

# Order of Worship

Fourth Sunday in Lent

March 22, 2020



## Prelude

### Call to Worship

Our help is in the name of the Lord, maker of heaven and earth.

*This is the day that the Lord has made.*

Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

*The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.*

Let us worship God!

**Song** 177

I Will Come to You  
Verses 1 & 2

YOU ARE MINE  
Soloist: Greg Knauf

## Opening Prayer

### Life in Community

The peace and joy of the Lord be with you and yours today.

Thanks for joining us for worship – wherever you are.

A special shout-out to CPC members joining us from home.

We are here in our sanctuary, keeping safe distance: Doug Heist, Greg Knauf, Keith Glennan is at the camera, Dorothy and me.

Here are several to highlight announcements:

- We will have two online Zoom check-ins this week. Look for invitation in your email. Thursday Morning Bible Study will meet again this week at 10:30 a.m., an invitation to join will go out on Tuesday evening.
- If we don't have a correct email for you – if you're not getting weekly mailings – just send me an email and we'll add you to the Constant Contact list.
- Catonsville Emergency Assistance is having a food drive. They are in urgent need of many items. They are accepting donations of food: Saturdays, Mondays, and Tuesdays from 9-12 a.m. You can also make a financial gift online.

### Prayer for Illumination

Faithful God, your grace is our daily bread.

Nourish us by your Word

and fill us with your Spirit so that we may grow in faith and love;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Scripture:**

Exodus 16: 22-36

**Message:** *Manna for the Moment*

**Offering:** *Every generous act of giving is itself a gift from God above. ~James 1:17*

**Prayers of Intercession & Lord's Prayer**

Satisfy us with your love in the morning,  
*and we will live this day in joy and praise.*

Psalm 90:14

Loving God, as the rising sun chases away the night,  
so you have scattered the power of death in the rising of Jesus Christ,  
and you bring us all blessings in him.

Especially we thank you for the life and work of your church, both near and far,  
for the ministry of Word and Sacrament. . .  
those who serve and care for others . . .  
the affection of our friends . . .  
your call to love and serve one another . . .  
the presence and power of your Spirit . . .

Mighty God, with the dawn of your love you  
reveal your victory over all that would destroy or harm,  
and you brighten the lives of all who need you.

Especially we pray for our nation and world facing this time of crisis . . .  
For the life of the planet, endangered species of animals and plants . . .  
Those who are isolated by sickness or sorrow . . .  
Those who suffer mental anguish. . .  
All who seek the way and truth of Christ . . .

Holy God, your love is higher than the heavens  
and your grace wider than the sea.  
Awaken our hearts to the joy of your presence  
and open our lips to sing your praise;  
to the glory of Jesus Christ our Lord, who taught us to pray:  
Our Father...

**Song 177**

I Will Come to You  
Verses 3 & 4

YOU ARE MINE

**Blessing**

The peace of the Lord be with you.

Be of good courage.

Hold fast that which is good.

Render to no one evil for evil.

Strengthen the fainthearted.

Support the weak.

Help the afflicted.

Show love to everyone.

Love and serve the Lord,

rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit;

and the blessing of almighty God,

the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,

be among you and remain with you always.

*Amen*

**Postlude**