
- † Facilities that are exceptional and accessible.

* Congregation is invited to stand.

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

PreludeShepherd PsalmD. & J. Hall, M. McDonaldHe Shall Feed His Flock (The Messiah)HandelShepherd of LoveJ. Peterson

Welcome and Announcements

(Please sign the Friendship Pads located in each pew.)

*Call to Worship

Rev. 7:12

Alleluia, Christ is risen!

The Lord is risen indeed, Alleluia!

Blessing and honor is yours, O God.

Glory to God forever. Alleluia!

This is the good news we tell to all the world:

Jesus Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia

*Hymn 248 Christ Is Risen! Shout Hosanna!

Call to Confession



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Ruling Elders

(Spiritual Leaders of the Church)

Class of 2019

Sharon Baroncelli, Trustee Jane Runyon George Shaffer George Swecker

Class of 2020

Marian French, Trustee Diane Cook Margaret Nelson Morgan Saeler

Class of 2021

Jerry Germroth, Trustee Becky Fadely Malinda Johnston Cindy Wilkins

Prayer of Confession

Holy God, we confess that we have strayed from your paths of right relationship and peace, and we have dishonored you, ourselves, and your creation; we repent of these hurtful ways.

Forgive us, we pray, as we learn to forgive others, and guide our feet into the way of peace.

[silent confession]
Forgive us, Lord, we pray.
Teach us to trust your promise
and to believe the good news of salvation:
Christ is alive; Jesus is risen from the dead. Amen

Assurance of Forgiveness

Friends, believe the good news:

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Alleluia!

*Glory Hymn 583 (words at right)

Reading Psalm 23 page 474 OT

Moment with Children

Anthem Are You Washed In The Blood? E. Hoffman/arr. B. Harlan

Reading John 10:22-30 page 98 NT

Sermon Rev. Kate Rascoe

Glory to God

Glory to God, Glory to God, glory in the highest! Glory to God, glory to God, alleluia, alleluia!

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 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.

DoxologyPraise God. from

whom all blessings flow, Praise God, all creatures high and low. Alleluia, alleluia! Praise God, in Jesus fully known:

Creator, Word and Spirit one.

Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia,

*Affirmation of Faith

Summary of the Law (pg 36 of hymnal)

*Hymn 187 Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us

Prayers of the People & the Lord's Prayer

In this season of Easter rejoicing, let us offer our prayers and thanksgivings saying, O Risen Christ,

Open our eyes to your mercy in the world.

Offering

Offertory Gentle Shepherd Wm. Gaither *Doxology Hymn 609 (words at left)

*Prayer of Dedication

Holy God, Divine Shepherd, you anoint us with the oil of gladness; your love overflows our hearts.

Accept our offering for the good of the world as we joyfully give thanks for our life in you.

In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

WE DEPART TO SERVE

*Hymn 268 Crown Him with Many Crowns

*Charge

*Sung Blessing Hymn 591 (refrain only)

Postlude The Shepherd Psalm J. Carter