
AACRC Worship Order • 10:30am
April 14, 2024 • Third Sunday of Easter

Prelude

Call to Worship & God's Greeting

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Once we were not a people,

now we are God's people.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God:

It is right to give our thanks and praise!

Song: *Ten Thousand Reasons*

Red Hymnal 559

Prayer of Confession

—based on Our World Belongs to God, st. 40

God of grace, we grieve that the church,
which shares one Spirit, one faith, one hope, and one calling,
has become a broken communion in a broken world.
The one body spans all time, place, race, and language,
but in our fear we have fled from and fought one another,
and in our pride we have mistaken our part for the whole.
Yet we marvel that you gather the broken pieces to do your work,
that you bless us with joy, with growth, and with signs of unity.
Forgive our sins and help us to commit ourselves
to seeking and showing the unity of the body of Christ.
In his name, Amen.

Song of Assurance: *Steadfast*

Joshua Silverberg, Leslie Jordan, & Sandra McCracken

Call to New Obedience: The Apostles' Creed

Children's Time

Welcome, Welcome, Jesus

by John Groen and Veena Kulkarni-Rankin

Children sing verses 1-3, Congregation joins on verse 4

(3-5-year-old children are invited to Children's Worship in room 29)

Song: *Open Our Eyes, Lord*

Green Songbook 80

Scripture: I Corinthians 1:10-17

Sermon: One Another: Agree in What You Say

Pastor Mike Hoogeboom

The Lord's Supper

One: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

...and with the company of heaven, we join the unending hymn:

**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!

...Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died!

Christ is risen!

Christ will come again!

Communion Songs:

Let Us Love One Another (choir)

Arnold B. Sherman

Beloved, let us love one another, for love comes from God,
and all who know and call upon his name are children of our Lord.

Beloved, this is what love is; not that we love God,
but that he loves us and sent his only Son to free us from our sin.

How can we not know our God? How can we not love our God?

He sent his only Son to die for all our sins. Is there greater love than this?

Beloved, if this is how God loves, then we should love all people,
and live in perfect harmony with all, and God will live in us.

Christian Hearts in Love United

Red Hymnal 727

**As you come forward, there is an offering plate available to
present your gifts and offerings for the Lord's work through AACRC.**

Prayers of the People

Sending Song: *Friends in Faith*

Green Songbook 135

We Receive God's Blessing

Postlude: *Friends in Faith*

Pastor Noah (Worship leader), Pastor Kristen & Pastor Mike (Liturgists), Paul Herrema (Choir director)
Jack Stephenson (Bass guitar), Adam Langs (Drums), Marilyn McLaughlin (Keys)
Louise Gruppen (Flute), Dan Oram (Piano), Veena Kulkarni-Rankin (Piano)
Ann Van Zomerem (Organ), AACRC Choir, Christine De Zeeuw (Vocals)