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Sunday, April 11, 2021

2nd Sunday of Easter

VIDEO

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Beth Wendl & Rev. David Kenley

CALL TO WORSHIP

OPENING SONG

He Lives!

I serve a risen Savior, he's in the world today; I know that he is living, whatever others say. I see his hand of mercy, I hear his voice of cheer, And just the time I need him, he's always near.

He lives, he lives, Christ Jesus lives today!
He walks with me and talks with me along life's narrow way.
He lives, he lives, salvation to impart!
You ask me how I know he lives? He lives within my heart.

Rejoice, rejoice, O Christian, lift up your voice and sing Eternal hallelujahs to Jesus Christ the King! The hope of all who seek him, the help of all who find; None other is so loving, so good and kind.

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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Rev. Beth Wendl

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 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. Amen.

SCRIPTURE John 20:19-31

¹⁹ When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the religious authorities, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." ²⁰ Having said this, Jesus showed them Jesus' hands and side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. ²¹ Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As God has sent me, so I send you." ²² Having said this, Jesus breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³ If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."

²⁴ But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵ So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But Thomas said to them, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in Jesus' hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in Jesus' side, I will not believe."

²⁶ A week later the disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." ²⁷ Then Jesus said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe." ²⁸ Thomas answered, "My Lord and my God!" ²⁹ Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe."

³⁰ Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. ³¹ But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Child of God, and that through believing you may have life in Jesus' name.

MESSAGE Resurrection Life: "Late to the Party" Rev. David Kenley

SOLO His Eye is On the Sparrow Traditional

Rev. Beth Wendl

VIDEO

COMMUNION (Our Table is Open to All)

Rev. Beth Wendl

MUSIC FOR MEDITATION Chris Chandler

OFFERING

This is the day, this is the day
That the Lord has made, that the Lord has made;
We will rejoice, we will rejoice and be glad in it, and be glad in it.
This is the day that the Lord has made; we will rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day, this is the day that the Lord has made.

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE