

Prayers and Praises

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5th Sunday of Easter
May 15, 2022 9:00am

Prelude: "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

arranged by Wilbur Held

*(Welcome to our Service of Worship. We are so glad you are here! We extend a special welcome to our visitors. To learn more about us please speak to the pastor or one of the ushers. **Masking and social distancing are not required but are respected and encouraged. Please consider your own health and the health of those you love.**)*

Ringing of the bell.

Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship**

Les Mier

Praise the Lord, all the earth!
**Praise the Lord from the heavens;
praise the Lord in the heights.**
Praise the name of the Lord,
and the Lord's glory shall be praised,
**for people near and people far,
for people present and people to come,
for the young and for those wise with age.**
Come, let us praise the Lord;
come, let us worship God.

***Prayer of Approach**

**Alpha and Omega,
you make your home with us,
you dry our tears and quench our thirst,
you are the tender love
that welcomes all people.
Like a mother,
you nurture your children,
giving them life,
teaching them to love.
Come and dwell among us,
and make all things new. Amen.**

(Revelation 22, John 13)

DATE	ATTENDANCE	WEEKLY INCOME	NOTES
MAY 8, 2022	<u>77</u>	\$5,008.00	OFFERINGS/TITHES
May 8, 2022		\$400.00	RAISE THE ROOF CAMPAIGN
05/02--05/06/22		\$2,656.00	VANCO-ONLINE OFFERINGS
05/02--05/06/22		\$25.00	VANCO-ONLINE ROOF OFFERINGS
		\$8,089.00	TOTAL INCOME FOR THE WEEK

Please take a moment to thank those who help make our service run smoothly. They are our unsung heroes.

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***Hymn #151** “Crown Him with Many Crowns”

Linda Dorn, Cantor

***Call to Confession**

Because we are loved, we are called to turn to God in humility. We fall short of who God calls us to be, but we are never forsaken. In faith and with confidence as beloved children, let us confess our sin to God.

***Confession**

Holy God, you command us to love one another, yet we hold grudges and refuse to work for peace. You command us to care for all of creation, yet we neglect the earth and abuse nature through carelessness. You command us to walk in the ways of Jesus, yet we too often walk our own way. Forgive us, O God. Guide us as we work toward a new heaven here on earth. Lead us to reconciliation and a vision for your beloved community, as we share your love with your people everywhere.

Silent Confession

(In the silence of our hearts we confess our sins to God.)

***Assurance of Pardon**

Pastor Paul Zoschke

Believe the good news: Jesus loves us and forgives us and sets us free.
Know that you are forgiven and be at peace.

***Sharing God’s Peace:**

As free and forgiven children of God, let us share God’s peace with one another. The Peace of Christ be with you.

And also, with you.

(Please share the Peace of Christ with one another using the ancient formula, “The Peace of Christ”, “And also with you.” Please be mindful of those who do not wish to shake hands or be too close. We encourage you to use this time to send a text or emoji to someone who cannot be here.)

***Hymn #579** “Glory Be to the Father” (Gloria Patri)

Scripture Lessons:

1 Corinthians 15: 12-26

Les Mier

John 20:24-31

Pastor Paul Zoschke

Children’s Time

Jennifer Zander

Message “Peace Be With You”

Pastor Paul Zoschke

***Hymn #150** “Come, Christians, Join to Sing”

Prayers of the People

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.

Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who have sinned against us.

And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Minute for Mission “SERRV” (video)

Roger Rigterink

The Offering: “Bradbury”

arranged by Robert Cundick

(We encourage you to share from your abundance to support the ministries and outreach of our church. You may give in person during the service, mail your check to our church office or give electronically through our website.)

***Offertory #428** “We Give Thee but Thine Own” (vs 1)

***Offertory Prayer:**

Loving God,

you have given us the task

to love one another.

May the gifts we offer

bring love and life to others.

May the love we share

bring hope to a world

that has forgotten how to love. Amen.

***Closing Hymn #387** “Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us”

***Benediction**

***Closing Song** Grey Hymnal #134 “Spirit Song”

Postlude: “Spirit Song”

arranged by John Carter