

**REACH OUT IN CHRIST  
THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**MAY 1, 2022**

**10:00 AM**

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Prelude “My Shepherd Will Supply My Need”

Welcome

Hymn “Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies” #173

Call to Worship:

Leader: I will extol you, O LORD, for you have drawn me up, and did not let my foes rejoice over me.

**People: LORD my God, I cried to you for help, and you have healed me.**

Leader: LORD, you brought up my soul from Sheol, restored me to life from among those gone down to the Pit.

**People: Sing praises to the LORD, O you his faithful ones, and give thanks to his Holy name.**

Opening Prayer

Almighty and everlasting God, in whom we live and move and have our being, you created us for yourself, so that our hearts are restless until they find rest in you. Grant to us such piety of heart and strength of purpose that no selfish passion may hinder us from knowing your will, and no weakness from doing it. In your light may we see life clearly and in your service find perfect freedom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Anthem Choir: “Until He Comes” Ailor

Scripture

Sermon

Holy Communion

Hymn “One Bread, One Body” #320:1,2

Benediction

Alleluia

Postlude “Toccata” Eberlin

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**CIRCLE OF PRAYER**—Sandra Buck, Douglas Pike, Larry Thompson, Kittie Brown, Charlie Monroe, Brenda and Mike Smeby, Sergei Barth, Jack Eckardt, Murphy Mullens, Tom Hannon, George Kranz, Lettie Witt, Terry Polen, Rod and Michelle Bailey, Jessica Strande, Cheryl Chmura, Susan Granner, Fiona Kishundyal, Marv Hiuser, Rita Harned, Marilyn and Ron Lovell, Pastor John Griswold, Karen McGinley.

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**\*FUN & FELLOWSHIP NIGHT**— This is the last invitation you will receive before our “Fun and Fellowship Night” on Saturday, May 7, 2022 at 7pm. We hope you will attend and have a good time. It has been so long since we had an evening together. We are looking for a large turnout, so be sure you are not the one to miss it. The choir members are looking forward to seeing you.  
— *Dwight Smith*

**\* CRAFT GROUP**—Meets Mondays 12:30-3pm in upstairs Craft Room.

**\*CHOIR**—Rehearsal on the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the month 6-7:30pm and practice before Sunday worships.

**\*SANCTUARY IS OPEN**—But we are not back to normal yet due to the continuation of the COVID19 pandemic. **We need to be vigilant especially because of the new virus variants. Masks are encouraged and recommended if you are unvaccinated. Please get your vaccination to minimize the possibility of getting infected or infecting others.** If you are experiencing symptoms please seek care and rest. You can watch the worship service from the comfort of your home on Facebook Live. Thanks for your cooperation!

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