

# Hope Through Forgiveness

Sunday, April 3rd, 2022

(\*) Denotes to stand if you are able.

(UMH) is the United Methodist (Blue) Hymnal

(TFWS) is The Faith We Sing (Black) songbook.

## Chimes

### \*Invitation to Worship

L: Come home, home to the embrace of God.

**P: We are walking the Lenten path from past errors to future possibilities.  
We are walking from haunting memories to a new day.  
We are walking from troubling fears to a new hope.**

L: Come home, taste the goodness of God, hear the love of God, feel God's tender embrace.

**P: We are walking toward wholeness.  
We are on the path of joy, and our hearts are filled with thanks and Praise.**

L: Come home this day; dwell with Christ in this holy place and in God's amazing grace.

**Prelude** Festival Capriccio Barbara Kinyon  
Carillon Handbell Choir

## Welcome & Announcements

**\*Opening Music** Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus UMH #196

### \*Opening Prayer (Unison)

**We are warmed by your sun, encircled by your love, strengthened by your hope, and sustained by your Spirit. You gather us into this sacred circle of life and give us a song in our hearts, laughter on our lips and kindness on our**

**touch. With praise and thanksgiving, we offer you our dreams and our deeds and this sacred time of worship. In the name of Jesus, Amen.**

**Special Music** It Is Well P. Bliss/H. Spafford  
Keith White, tenor

### **Scripture Lesson** Psalm 130

<sup>1</sup> Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord. <sup>2</sup> Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications! <sup>3</sup> If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand? <sup>4</sup> But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered. <sup>5</sup> I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, and in his word I hope; <sup>6</sup> my soul waits for the Lord more than those who watch for the morning, more than those who watch for the morning. <sup>7</sup> O Israel, hope in the Lord! For with the Lord there is steadfast love, and with him is great power to redeem. <sup>8</sup> It is he who will redeem Israel from all its iniquities.

**Scripture in Song** Out of the Depths I Cry to Thee K. Lee Scott  
Robyn Frey-Monell, soprano

**Message** Hope Through Forgiveness Pastor Doug Dickson

**\*Hymn Response** Out of the Depths I Cry to You UMH #515  
Holy Spirit, Truth Divine (1,2,4) UMH #465  
Spirit of God, Descend (1,4,5) UMH #500

## Holy Communion

### Offering

- **Offertory** Lenten Meditation Paul A. McKlveen  
Carillon Handbell Choir

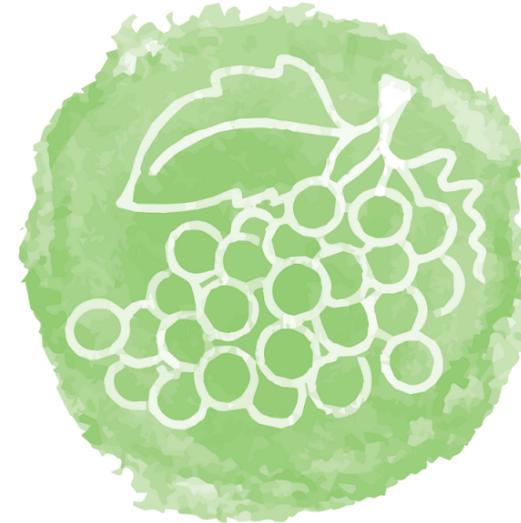
- **\*Doxology:**

(Offerings may be made through the church website: [calheightsumc.org](http://calheightsumc.org) or left in the offering plates located at the entrance.)

**\*Closing Hymn**                      To God Be the Glory                      UMH #98

**\*Benediction**

**Postlude**                              O Love, How Deep                      K. Langlois



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**Participating in the Service Today:**

Pastor Doug Dickson  
Organist: Jim Petri  
Guitarist: Ashley Beck

Music Director: Anna DeMichele  
Pianist: Jamie Dyer

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