

*Hymn 738 *O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee*

*Charge

*Sung Blessing Hymn 591 (below)

Postlude *The Heavens Are Declaring* L. Beethoven

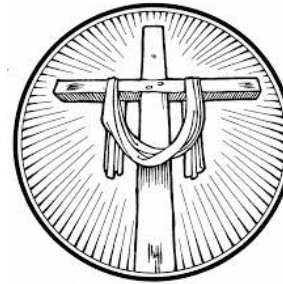
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Looking Ahead To Summer

*Tuesday, May 21st, Honor Seniors Luncheon, and Presbytery Meeting at Massanetta Springs.

*Sunday, May 26th is the final day of Sunday School

*Sunday, June 2nd, we change to our Summer Worship Hour of 10 am, and No Sunday School.



WOODSTOCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY, MAY 19, 2019 - 11:00 AM

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

*"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 luncheon 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

Prelude *How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place (Requiem)* Brahms
Sabbath Prayer (Fiddler on the Roof) J. Bock
On This Day L. McGlohon

Welcome and Announcements

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

***Call to Worship** Psalm 148

Praise the Lord!
**Praise the Lord from the heavens;
 praise him in the heights!**
 Praise him, all his angels;
 praise him, all his host!
**Let them praise the name of the Lord,
 for his name alone is exalted;
 his glory is above earth and heaven.**
 He has raised up a horn for his people,
 praise for all his faithful,
 for the people of Israel who are close to him.
Praise the Lord!

***Opening Hymn 366** *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*



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Margaret Nelson
Morgan Saeler

Class of 2021
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Becky Fadely
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Cindy Wilkins

Call to Confession Prayer of Confession

*Holy and merciful God,
In your presence we confess
Our failure to be what you created us to be.
You alone know how often we have sinned
in wandering from your ways,
in wasting your gifts,
in forgetting your love.
By your loving mercy,
help us to live in your light
and abide in your ways,
for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior.*

[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 Acts 11:1-18 page 122 NT

Moment with Children

Anthem *Up From the Grave He Arose*

Reading John 13:31-35 page 102 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.

Doxology

Praise 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 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 holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

***Hymn 693** *Though I May Speak (The Gift of Love)*

Prayers of the People & the Lord's Prayer

Offering

Offertory *Hallelujah!* Traditional Arr. J. Linn

***Doxology** *Hymn 609 (words at left)*

*Prayer of Dedication

Loving God, we give you thanks for the ministry of reconciliation to which you call us in the name of Jesus Christ and his resurrection.

Accept these gifts for your mission to heal all creation.

May they be a testament to your love for us as we share them in love for you; through Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.