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THE ORDER OF WORSHIP
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
PENDLETON, OREGON – MAY 1, 2022
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



West, Benjamin, 1738-1820. Conversion of St. Paul, Altarpiece, Dallas Museum of Art, from **Art in the Christian Tradition**, a project of the Vanderbilt Divinity Library, Nashville, TN. <https://diglib.library.vanderbilt.edu/act-imagelink.pl?RC=54208> [retrieved April 27, 2022].
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LITURGIST: ALICE HEPBURN

- Masks are optional.
- **Bold words are spoken together.**
- The nursery is open for children aged 0-5.
- Older children can stay for the worship service. An usher will provide an activity bag.

PRELUDE

We Come as Guests Invited

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

GATHERING PRAYER

*HYMN #250

In the Bulb There Is a Flower

CALL TO WORSHIP

From Psalm 30

We praise you, O Lord,
for you have drawn us up out of the depths.
**We cried to you for help, O God,
and you offered us healing.**
We, the faithful, will sing praise to the Lord.
We give thanks to God's holy name.
You have turned our mourning into dancing.
**You have taken our sackcloth
and clothed us, instead, with joy.**
Our souls will praise you and will not be silent.
To you, O God, we will give our thanks forever.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

From Psalm 30 and Acts 9

**Loving God, we can be so sure that we know what is best.
We head into life following our own dreams.
Interrupt us with the blinding light of your grace,
that we may gain new vision.
When despair and sadness overwhelm us,
and when hope fails us,
teach us to dance to the music of your love.
Open us up, O God, that we may see your path,
walk in deeper faith, and be loving witnesses of your glory.**
(time for silent, personal confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

From Psalm 30

Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes in the morning.
God is at work, transforming our sorrow,
giving us hope for a new day.
Join me in these words of forgiveness:
By the grace of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

*GLORIA PATRI

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.**

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

From John 20

God's love and grace are continually poured into our hearts.

This gives us peace.

Let us share the peace of Christ with one another.

May the peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you!**

Look to your neighbor, wave to your neighbor,
and share God's peace with one another.

ANTHEM

I love you Lord

Bells of Joy

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON

NT p. 119

Acts 9:1-20

GOSPEL LESSON

NT p. 109

John 21:1-19

SERMON

Re-call

*HYMN #69

Here I am, Lord

OFFERING

God is Our Refuge and Our Strength

*DOXOLOGY

GTG #607

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Christ, all people here below;

Praise Holy Spirit, evermore;

Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen

PRAYER OF DEDICATION, JOYS, CONCERNS, AND 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.**

*HYMN #498 *Loaves Were Broken, Words Were Spoken Vs. 1, 2*

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

The Invitation to the Lord's Table

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Words of Institution

Communion of the People

*HYMN #498 *Loaves Were Broken, Words Were Spoken Vs. 3, 4*

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

The Steadfast Love of the Lord

CALENDAR

Sunday, May 1

10:00 AM Worship Service – 3rd Sunday of Easter

11:00 AM Fellowship Coffee Hour

Caring Commission meeting

Worship meeting in Vert

11:30 AM Art with a Mission(AWAM) El Charito's no host lunch

12:30 PM AWAM meeting in the Vert Room

Monday, May 2

6:00 PM Preschool Open Registration in the Rogers Room

Tuesday, May 3

3:00 PM Wired Word on Zoom

Wednesday, May 4

5:30 PM Bells Practice

7:00 PM Choir Practice

Saturday, May 7th

10 AM-2 PM Clean-Up at Westminster Woods

2-4 PM Everyone Invited: Tea and Cookies with Lorna Waltz

Sunday, May 8

10:00 AM Worship Service – 3rd Sunday of Easter

11:00 AM Fellowship Coffee Hour

Tuesday, May 10

3:00 PM Wired Word on Zoom