

WHITE MEMORIAL

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

May 10, 2020

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Christopher Edmonston, Pastor

Chip Pope, Associate Pastor for Youth & Their Families

Grier Richards, Associate Pastor for Discipleship

Karl Zinsmeister, Director of Music

Kelly Gold, Director of Children's and Youth Music

ORDER OF SERVICE

GREETING

PRELUDE

I Need Thee Every Hour

arr. John Ness Beck

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN 735

I Need Thee Every Hour

PRAYER OF ADORATION

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Psalm 66:8-20

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Acts 17:22-31

A TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

SERMON

"Unexpected Things"

MUSICAL OFFERING

Teaching **HYMN 253**

Alleluia! Christ Is Arisen

(CONTINUED)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

RESPONDING IN FAITH

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

(from A Brief Statement of Faith, 1983)

**We trust in Jesus Christ,
fully human, fully God.
Jesus proclaimed the reign of God:
preaching good news to the poor
and release to the captives,
teaching by word and deed
and blessing the children,
healing the sick
and binding up the brokenhearted,
eating with outcasts,
forgiving sinners,
and calling all to repent and believe the gospel.
Unjustly condemned for blasphemy and sedition,
Jesus was crucified,
suffering the depths of human pain
and giving his life for the sins of the world.
God raised this Jesus from the dead,
vindicating his sinless life,
breaking the power of sin and evil,
delivering us from death to life eternal.**

HYMN 253

Alleluia! Christ Is Arisen

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

POSTLUDE

Today triumphs God's Son
J.S. Bach

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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

735 I Need Thee Every Hour

1 I need thee ev - ery hour, most gra - cious Lord;
 2 I need thee ev - ery hour; stay thou near by;
 3 I need thee ev - ery hour; teach me thy will,
 4 I need thee ev - ery hour, Most Ho - ly One;

no ten - der voice like thine can peace af - ford.
 temp - ta - tions lose their power when thou art nigh.
 and thy rich prom - is - es in me ful - fill.
 O make me thine in - deed, thou bless - ed Son.

Refrain

I need thee, O I need thee, ev - ery hour I need thee!

O bless me now, my Sav - ior— I come to thee!

Encouraged by her pastor in Brooklyn, New York, the author of this text wrote over four hundred hymn texts. This is the only one to receive wide use, but it has been translated into many languages. Her pastor composed this tune and, with her consent, added the text of the refrain.

Alleluia! Christ Is Arisen

Refrain / Estribillo

¡Aleluya! Cristo resucitó



Al - le - lu - ia! Christ is a - ris - en.

¡A - le - lu - ya! Cris - to re - su - ci - tó



Bright is the dawn-ing of the Lord's day.

la ma - dru - ga - da del do - min - go.



1 Run, faith - ful wom - en, to the grave - side.

2 Rise, Mag - da - le - na, from your weep - ing;

3 Gath - er, dis - ci - ples, in the eve - ning;

4 Thom - as, where were you on that eve - ning?



Mar - vel, the stone is rolled a - way!

Christ stands be - fore your ver - y eyes.

sud - den - ly Christ your Lord ap - pears.

"I'll not be - lieve un - less I see."

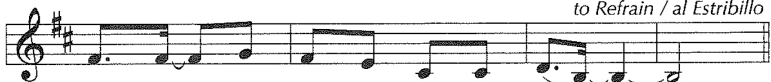


Hear from the an - gel, "He is ris - en."

Quick - ly re - turn to the dis - ci - ples;

"Look, it is I, your wound - ed Sav - ior.

Christ comes a - gain, and ev - ery Lord's day:



Christ goes be - fore you all the way.

bear the good news: "He is a - live."

Peace be with you, and do not fear."

"Touch me and see; have faith in me."

to Refrain / al Estribillo

Stephen Ministry 2020 Commissioning Class **Commissioned Sunday, May 3, 2020**

Christ Caring for People Through People

The Stephen Ministry mission is
“to equip God’s people for the work of ministry”
(Ephesians 4:12).

STEPHEN MINISTERS COMMISSIONED:

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Jane MacLeod

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*“A new commandment I give you: Love one another.
As I have loved you, so you must love one another.”*

- John 13:34