

Our Power of Resurrection

Sunday, May 8th, 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: Awake! Rise up!

P: There is much to be done in the Lord's Name today.

L: Get ready to worship and to serve God.

P: We are ready to hear God's word for us and to respond in action and love.

L: Open your hearts to God's will this day.

P: Praise be to God who walks with us and guides us. AMEN.

Prelude Coronation D. Schelat

Welcome & Announcements

***Opening Music** Precious Lord, Take My Hand UMH #474

*Opening Prayer (Unison)

Holy God, on days when we have felt dead in our spirits, you come to us with resurrection power and lift us up. When we are tired and worn, you remind us that you have experienced our pain, or weariness, our brokenness and yet you are risen. Raise us up when we are in need of resurrection. Send us out when we see those in need around us. Lead us by your Holy Spirit, to do your work in our midst and in the world. Amen.

Special Music Hallelujah Fire Within Us Jeff Lippencott

Scripture Lesson

Acts 9:36-43

³⁶ Now in Joppa there was a disciple whose name was Tabitha, which in Greek is Dorcas. She was devoted to good works and acts of charity. ³⁷ At that time she became ill and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in a room upstairs. ³⁸ Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, who heard that Peter was there, sent two men to him with the request, "Please come to us without delay." ³⁹ So Peter got up and went with them; and when he arrived, they took him to the room upstairs. All the widows stood beside him, weeping and showing tunics and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was with them. ⁴⁰ Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, "Tabitha, get up." Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. ⁴¹ He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. ⁴² This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. ⁴³ Meanwhile he stayed in Joppa for some time with a certain Simon, a tanner.

[The Holy Bible: New Revised Standard Version](#). (1989). (Ac 9:36-43). Nashville: Thomas Nelson Publishers.

Anthem The Lord Is My Shepherd Matthews
Chancel Choir

Message Our Power of Resurrection Pastor Doug Dickson

***Hymn Response** The Summons TFWS #2130

Sharing our Joys and Concerns

- *Sharing our Joys and Concerns*
- *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, and forgive us our tresspasses

As we forgive those who trespass against us.

*Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil;
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.*

- *Prayer Chorus* *Breathe on Me, Breath of God* *UMH #420*

Offering

- **Offertory**
- ***Doxology:** *Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

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

***Closing Hymn** *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* *UMH #154*

***Benediction**

Postlude *Christ Is Alive* *J.D. Payne*

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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