

EASTER 3 SUNDAY

April 14, 2024

Organ Prelude: Jesu, joy of man's desiring

J. S. Bach

***Hymn: Joyful, joyful we adore you**

No. 410

Welcome, Announcements & Worship Theme

CALL TO WORSHIP:

“While the disciples were all together talking, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, ‘Peace be with you.’”
(Luke 24:36)

We who gather for worship encounter many things that frighten us, make us anxious, upset, angry and sad.

Sometimes we are troubled by things that have happened and wonder whether we could have said things and done things that could have led to a better outcome.

There are things in our lives, our relationships and our world that leave us conflicted and unsettled.

We carry wounds from what others have said and done to us and we carry upset about what others claim we have said and done to hurt them.

We come to worship in search of peace, a peace with justice but also a peace that is deeper than all that remains unresolved and unsettled in our world and our lives.

ALL: Visit us as we worship you this hour, O God, and fill us with your peace!

***Hymn: Lord, whose love**

No. 722

Prayer of Approach, Confession & 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 trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil;
For thine is the kingdom,
the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

The Peace of Christ be with you all;

And also with you.

(Children are invited to join in programming following the Passing of the Peace)

Special Music: All in the April evening

Hugh Robertson

Scripture Readings: Luke 24: 36-48, Acts 10: 34-43

Peter Kinch

We are listening, O God;

Speak to us!

Sermon:

MAKING PEACE

Dr. Harris

Special Music: We rise again

Leon Dubinsky

soloist Erin Stone

Prayers of Thanksgiving & Pastoral Concern

***Hymn: For the healing of the nations**

No. 736

Benediction

Threefold Amen

Organ Postlude: O day of peace that dimly shines C.H.H. Parry

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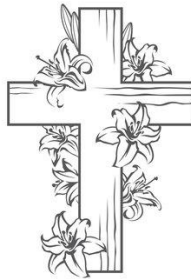
After the service we invite you to our adjacent hall to join us for refreshments and a special celebration of the ministry of parish nurse Linda Alldred-Johnson.

All are welcome!

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OUR PURPOSE AS A CHURCH:

**To become the hands, feet, voice and heart of Christ
for each other and in the world.**



Coming Events

Sunday, April 14

Easter 3 Sunday / Celebration of the ministry of parish nurse Linda Alldred-Johnson after worship.
Youth visit to Evangel Hall Mission, 2-5pm

Monday, April 15

Dance Fitness, 10:00am

Tuesday, April 16

Podcast discussion in person and online, 7:30pm

Wednesday, April 17

Spring Bible Study: Esther & Ruth, 7:30pm zoom

Saturday April 20

Cairn camp coffee house and artisan market, 2-4pm

Sunday, April 21

Easter 4 Sunday / Sacrament of Holy Baptism

Monday, April 22

Dance Fitness, 10:00am

Thursday, April 25

Webinar: Climate Change, Eco-anxiety and Habits of Hope with Rev. Dr. Pam McCarroll, 1:00pm-2:30pm

Wednesday, April 24

Spring Bible Study: Esther & Ruth, 7:30pm zoom

Friday, April 26

Youth in Action, 7pm

Sunday, April 28

Intergenerational Band rehearsal
Learning Indigenous History and Experience In Canada Through Art, 3:00pm at the AGO

Monday, April 29

Dance Fitness, 10:00am

Tuesday, April 30

Literary Society Discussion on "Solito: A Memoir" by Javier Zamora, 7:30pm in person & online

Wednesday, May 1

Bible Study: Ruth - Session 1

Sunday, May 5

Intergenerational Band rehearsal
Easter 6 Sunday / Holy Baptism

Monday, May 6

Dance Fitness, 10:00am

Wednesday, May 8

Bible Study: Ruth - Session 2

Sunday, May 12

Easter 7 Sunday / Intergenerational Worship / Holy Baptism