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SUNDAY WORSHIP CELEBRATION

May 5, 2024 10:00 AM

GATHERING

PRELUDE He Leadeth Me McDonald

Dr. Dasom Kwon, piano

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Ross Reddick

Rev. Rachel Boden *CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: By grace, we are saved, through faith.

People: God's mercy never ends.

Leader: In love, we are bound to Christ and to one another.

People: God's love never ends.

Leader: With compassion, we serve not only friends and neighbors, but the world.

People: Give us hearts to serve, O God.

*HYMN 113 Christ the Lord Is Risen Today! Presbyterian Hymnal

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord, we come before You to confess our sin. We have hurt others with our words and actions. We have failed to show kindness and compassion. Our sin is ever before us. Forgive us for the times we have ignored those in need and turned away from opportunities to make a positive difference. Help us to recognize our mistakes and to strive for understanding and reconciliation. Grant us the strength to be better versions of ourselves, reflecting Your love and grace in all that we do. May Your mercy and forgiveness guide us on the path of righteousness. Amen.

(A moment for Personal Confession)

*DECLARATION OF PARDON

Leader: As far as the east is from the west, so far has the Lord removed our transgressions

from us.

People: We give thanks for God's grace and mercy. Christ sets us free! Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI

*SHARING OF THE PEACE

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

WORD

Rev. Linda McClanahan PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Psalm 98:1-9 FIRST READING

Leader: The Word of the Lord **People: Thanks be to God.**

*Please rise in body or spirit.

ANTHEM Fear Not for I Have Redeemed You

Chancel Choir; Dr. Dasom Kwon, piano; Dr. Sujin Kim, director

John 15:9-17 SECOND READING

> Leader: The Word of the Lord People: Thanks be to God

"No Greater Love" SERMON Rev. Ross Reddick

*HYMN 322 Spirit of the Living God Presbyterian Hymnal

THE LORD'S SUPPER

GREAT THANKSGIVING AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Leader: The Lord be with you. People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts. People: We lift them up to the Lord. Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and

praise.

Diane Hannibal

(prayer continues...)

Leader: Therefore with all creation we sing your praise:

People: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest. (prayer continues...)

Leader: Great is the mystery of our faith:

People: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again. (prayer continues...)

WORDS OF INSTITUTION AND COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

SENDING

OFFERTORY Amen! Labenske

Dr. Dasom Kwon, piano

*DOXOLOGY

Great Is Thy Faithfulness *HYMN 276 Presbyterian Hymnal

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*Please rise in body or spirit.