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**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter**

**May 5, 2019**

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

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**SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY**

Preacher:Sam Riedel

Presider: Dave Kirkland

Organist: Mary Mateer

Liturgist: Ian C. Urriola

Cantor: Jeff Copp

Lector	(8:30)	Troy Welck	(11:00)	Tom Yancey
Ushers	(8:30)	Troy Welck	(11:00)	Bob Kirschman
		Mary Codjoe		Billy Layton
		José Maneechai		Linda Martin
Greeter	(8:30)	BJ Bailey	(11:00)	Craig Scheuerman
		Sonya Finley		Mirriam Manzana
Coffee Talk	(8:30)	Education Ministry Team	(11:00)	Kelly & Matt Hardy
		Jeff Copp, Leader		
Counters		Allen Chin & Troy Welck		
Communion Stewards		Kathy & Jim Rice		
Altar Flowers		In Memory of my Beloved Husband by Cathy Eckbreth		

**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
Confirmands	Nicole Arledge, Ella Gilmore, Emily Zarnowiecki

## 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

**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, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen**

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

"Duet"

*Claudia Smith and Mary Mateer*

+ CALL TO WORSHIP

*Leader: Our gathering here today is another wave of the one, mighty, resurrection event.*

**People: We are convened by the living Christ.**

*Leader: Let us delight in his Presence, and reaffirm our love and commitment.*

**People: We love because Christ first has loved us.**

*Leader: Christ is risen!*

**People: Christ is risen indeed!**

*Leader: To the One who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb,*

**People: Be blessing and honor and glory and might for ever and ever.**

+ HYMN UMH 357

"Just as I am, Without One Plea"

Woodworth

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

United Church of Christ

*Leader: Merciful God, Saul did not recognize the presence of the Holy One in the followers of the Risen Christ until your light struck him sightless, helpless, and at last able to hear your voice! In our day, too-narrow vision stops us from recognizing your presence in all of Creation.*

**People: We fail to see that our lives are bound together with each other and with the earth.**

*Leader: The Disciples could not succeed in fishing until the Risen Christ showed them how to cast their nets into your abundance. In our day, we too-often treat this world with arrogant self-righteousness, as though it is our exclusive domain.*

**People: We fail to remember that we are stewards, not owners of your Creation. Forgive us. Teach us again that you have placed us in an eco-network of relationships. Lead us to tend the gift of your Creation that we may feed the whole world community today and our children tomorrow. Amen.**

## ACT OF PRAISE

"Come Thou Fount"  
*Claudia Smith, piano*

arr. Mark Hayes

## HEAR GOD'S WORD

## PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

*Leader: Let us pray,*

**People: O Lord, reveal the risen Christ to us in the proclamation of these, your scriptures. Amen.**

THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Acts 9:1-6 (Pew Bible, New Testament, p. 119)

+ THE GOSPEL LESSON John 21:1-19 (Pew Bible, New Testament, pp. 109-110)

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

**Thanks be to God.**

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Ian C. Urriola

+ HYMN UMH 349

"Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus"

Lemmel

## HOMILY

"An Unexpected Journey"

Sam Riedel

## **RESPONSE TO THE WORD**

GIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

MINISTRY THROUGH MUSIC

8:30a.m. "This Joyful Eastertide"

arr. G. Brandon

11:00a.m. Anthem: "What a Morning"

arr. Robert Lau

*Sanctuary Choir*

+ PRESENTING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

+ OFFERTORY RESPONSE

Lasst uns erfreuen

***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!***

+ PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

## **RECEIVE THE SACRAMENT**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING UMH 18 Musical Setting A

BLESSING THE BREAD AND THE FRUIT OF THE VINE

GIVING OF THE BREAD AND THE FRUIT OF THE VINE

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

## **DEPART TO SERVE**

+ HYMN UMH 338

"Where He Leads Me"

Norris

+ OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINISTRY

+ BLESSING AND BENEDICTION

+ ORGAN VOLUNTARY

"Easter Victory"

Charles Callahan

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

+Stand, if you are able.