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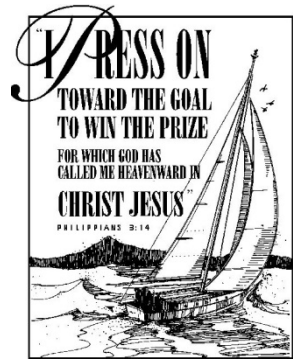
**Fifth Sunday in Lent**

**April 7, 2019**

**8:30am and 11:00am**

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**SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY**

Preacher: the Rev. Dr. M. Davies Kirkland

Organist: Benjamin Bugaile

Liturgist: Ian C. Urriola

Cantor: Linda Miller

Lector (8:30) Sunita Lough

(11:00) Karen Short

Ushers (8:30) Troy Welck (H)  
Dave Lough  
Sunita Lough

(11:00) Chapman Taylor (H)  
Linda Martin  
Mike Smith

Greeter (8:30) Cobb Family  
Carol Strickland

(11:00) Cathy Eckbreth  
Mirriam Manzana

Coffee Talk (8:30) Doug Devereaux

(11:00) Church Council  
Nancy Reuscher, Chair

Counters Allen Chin & Troy Welck

Altar Flowers In honor of Robert Hof's Birthday by Mary Hof

**Prayer Concerns**

At home Marjorie Bailey, Jack Fredenburg, Crawford Grogan, Harold Grogan, Virginia Harrison, Lily Houseman

College Students Annabelle Bailey, Ally Bloss-Baum, Douglas Bossart, Hope Bossart, Evan Clinton, Marlee Cobb, Spencer Combs, Madison Cooper, Sophia deGuzman, Alex Eng, Katie Herbolsheimer, Jakob Hirsch, Kaylee Hirsch, Claire Joseph, Eileen Joseph, Nathan Kalbaugh, Irissa Maneechai, Alexandra Marple, Tyler Marple, Sydney Marple, Emma Mobley, Anna Rice, Campbell Scheuerman, Alex Smith, Ashley Smith, Jarman Taylor, Caroline Verrecchia, Brady Watts

Service For persons serving overseas and their families

## OUR MISSION AND VISION STATEMENT

### Our Mission

**To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.**

### Our Vision

**Dulin Church is a caring congregation empowered by the Holy Spirit to bring God's ministry to all people and serve Jesus Christ with love.**

## WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

SILENCE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

"Little Prelude in A minor"

J.S. Bach

+ CALL TO WORSHIP

*Leader: Come and let us worship with great joy!*

**People: Let us drop the things of the past which weighed us down!**

*Leader: God is about to do something new in our lives!*

**People: Let God's will be strong in our lives!**

+ HYMN UMH 298

"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

Hamburg

THE PSALTER UMH 847 Psalm 126 Response #1

*The organ will play the response followed by the cantor.*

*The congregation is invited to sing at each "R."*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

*Leader: Let us pray,*

**People: O God, you set us free from paths of fear, doubt, and denial.**

**Yet we resist your invitation, seeing only what we must give up if we are to follow the path of Jesus. You call us to have faith in your sustaining presence and power, but your call takes us beyond anything we can see or touch. We fear placing our trust in things beyond our control. We doubt that you can bring water to the dry places of our lives or replace our suffering with joy. Forgive us when we turn away from your promise of abundant life. Heal us and lead us home. Amen.**

ACT OF PRAISE

"Jesus Loves Me"  
*Chancel Ringers*

arr. Douglas Wagner

**HEAR GOD'S WORD**

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

*Leader: O God, as we these words are read,*

**People: In our hearts may we feel your presence. Amen.**

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Isaiah 43: 16-21 (Pew Bible, Old Testament, p. 632)

THE EPISTLE LESSON Philippians 3:4b-14 (Pew Bible, New Testament, p. 187)

+ THE GOSPEL LESSON John 12:1-8 (Pew Bible, New Testament, p. 100)

This is the word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Ian C. Urriola

+ HYMN TFWS 2167

"More Like You"

More Like You

HOMILY

"Press On!"

the Rev. Dr. M. Davies Kirkland

**RESPONSE TO THE WORD**

GIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

MINISTRY THROUGH MUSIC

8:30a.m. "God So Loved the World"

John Stainer

*Linda Miller, Lindsey Brown, Ben Bugaile, Keith Brescia*

11:00a.m. Anthem: "God So Loved the World"

John Stainer

*Sanctuary Choir*

+ PRESENTING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

+ OFFERTORY RESPONSE

"Old Hundredth"

***Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host.  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

+ PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

**RECEIVE THE SACRAMENT**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING Musical Setting C UMH 20

BLESSING THE PEOPLE, BREAD, AND FRUIT OF THE VINE

GIVING OF THE BREAD AND FRUIT OF THE VINE

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

**DEPART TO SERVE**

+ HYMN TFWS 2208

"Guide My Feet"

Guide My Feet

+ OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINISTRY

+ BLESSING AND BENEDICTION

+ ORGAN VOLUNTARY

"Little Fugue in A minor"

J.S. Bach

Join us for "Coffee Talk" in the Wesley Room immediately following the service.

+Stand, if you are able.

**Note for the Congregation**

Memorial Services for Dulin disciple Margaret Kimbro, who was a member of Dulin from 1951-2019, will be held at Shady Grove UMC in Irmo, SC on Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup>.