

Service of Worship
April 21, 2024
4th Sunday of Easter

Psalm 23:1: “The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not want.”

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

We gather together this morning to worship the Lord, the shepherd of our lives and our souls. The God who has created us, sustains us, redeems us, and who walks beside us in good times and bad. We gather together to listen for the voice of the one who calls us to follow. This is our God, let us worship together.

Hymn of Gathering #401 “Gather Us In”

Prayer of Confession

Loving God, ideally you guide us in paths of peace and righteousness, but we admit we have often allowed anger, greed, and at times even hatred, to direct our paths. We have overreacted, taken more than our share, been jealous of others that seem to have it all. Forgive us, God, for not following you. Forgive us when we have not listened for your voice and instead allowed others to guide us. Help us back to your path, to loving you and our neighbors. Help us live out hope, healing, forgiveness, and love.

Silent prayer

In the name of Christ, we pray. **Amen.**

Assurance of Forgiveness

Scripture: John 10:11-18

Sermon Rev. Todd Davidson

Music for Meditation

Offering

Doxology – Hymn #606 “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People/The Lord’s Prayer

Hymn of Sending #803 “My Shephard Will Supply My Need”

Benediction