

# THE ORDER OF WORSHIP FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 7, 2017

10:30 a.m.

## GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

Bell Prelude:           “Celebration No. 4”       Michael Keller  
                                  Colonial Chimers

The Life and Work of the Church

Welcome, friends and members

Please sign back page of bulletin

Nursery care available in Education Building

Restrooms found in Education Building

Prayer requests for offering plate

Fellowship Hour following worship

Announcements – please use microphone

\*A Time of Greeting

Steeple Bell

Choral Introit

## **Call to Worship: Psalm 23**

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

**My shepherd restores my soul  
and leads me on right paths.**

Surely goodness and mercy shall pursue me  
all the days of my life.

**I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.**

**\*Hymn: #301 “Let Us Build a House”**

**\*Prayer of Adoration**

**\*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 debts,**

**as we forgive our debtors;  
and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom and the power  
and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Call to Confession

**Prayer of Confession**

**Mighty and merciful God,  
you have called us to be your people  
and claimed us for the service of Jesus Christ.  
We confess that we have not lived up to our calling.  
We have been timid and frightened disciples,  
forgetful of your powerful presence  
and the strength of your Spirit among us.  
Forgive our foolish and sinful ways.  
As you have claimed us now strengthen us anew  
to choose Christ's way in this world.  
Give us your Holy Spirit  
that each one in ministry  
may be provided with all the gifts of grace  
needed to fulfill our common calling;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior.**

*(silent prayers)*

Assurance of Pardon

**\*Sung Response: #582**

**Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,  
and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,  
and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.**

**As it was in the beginning,  
is now and ever shall be. Amen.**

**World without end, without end. Amen.**

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**As it was in the beginning,  
is now and ever shall be. Amen.**

## PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

### Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Lesson: Psalm 23

Page: OT 501

Anthem: "Tender Shepherd, El Shaddai" Boersma/Lanz  
The Choir

*Tender Shepherd, El Shaddai, in Your flock my heart abides. Beside still waters of Your Word my soul finds rest. Tender Shepherd, El Shaddai, all my needs You satisfy. Here at Your feet I am restored, my spirit blest. El Shaddai, You shepherd me. You lead from darkness to the mountain of delight. Through valleys deep, on pathways steep, You shepherd me. Tender Shepherd, El Shaddai, Your rod and staff uphold and guide. In love You draw me to Your side, You shepherd me. You lead from darkness to the mountain of delight. You shepherd me.*

### A Scripture Conversation

Epistle Lesson: I Corinthians 3:10-16

Page: NT 167

Sermon: "The Three Little Pigs"

**\*Hymn: #803** "My Shepherd Will Supply My Need"

**\*Affirmation of Faith:** The Presbyterian Church of Korea  
We believe in the one God,  
Maker and Ruler of all things, Father of all people;  
the source of all goodness and beauty, all truth and love.  
We believe in Jesus Christ, God manifest in the flesh,  
our Teacher, Example and Redeemer;  
the Savior of the world.  
We believe in the Holy Spirit, God present with us  
for guidance, for comfort, and for strength.  
We believe in the forgiveness of sins,  
in the life of love and prayer,  
and in grace equal to every need.  
We believe in the Word of God  
contained in the Old and New Testaments  
as the sufficient rule of faith and practice.  
We believe in the Church as the fellowship for worship  
and for service of all who are united to the living Lord.  
We believe in the final triumph of righteousness,  
and in the life everlasting. Amen.

## GIVE THANKS TO GOD

Offerings of Tithes and Gifts

Offertory: “Sweet Hour of Prayer” arr. Linda Lamb  
Colonial Chimers

Reception of Offerings by Ushers

\*Presentation

**\*Doxology: #606**

**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 Thanks**

Pastoral Prayers

GO IN GOD'S NAME

**\*Hymn: #321 “The Church’s One Foundation”**

**\*Charge and Benediction**

Choral Benediction

Steeple Bell

Postlude

*You may recycle your bulletins in the basket at the back of the Meeting House.*



Use this space to make note for yourself of prayer concerns raised and insights received:

## **Our Preacher This Morning**

We welcome to the leadership of worship this morning the Rev. Jim Moseley. Jim for the past twelve years has served as the Executive Presbyter of New Castle Presbytery. He is a "child of the Space Coast" having been reared in Cocoa Beach, Florida during the heyday of the Mercury, Gemini and Apollo missions. His sojourn in ministry began as a Camp Director in the beautiful Shenandoah Valley and carried him through pastorates in Charlotte N.C., Joplin MO and St. Louis where he and Nancy became acquainted as minister members of the Presbytery of Giddings Love-Joy. Jim is married to Susan, Educator at Westminster P.C. in Wilmington. Jim and Susan have two grown children living in Western N.C. And, this past summer on July 30th became grandparents to Charles Thomas Friedman, who goes by "Charlie". Jim is a folk artist composing murals, mandalas and other pieces from found materials collected on river banks, woodlands and the seashores. He has two pieces in the permanent collection hosted at the Blue Ball barn in Wilmington.



## **Opportunities for Infants and Children**

A Nursery Care Program for infants through age 3 is available in Room 207 after the Scripture Conversation. If your child needs to leave before that, please see an usher. *Please see an usher for a child safety registration form.* Children 4 through 10 are to remain in worship today. Children of any age are always welcome in worship.

### **Worship Assistance**

Please see an usher to receive hearing assistance, a large print bulletin or bible, or a personal seat cushion.

### **Prayer List:**

To place a name on the confidential Prayer Chain, contact Susan Flook, 302-328-7346 [suzieflook@hotmail.com](mailto:suzieflook@hotmail.com)

### ***Continuing Care Homes:***

#### ***Vic Clark***

The Lorelton  
2200 W 4th St, Apt 328  
Wilmington, DE 19805  
(302) 419-7037 (cell)

#### ***Jean Swanson***

Sunrise - Apt. 238  
1555 W Horizon Ridge Pkwy  
Henderson, NV 89012  
(302) 824-8030 (cell)

#### ***Barbara Beaumont***

The Watermark at Logan Sq  
2 Franklin Town Blvd.  
Room 526  
Philadelphia, PA 19103  
(215) 575-9697

#### ***Dot Campbell***

The Summit  
5850 Limestone Rd.  
Hockessin, DE 19707  
(302) 635-2059

#### ***William Wilson***

Brandywine Nursing Ctr.  
505 Greenbank Road, Rm C6B  
Wilmington, DE 19808

### ***At Home:***

#### ***Esther Lindell***

1 Shaw Alley  
New Castle, DE 19720  
(302) 324-8889

#### ***Barbara Quillen***

Cokesbury HealthCare  
726 Loveville Road  
Hockessin, DE 19707

#### ***Don Reese***

112 W. 7<sup>th</sup> Street  
New Castle, DE 19720  
(302) 322-2773

#### ***Mary Pratt***

113 E. Main St., Unit 311  
Newark, DE 19711  
(302) 328-7273

The Flowers are given to the glory of God.  
*Monty & Ellie Gerhart*



Special Gifts Memorial Case:  
*Mary Anna F. Gebhart*  
*1889-1961*

*David Harry Fries*  
*1946-1988*

This morning, our Ushers are:  
Peter & Kelly McCurdy

Flowers: Brenda Walters

Someplace Else: Ron & Susan Studd, and Diana Reilly

Nursery: Bev Stoudt

Fellowship Hour: Patti Isaacs-Hansen

Worship Leader: Gail Seitz

## New Office Security



Just as a reminder. The CE Building will remain locked daily. Monday through Friday 8:30am-12:30pm you will need to ring the doorbell to gain access. If you currently have a key you may use that but please also check in with Kris in the office after you enter. Thanks for your cooperation during this time of transition.

## May Birthdays and Anniversaries

Monty Gerhart, 5/1  
Mark Rappold, 5/1  
Kaitlyn Raker, 5/2  
Ringo Keka, 5/2  
Christopher Raker, 5/5  
Chad Atherton, 5/7  
Mickey Singleton, 5/8  
Rob Barry, 5/9  
Brad Werkheiser, 5/11  
Karen Spring, 5/12  
Bruce Raker, 5/14  
Kay Gordon, 5/15  
Lindy Ballance, 5/17



Karen Dobson, 5/18  
Steve Martin, 5/20  
Corky Viola, 5/23  
Megan Graham, 5/23  
Harper Zarker, 5/23  
Ellie Gerhart, 5/24  
Barbara Whisman, 5/25  
Bruce Gordon, 5/26  
Joan Appleby, 5/27  
Earl Reed, 5/29  
Liam Collins, 5/30  
Dylan Reilly, 5/31

Megan Graham & Will Turnbull, 5/26  
Dean & Lynn MacEwen, 5/29



## *This Week's Schedule*

|                  |             |                |   |
|------------------|-------------|----------------|---|
| <b>SUNDAY</b>    | <b>5/7</b>  | <b>10:30am</b> | <b>Worship &amp; Someplace Else</b><br>The Rev. Jim Moseley preaching   |
|                  |             | <b>11:30am</b> | <b>Fellowship Hour</b>  |
|                  |             | <b>11:45am</b> | <b>Christian Ed Comm Waiting Rm</b>                                     |
|                  |             | <b>11:45am</b> | <b>Nominating Comm Mtg Rm206</b>  |
|                  |             | <b>12:00pm</b> | <b>Colonial Chimers</b>   |
| <br>             |             |                |   |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | <b>5/10</b> | <b>6:00pm</b>  | <b>Congregational Life &amp; Memb.</b>                                  |
|                  |             | <b>7:30pm</b>  | <b>Choir</b>  |
| <br>             |             |                |   |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | <b>5/11</b> | <b>7:30pm</b>  | <b>Celebration Ringers</b>  |
| <br>             |             |                |   |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | <b>5/13</b> | <b>8:00am</b>  | <b>Tai Chi</b>  |
| <br>             |             |                |   |
| <b>SUNDAY</b>    | <b>5/14</b> |                | <b>MOTHER'S DAY</b>   |
|                  |             | <b>10:30am</b> | <b>Worship &amp; Someplace Else</b><br>The Rev. Linda Bennett preaching |
|                  |             | <b>11:30am</b> | <b>Fellowship Hour</b>  |
|                  |             | <b>12:00pm</b> | <b>Colonial Chimers</b>   |

*The Rev. Tom Euston is on call for pastoral emergencies. Tom served this church as a seminary student intern during 2011-12 and knows many of us well. He is now the pastor of Rock Presbyterian Church in Fair Hill, MD. Please call the church office with any need (328-3279), or call Tom directly (521-6277).*

*Kris will be on vacation Wednesday, May 10.*