

**8:30 & 10:30 a.m.
WORSHIP**

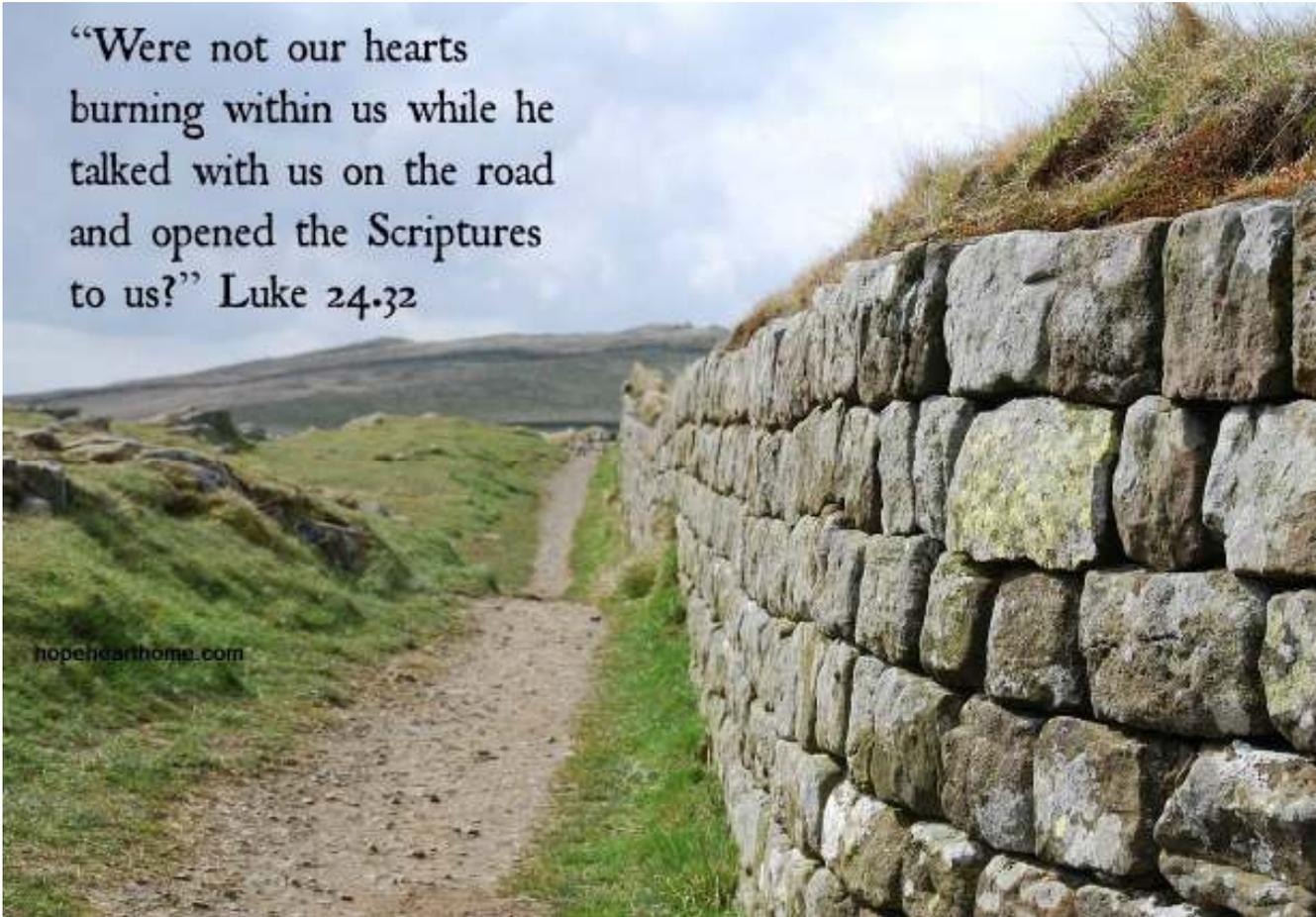
SHEPHERD OF THE GLADES LUTHERAN CHURCH

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“Were not our hearts
burning within us while he
talked with us on the road
and opened the Scriptures
to us?” Luke 24.32

**APRIL 28, 2019
SECOND SUNDAY
OF EASTER**

All Are Welcome

All who have come to worship are heartily welcomed. Let us joyfully open our hearts to God and to one another.

You are encouraged to participate in all that Shepherd of the Glades has to offer and to make Shepherd of the Glades your spiritual home.

All are invited and welcome to partake of the sacrament of Holy Communion by kneeling at the altar rail. Children are encouraged to come to receive the Lord's Blessing. The Eucharist is celebrated by intinction. Our Altar Guild at all communion services offers grape juice (the smaller chalice), as well as wine, for intinction, the dipping of wafer into the wine or juice. The Assistant will hold both the wine and the juice and move from the center to the outside of the communion rail. Communion is continuous with kneeling. Note: Gluten free wafers are now offered, as well.

If Shepherd of the Glades can be of service to you or if you would like Pastor Bob to contact you, please so indicate on the pew welcome sheet.

SHEPHERD OF THE GLADES CHURCH

*A Lutheran Community of Christian Believers
Second Sunday of Easter – April 28, 2019
8:30 & 10:30 A.M. Worship - Setting 10*

+ Indicates Please Stand

Bold Indicates Congregation Joins In

PRELUDE

Megan Cianflone, Director of Music

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P In the name of the father, and of the +Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

P God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C **Amen.**

P Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.
Silence is kept for reflection.

P Most merciful God,

C **We confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

P In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all our sins, in the name of the Father, and of the +Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

GATHERING HYMN

“Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain”

ELW 363

GREETING

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all

C **And also with you.**

+ **HYMN OF PRAISE**

Come, Let Us Join



1 Come, let us join our cheer-ful songs with an-gels round the throne;
2 "Wor - thy the Lamb that died," they cry, "to be ex - alt - ed thus!"
3 Je - sus is wor - thy to re-ceive hon - or and pow'r di - vine;
4 Let all cre - a - tion join in one to bless the sa - cred name



ten thou-sand thou-sand are their tongues, but all their joys are one.
"Wor - thy the Lamb," our lips re - ply, "for he was slain for us!"
and bless-ings, more than we can give, be, Lord, for - ev - er thine.
of God who sits up - on the throne, and to a - dore the Lamb.

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+ **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P Let us pray.

C **O God of life, you reach out to us amid our fears with the wounded hands of your risen Son. By your Spirit's breath revive our faith in your mercy, and strengthen us to be the body of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

FIRST READING : Acts 5:27-32

²⁷When they had brought the apostles, they had them stand before the council. The high priest questioned them, ²⁸saying, "We gave you strict orders not to teach in this name, yet here you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and you are determined to bring this man's blood on us." ²⁹But Peter and the apostles answered, "We must obey God rather than any human authority. ³⁰The God of our ancestors raised up Jesus, whom you had killed by hanging him on a tree. ³¹God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Savior that he might give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins. ³²And we are witnesses to these things, and so is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him."

A The Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM: Psalm 118:14-29 *(Spoken responsively)*

¹⁴The LORD is my strength¹ and my song,
and has become¹ my salvation.

¹⁵**Shouts of rejoicing and salvation echo in the tents¹ of the righteous:
"The right hand of the¹ LORD acts valiantly!**

¹⁶The right hand of the LORD¹ is exalted!
The right hand of the¹ LORD acts valiantly!"

¹⁷**I shall not¹ die, but live,
and declare the works¹ of the LORD.**

¹⁸The LORD indeed pun-¹ished me sorely,
but did not hand me o-¹ver to death.

¹⁹**Open for me the¹ gates of righteousness;
I will enter them and give thanks¹ to the LORD.**

²⁰"This is the gate¹ of the LORD;
here the righ-¹teous may enter."

²¹**I give thanks to you, for you have¹ answered me
and you have become¹ my salvation.**

²²The stone that the build-¹ers rejected
has become the chief¹ cornerstone.

²³**By the LORD has¹ this been done;
it is marvelous¹ in our eyes.**

²⁴This is the day that the¹ LORD has made;
let us rejoice and be¹ glad in it.

²⁵**Hosanna!¹ O LORD, save us!
We pray to you, LORD, pros-¹per our days!**

²⁶Blessed is the one who comes in the name¹ of the LORD;
we bless you from the house¹ of the LORD.

²⁷**The LORD is God and has giv-¹en us light.
Form a procession with branches up to the corners¹ of the altar.**

²⁸You are my God, and¹ I will thank you;
you are my God, and I¹ will exalt you.

²⁹**Give thanks to the LORD, for the¹ LORD is good;
God's mercy en-¹dures forever.**

SECOND READING: Revelation 1:4-8

⁴John to the seven churches that are in Asia: Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, ⁵and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, ⁶and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. ⁷Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen. ⁸I am the Alpha and the Omega, says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

A The Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Pastor Bob Hoffman

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Gospel Acclamation



Al - le - lu - ia! Lord and Sav - ior: o - pen now your sav - ing word.



Let it burn like fire with - in us; speak un - til our hearts are stirred.



Al - le - lu - ia! Lord, we sing for the good news that you bring.

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+ **The Holy Gospel according to: Luke 24:13-35** C **Glory to you, O Lord.**

¹³ Now on that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem, ¹⁴ and talking with each other about all these things that had happened. ¹⁵ While they were talking and discussing, Jesus himself came near and went with them, ¹⁶ but their eyes were kept from recognizing him. ¹⁷ And he said to them, “What are you discussing with each other while you walk along?” They stood still, looking sad. ¹⁸ Then one of them, whose name was Cleopas, answered him, “Are you the only stranger in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have taken place there in these days?” ¹⁹ He asked them, “What things?” They replied, “The things about Jesus of Nazareth, who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, ²⁰ and how our chief priests and leaders handed him over to be condemned to death and crucified him. ²¹ But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel. Yes, and besides all this, it is now the third day since these things took place. ²² Moreover, some women of our group astounded us. They were at the tomb early this morning, ²³ and when they did not find his body there, they came back and told us that they had indeed seen a vision of angels who said that he was alive. ²⁴ Some of those who were with us went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said; but they did not see him.” ²⁵ Then he said to them, “Oh, how foolish you are, and how slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have declared! ²⁶ Was it not necessary that the Messiah should suffer these things and then enter into his glory?” ²⁷ Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets, he interpreted to them the things about himself in all the scriptures. ²⁸ As they came near the village to which they were going, he walked ahead as if he were going on. ²⁹ But they urged him strongly, saying, “Stay with us, because it is almost evening and the day is now nearly over.” So he went in to stay with them. ³⁰ When he was at the table with them, he took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. ³¹ Then their eyes were opened, and they recognized him; and he vanished from their sight. ³² They said to each other, “Were not our hearts burning within us ^[f] while he was talking to us on the road, while he was opening the scriptures to us?” ³³ That same hour they got up and returned to Jerusalem; and they found the eleven and their companions gathered together. ³⁴ They were saying, “The Lord has risen indeed, and he has appeared to Simon!” ³⁵ Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he had been made known to them in the breaking of the bread.

P The Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

HYMN OF THE DAY *“That Easter Day with Joy Was Bright”* **ELW 384**

A Let us proclaim our trust in the presence and power of God in our lives with the words of the Nicene Creed.

+ NICENE CREED

All: We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen, and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation, he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen

PRAYERS

A Trusting God's promise of new life, we pray for the renewal of the church, the world, and all of creation. Strengthen the witness of your church in all corners of the world. Make us visible signs of your grace so others see your goodness and come to believe. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A Breathe life and peace into your creation. Protect homes, fields, and communities from damaging winds. Bless environmentalists, engineers, and legislators who work to curb pollution and to ensure clean air for us and for future generations. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A Give to all government leaders a renewed spirit of humility and servanthood, following the example of Christ, our leader, savior, and ruler. Uphold cease-fires, treaties, and all agreements and agencies that further the cause of peace on earth. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A By the resurrection of the wounded Christ, draw near to those wounded in body or spirit. Liberate all who are bound by grief, abuse, addiction, or pain. Restore faith to the despairing and hope to the suffering. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A Protect and provide for all whom you send out in mission across the world. Empower global mission organizations and partners who provide for the physical and spiritual needs of our neighbors.

C **Your mercy is great.**

A Send your Holy Spirit on this congregation and our Call Committee as we prepare ourselves to call the pastor you have chosen for us. Hear us, O God.

C **Your mercy is great.**

A We give you thanks for all the saints who believed in you and who now enjoy eternal life in your name. Sustain us with your everlasting presence, for you are Alpha and Omega, our beginning and our end. Hear us, O God.

C **Your mercy is great.**

A We commend these and all our prayers to you, O God. Come near to us with your saving help, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.

C **Amen.**

+ **SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

P The Peace of the Lord be with you always.

C **And also with you.**

(Please greet one another as we share Christ's presence in our midst.)

WE SHARE OUR GIFTS & TITHES

OFFERTORY HYMN

“Christ the Lord Is Risen Today!”

ELW 373

+ **OFFERTORY PRAYER**

A Let us pray.

C **Risen One, as you broke bread with the disciples on the shore, meet us now in this meal. Nourish us to follow you, using our gifts to feed the hungry and tend the weary, and all for your love's sake. Amen.**

+ **THE GREAT THANKSGIVING**

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your hearts.

C **We lift them to the Lord.**

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

+ **PROPER PREFACE**

P It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise . . . We praise your name and join their unending hymn:

+ **SANCTUS**

Holy, Holy, Holy

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san - na in the high - est.
Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

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+ **THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE**

P Holy, mighty, and merciful Lord,

C **Heaven and earth are full of your glory. In great love you sent to us Jesus, your Son, who reached out to heal the sick and suffering, who preached good news to the poor, and who, on the cross, opened his arms to all.**

P In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me. Again after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me. Remembering, therefore, his death, resurrection, and ascension, we await his coming in glory.

C **Pour out upon us the Spirit of your love, O Lord, and unite the wills of all who share this heavenly food, the body and blood of Jesus Christ our Lord; to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all glory and honor, now and forever. Amen.**

+ **THE LORD'S PRAYER** *(Spoken)*

P Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.

C **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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

THE COMMUNION

P Jesus Christ, risen from the dead, gives everyone a place at the welcome table.
Alleluia! Come to the feast.

(Eucharist is celebrated by intinction, the dipping of bread into the wine or juice. All are welcome to partake of the sacrament.)

A Please be seated.

O Lamb of God



1 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
2 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
3 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;



you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer-cy now, we pray.
you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer-cy now, we pray.
e - ter-nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray.

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COMMUNION HYMN

“Bread of Life from Heaven ”

ELW 474

Please stand as you are able.

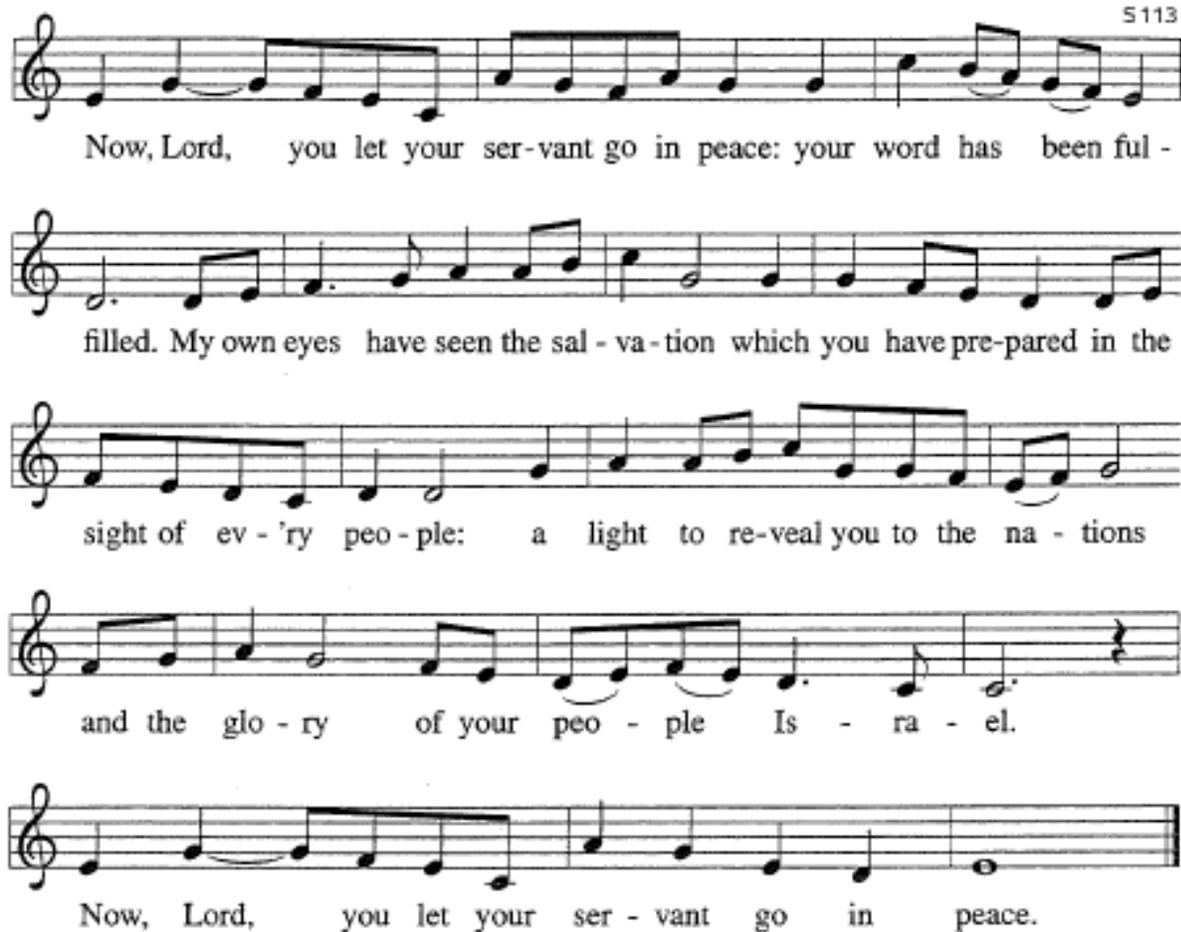
+ **COMMUNION ACCLAMATION**

P Let us pray.

C **The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen us and keep us in his grace. Amen**

+ POST COMMUNION CANTICLE

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Now, Lord, you let your ser-vant go in peace: your word has been ful -

filled. My own eyes have seen the sal - va - tion which you have pre-pared in the

sight of ev - 'ry peo - ple: a light to re-veal you to the na - tions

and the glo - ry of your peo - ple Is - ra - el.

Now, Lord, you let your ser - vant go in peace.

A Let us pray.

C **Living God, you have greeted us in our brokenness and nourished us with the body of Christ, broken for us. Risen to new life with you, send us now to bear your healing love into the wounded world, in the name of our risen Savior and Lord. Amen.**

PRAYER OF FAREWELL AND GODSPEED

P Every year our congregation welcomes those who return to Southwest Florida to escape the rigors of Winter in the North. At this time of year, we bid farewell to those who are returning North. *(Please stand if you anticipate the beginning of your journey North during the next week.)* The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Listen to the words of Exodus 23:20: The Lord said, "I am going to send an angel in front of you to guard you on the way and to bring you to the place that I have prepared. Let us pray.

C **May God, who is present in sunrise and nightfall and in the crossing of the sea, guide our feet as we go. May God, who is with us when we sit and when we stand, encompass us with love and lead us by the hand. May God, who knows our path and the places where we rest, be with us in our waiting, be our good news for sharing and lead us in the way that is everlasting. Amen. [adapted from A Liturgy for Ordinary Radicals]**

+ THE BLESSING

P The blessing of the living God, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, surround and sustain you, keep you from harm, and fill you with courage.

C Amen

+ SENDING HYMN *“The Head That Once Was Crowned”* **ELW 432**

+ PRAYER FOR SENDING

P Let us pray.

C **O God, you have called your servants to ventures of which we cannot see the ending, by paths as yet untrodden, through perils unknown. Give us such trust in your presence and power in our lives to go out with good courage, not knowing where we go, but knowing only that your hand is leading us and your love supporting us. Amen.**

+ DISMISSAL

A You are the body of Christ raised up for the world. Go in peace. Share the good news. Alleluia!

C **Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The flowers on the chancel today are given by Connee & Tony Zeman in celebration of their anniversary.

A CALL FOR ACTION

Every week, Shepherd of the Glades will be collecting and donating canned and boxed food to help persons in need at St. Matthew's House, Grace Place, and Immokalee Friendship House. Suggested items are canned food of all kinds, powdered milk, peanut butter, jellies/jams, cereals, soups, rice, pasta, etc. Items need to be within code date and unopened. Just bring your donations to the Church and give to the ushers. All items are being delivered locally. The last delivery was to St. Matthew's House.



FOR OUR YOUNGEST WORSHIPPERS

If you are worshipping with a child, there are activity bags for children to use during service which are located near the front door on the table. Please feel free to make use of them.

DEDICATE FLOWERS FOR 2019

The new flower calendar sign-up is posted on the bulletin board near the mailboxes. Want to dedicate flowers to honor a loved one? Sign up today to get your special date.

BONE BUILDERS

Bone Builders meets every Monday and Wednesday morning from 9:00-10:00 a.m. in Hanson Hall. The class is provided by Collier County year round and is free. It consists mainly of low impact chair exercises for osteoporosis prevention and balance issues. All are welcome to attend. For more info contact Pastor or Carol Lyberg.

ONE SERVICE STARTS MAY 5TH

On Sunday, May 5, 2019, we resume our one service schedule. Worship will be at 9:30 a.m.

LEAVING FOR THE NORTH?

Leaving for the North? Be sure to let us know on the form on the Narthex counter. If you have food you need to dispose of before leaving, remember you may leave it at our food collection spot also in the Narthex, and we'll be sure it gets to a local needy agency.

HELP WANTED

If you are looking for an opportunity to serve, we have two groups who could use some extra help:

Property Crew - On Tuesday mornings, members of the Property Crew do general maintenance and yardwork, helping to keep SOTG looking good and in good repair. If you have questions, please call Doug Walck, Tom Dunlop, or Ron Modjeska.

Financial Committee Chair and Treasurer - Tony Zeman has been our Treasurer since January, 2015. He is looking to retire from this position by December, 2019. He has reorganized all the budget line items, so that we are in good financial order. The Treasurer's responsibility is to review the monthly financial reports and report to Council and develop the annual budget, getting input from the various ministries of the church. For more information, please contact Larry Buettner, Council President or Tony Zeman.

Endowment Committee - The Endowment Committee is looking for additional members. The Endowment Committee looks after the funds donated for legacy giving and seeks to make this investment opportunity available to those in the church. For more information, please contact "Pete" Peterson (239-732-6993) or Bonny Dery (239-455-2645).

MAY DAY CELEBRATION

You have at least one more opportunity to gather with fellow parishioners here at Shepherd of the Glades. On May 1st (May Day), we will gather together for hors d'oeuvres (snacks) and drinks, we'll even have a May Pole for you to dance around. You bring a favorite hors d'oeuvre to share and your favorite drink for yourself and come to Hanson Hall at 5:30 p.m. for some fun and fellowship.

This week at Shepherd of the Glades:

Office hours this week through May 10 are: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday; and 9:00 a.m. –11:30 a.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Lynn Dickerman will be on vacation this week through May 10; Joanne Hogan will be in the office in her absence.

Sunday, April 28, 2019, 8:30 and 10:30 a.m. Worship; 10:30 am. Sunday School with Pastor Bob

Monday and Wednesday, April 29 & May 1, 2019, 9:00-10:00 a.m. Bone Builders, Hanson Hall. All are welcome

Tuesday, April 30, 2019, 8:30 a.m. Sew-Sews and Landscaping Crew

Wednesday, May 1, 2019, 5:30 p.m. May Day D'Ourves

Sunday, May 5, 2019, 9:30 a.m. Worship (One service) with Pastor Bob

Ways to Be Faithful with the Lord

- † Put God first
- † Seek and do God's will
- † Pray daily
- † Worship weekly
- † Study & know God's word
- † Love & serve others
- † Tithe thankfully
- † Share the Gospel
- † Participate at church
- † Repent unfaithfulness

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Follow Jesus**

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