

FIRST
BAPTIST
CHURCH

Seventh
Sunday of
Easter



May 24, 2020

11:00 a.m.

PRELUDE

Processional in Eb Major

D. Johnson

GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

INTROIT

Colourful Creator

R. Duck/C.R. Young

Adrienne Sitko, mezzo-soprano

CALL TO WORSHIP

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

#320 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus

HYFRYDOL

Alleluia, Sing to Jesus!

F C F Gm7 C7 F C Dm C F A C7 F A Gm Dm C F

1 Al - le - lu - ia, sing to Je - sus! his the scep - ter, his the throne:
 2 Al - le - lu - ia! not as or - phans are we left in sor - row now;
 3 Al - le - lu - ia! heav - enly High Priest, here on earth our help, our stay;

C F Gm7 C7 F C Dm C F A C7 F A Gm Dm C F

Al - le - lu - ia! his the tri - umph, his the vic - to - ry a - lone.
 Al - le - lu - ia! he is near us; faith be - lieves nor ques - tions how.
 Al - le - lu - ia! hear the sin - ful cry to you from day to day.

Am Dm7 Gm7 C7 Dm7 C7 E F F E Dm F A G# Gm Bbmaj7 Csus C

Hark! the songs of peace - ful Zi - on thun - der like a might - y flood.
 Though the cloud from sight re - ceived him when the for - ty days were o'er,
 In - ter - ces - sor, Friend of sin - ners, earth's Re - deem - er, hear our plea,

F Dm7 Gm C F G9 C Bb C7 F F7 Bb F Bb F C7 F

Je - sus, out of ev - ery na - tion, has re - deemed us by his blood.
 shall our hearts for - get his prom - ise, "I am with you ev - er - more?"
 where the songs of all the sin - less sweep a - cross the crys - tal sea.

***INVOCATION AND 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, for ever and ever. Amen.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Risen and ascended Christ,
You are the incarnate Word. You model fullness of living.
You are our example, and we want to follow you.
You accompany us in the journey of life.
Yet, when others have needed us to walk with them,
we have left them friendless.
You intercede for us.
Yet, when others have needed us to advocate for them,
we have refused.
You continually bless us.
Yet, when others have needed blessing,
we have hindered and hurt them.
Lord Jesus Christ, forgive us.
Move us again to embody our faith,
according to your example.
Cause us to live for you as you live for us.
(Silence for personal confession and reflection)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

***GLORIA PATRI**

R. Goodson

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now and
Ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

FIRST READING

Ephesians 1:15-23

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

OFFERING OF MUSIC IN WORSHIP

This Is My Father's World

arr. R. Walters

Adrienne Sitko, mezzo-soprano

RESPONSIVE PRAYER

All: Praise the LORD!

One: For your resurrection and the coming of your kingdom,

Many: Living Christ, we praise you!

One: For your renewal and refreshing,

Many: Living Christ, we thank you!

One: Through your presence with and around us,

Many: Living Christ, we see you!

One: In your example of what it is to fully live,

Many: Living Christ, we follow you!

All: Praise the LORD!

*HYMN OF PRAISE

#550

We Are the Church

PORT JERVIS

Refrain (Unison)

I am the church! You are the church! We are the church to -
geth - er! All who fol - low Je - sus,
all - a - round the world! Yes, we're the church to - geth - er!

1 The church is not a build - ing, the church is not a stee - ple,
2 We're man - y kinds of peo - ple, with man - y kinds of fac - es,
3 Some - times the church is march - ing, some - times it's brave - ly burn - ing,
4 And when the peo - ple gath - er, there's sing - ing and there's pray - ing,
5 At Pen - te - cost some peo - ple re - ceived the Ho - ly Spir - it

the church is not a rest - ing place, the church is a peo - ple.
all col - ors and all a - ges, too, from all times and plac - es.
some - times it's rid - ing, some - times hid - ing, al - ways it's learn - ing.
there's laugh - ing and there's cry - ing some - times, all of it say - ing:
and told the Good News through the world to all who would hear it.

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*HYMN OF MEDITATION

#669 Jesus, Come, for We Invite You

SICILIAN MARINERS

669 Jesus, Come, for We Invite You

D G D F# D D F# G D F# D A C# D E7 B A D

1 Je - sus, come, for we in - vite you, guest and mas - ter,
2 Je - sus, come! trans - form our pleas - ures, guide us in - to
3 Je - sus, come in new cre - a - tion, heaven brought near by
4 Je - sus, come! sur - prise our dull - ness; make us will - ing

A E E7 A D G D F# D D F# G D F# D

friend and Lord; now, as once at Ca - na's wed - ding,
paths un - known; bring your gifts, com - mand your ser - vants,
power di - vine; give your un - ex - pect - ed glo - ry,
to re - ceive more than we can yet im - ag - ine,

A C# D E7 B A D A E E7 A Em A7 C#

speak, and let us hear your word: lead us through our
let us trust in you a - lone: though your hand may
chang - ing wa - ter in - to wine: rouse the faith of
all the best you have to give: let us find your

D D F# A G D F# G D Em7 D Em G A A7 D

need or doubt - ing, hope be born and joy re - stored.
work in se - cret, all shall see what you have done.
your dis - ci - ples — come, our first and great - est Sign!
hid - den rich - es, taste your love, be - lieve, and live!

WORDS: Christopher Idle (1938-)

MUSIC: Sicilian melody, 18th c.

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SICILIAN MARINERS

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SECOND READING

Luke 24:36-53

Response to the reading: **“Thanks be to God”**

SERMON

Rev. Jeremy Keay

CELEBRATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

Chorale Prelude on HYFRYDOL

P. Manx

***Doxology**

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

***Prayer of Gratitude**

***HYMN FOR THE JOURNEY**

#571 Christ, You Call Us All to Service

IN BABILONE

571 Christ, You Call Us All to Service

G $\frac{D7}{A}$ $\frac{G}{B}$ Em C6 $\frac{C}{D}$ D G $\frac{G}{B}$ Am7 D $\frac{G}{B}$ Em $\frac{D7}{A}$ $\frac{G}{B}$ $\frac{Am}{C}$ D7 G

1 Christ, you call us all to serv-ice, call us all who fol - low you;
 2 Teach us how to work to - geth-er, broth-ers, sis - ters, side by side,
 3 Let us be a ser - vant peo-ple, re - con-cil - ing, end - ing strife,

G $\frac{D7}{A}$ $\frac{G}{B}$ Em C6 $\frac{C}{D}$ D G $\frac{G}{B}$ Am7 D $\frac{G}{B}$ Em $\frac{D7}{A}$ $\frac{G}{B}$ $\frac{Am}{C}$ D7 G

plant in us a deep com-mit-ment all your work and will to do.
 e - qual part-ners in the strug-ple, in the cause of truth al - lied.
 seek - ing ways more just of shar - ing and of or - dering hu - man life.

Em Dm C $\frac{Bdim}{D}$ $\frac{Am}{E}$ E Am D $\frac{D}{C}$ $\frac{G}{B}$ Em $\frac{D}{F\#}$ G A7 D

Fire a pas-sion for your jus-tice, in us kin - dle love of peace;
 To each one some gift is giv - en, man or wo-man, young or old;
 Fill us with a glow-ing vi - sion of this world as it should be;

G $\frac{D7}{A}$ $\frac{G}{B}$ Em C6 $\frac{C}{D}$ D G $\frac{G}{B}$ Am7 D $\frac{G}{B}$ Em $\frac{D7}{A}$ $\frac{G}{B}$ $\frac{Am}{C}$ D7 G

help us heal the bro - ken-heart-ed, to the cap - tive bring re - lease.
 help us use each skill and tal - ent your great pur - pose to un - fold.
 send us forth to change that vi - sion in - to blest re - al - i - ty.

***THE BLESSING OF THE COMMUNITY**

Leader: May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you.

People: And also with you.

***Sung Benediction**

Evening Hymn arr. R. Walters
Adrienne Sitko, mezzo-soprano

***The Sending of the Community**

***Congregational Amen**

The service of the church into the world - - begins again this week

***POSTLUDE**

Grand Chouer in D W. Spence

****Please stand, as you are able.***

We are grateful for those who serve with us today:

Writing - Andrew Taylor;

Offering of Music in Worship - Adrienne Sitko, mezzo-soprano;

Video & Sound Technician - Evan Adnams

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After the service join us for Zoom Coffee Hour (starts at approx. 12:20 pm)

****note, the link below is DIFFERENT from the link we used on May 17****

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