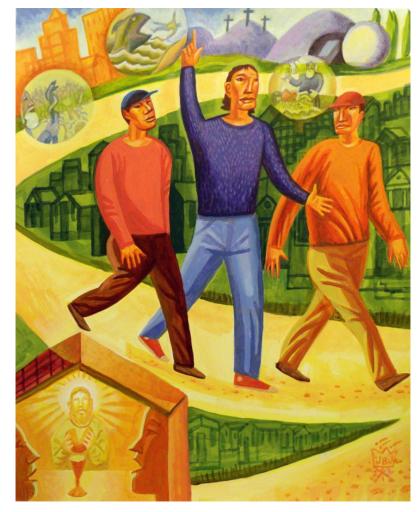


Worship of God in Christ April 16, 2023



"Road to Emmaus" (2011) by James B. Janknegt

2nd Sunday of Easter

Marking of the Hour

People: Thanks be to God!

We mark the hour, awakening us to the presence of God, alerting us to the voice of Christ, and centering us in the embrace of the Holy Spirit. **Opening Words** Rev. Val Fisk Prelude – "This is My Father's World" (arr. Jordan) **Barbara** Moore Lighting the Candles We light these candles to welcome the Spirit, for they represent how Jesus is the Light of the world which guides us through life. **Opening the Bible** We open the Bible to remind us that God speaks to us through the Holy Word. Call to Worship Alice Batten One: God made a wonderful world. Many: It's so easy to take it for granted. One: Today, we will pause and give thanks for all that is good. Many: We will praise God for the mountains and rivers and creatures that roam the earth. One: Today, we will give thanks for truth, beauty, and goodness. Many: We thank God for loving us and for the chance to love one another. One: This is the day the Lord has made. Many: We will rejoice and be glad in it. *Hymn – "All Creatures of Our God and King" v. 1-4 *Invocation Will Cooke Greeting Will Cooke Please take a moment to sign and pass the red booklets found in each row so that we have a record of your presence with us today. Children's Sermon **Glenna** Ohlms Mission Moment - Wonderful World Testimony **Ray Gaines** *Hymn - "For the Beauty of the Earth" Laura Morris Gospel Lesson 1 – Luke 24:13-27 Leader: The Word of the Lord.

Barbara Moore

Morning Prayer and Blessing

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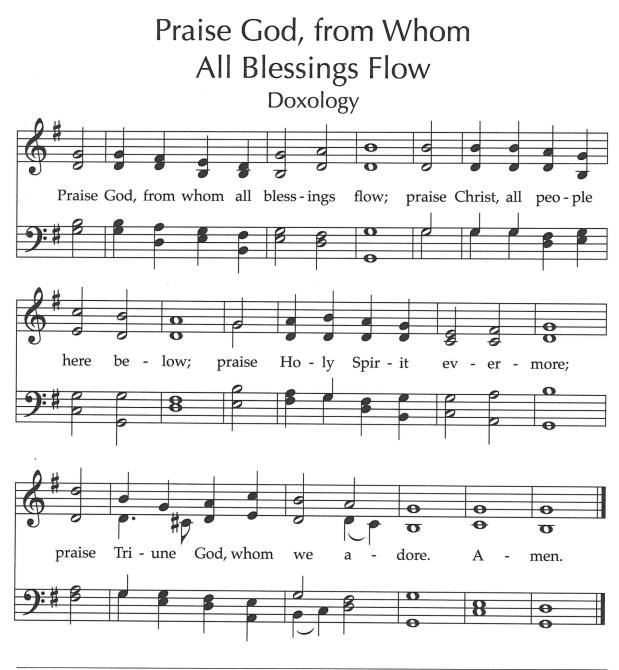
Gospel Lesson 2 – Luke 24:28-35 Leader: The Word of the Lord. People: Thanks be to God!	Ingrid Flaherty
Anthem – "Teach Me Thy Song, O Lord" (Courtney)	Sanctuary Choir
Sermon – "The Risen Lord is Here"	Dr. Matthew Tennant
Meditation - "What a Wonderful World"	Barbara Moore
Invitation Dr. Tennant If you are interested in joining University Baptist Church or speaking with a minister, please come forward as we sing our final hymn.	
*Hymn – "What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine"	
*Postlude – "For the Beauty of the Earth" (arr. Herbeck) Barbara Moore

* Please rise as you are able, in body or spirit.





In the course of many revisions, the original eucharistic emphasis of this text has shifted to a hymn of thanksgiving for a wide range of human experience, with a Christological summation. It is set here to the tune that is customary in North America, though not elsewhere.



TEXT: Neil Weatherhogg, 1988 MUSIC: Genevan Psalter, 1551 Text © 1990 Neil Weatherhogg

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WELCOME TO UNIVERSITY BAPTIST CHURCH

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