

May 5, 2023 Monteith Hall

WORSHIP

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER May 5, 2024 · 11:15 AM

* When this symbol precedes an element of the service. please rise in body or spirit.

GATHERING

OPENING VOLUNTARY

WELCOME & CENTERING

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Side A: God's foundation is set on the holy mountains! Side B: The Lord loves us, great is God's faithfulness!

Side A: Glorious things are said about you, O God.

Side B: Give us, vour servants, the strength to do

your work, always.

Side A: Show us signs of your goodness and

faithfulness.

Side B: Bless God's name forever, let God's glory fill

the Farth!

All: Amen and Amen!

*OPENING HYMN #313 "Lord Make Us More Holy"

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION Merciful God, we confess that we have not lived up to our calling to proclaim the good news in word and deed. We are quick to speak when we ought to listen and hasty to judge others. Strengthen us anew to follow Christ's way in the world, to live faithfully, uplift our neighbors, and serve the Lord.

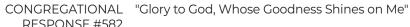
Silence is kept.

ASSURANCE OF GRACE

PASSING OF THE PEACE As you pass the peace with your neighbor.

you are invited to reflect on the importance

of "rest" in your life.





was in the be-gin - ning, is now, and ev-er shall be. A - men.

PROCLAMATION

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION #288

"Spirit of the Living God"

Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Melt me; mold me; fill me; use me. Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me.

SCRIPTURE READING

Mark 1:29-39

SERMON "Rest is Holy"

RESPONSE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & 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.

SENDING

CLOSING HYMN #547 "Go My Children With My Blessing"

*BENEDICTION ...we go out in peace, **to love, to serve, to imagine.**



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