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4th Sunday of Easter
April 26th, 2026

The Gathering of the Community

Prelude

Treaty Acknowledgement and Announcements

Ginny Blake

Opening Sentence:

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord: I know my own and my own know me. ~ *John 10.14*

Processional Hymn: CP #521 "Dear Shepherd of Your People, Hear"

Easter Greeting: BAS p.185

Gloria: Text BAS p.186, Music CP #686

Collect of the Day: BAS p. 339

Children's Time

Blessing Song:

God bless and keep you (both hands raised in blessing)

God shine upon you (hands circling like a sunrise)

God's gracious presence (hands folded in prayer)

Abide with you in peace (one hand raised in blessing) Repeat

The Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: Acts 2:42-47

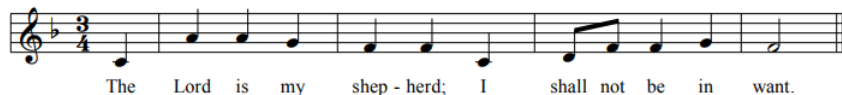
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They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. Awe came upon everyone, because many wonders and signs were being done by the apostles. All who believed were together and had all things in common; they would sell their possessions and goods and distribute the proceeds to all, as any had need. Day by day, as they spent much time together in the temple, they broke bread at home and ate their food with glad and generous hearts, praising God and having the goodwill of all the people. And day by day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 23 BAS p.731



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Second Reading: 1Peter 2.19-25

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For it is a credit to you if, being aware of God, you endure pain while suffering unjustly. If you endure when you are beaten for doing wrong, what credit is that? But if you endure when you do right and suffer

for it, you have God's approval. For to this you have been called, because Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example, so that you should follow in his steps. "He committed no sin, and no deceit was found in his mouth." When he was abused, he did not return abuse; when he suffered, he did not threaten; but he entrusted himself to the one who judges justly. He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, so that, free from sins, we might live for righteousness; by his wounds you have been healed. For you were going astray like sheep, but now you have returned to the shepherd and guardian of your souls.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn: CP# 715 (Chorus only)

"Alleluia"

The Gospel: John 10.1-10

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Jesus said, "Very truly, I tell you, anyone who does not enter the sheepfold by the gate but climbs in by another way is a thief and a bandit. The one who enters by the gate is the shepherd of the sheep. The gatekeeper opens the gate for him, and the sheep hear his voice. He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. When he has brought out all his own, he goes ahead of them, and the sheep follow him because they know his voice. They will not follow a stranger, but they will run from him because they do not know the voice of strangers." Jesus used this figure of speech with them, but they did not understand what he was saying to them. So again Jesus said to them, "Very truly, I tell you, I am the gate for the sheep. All who came before me are thieves and bandits; but the sheep did not listen to them. I am the gate. Whoever enters by me will be saved, and will come in and go out and find pasture. The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly."

The Gospel of Christ.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon

Laura Marie Piotrowicz

Nicene Creed: BAS p.188-189

Prayers of the People

The response to "let us pray to the Lord" is "***hear us, Lord of Glory!***"

Confession and Absolution: BAS p. 191

The Peace: BAS p. 192

The Celebration of the Eucharist

Offertory Hymn:

"Lord of the Dance" (***FAMJAM***)

1. I danced in the morning when the world was begun,
And I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun,
And I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth,
At Bethlehem I had my birth.

Refrain

Dance, then, wherever you may be;

I am the Lord of the Dance, said he;
And I'll lead you all, wherever you may be,
And I'll lead you all in the dance, said he.

2. I danced for the scribe and the pharisee,
But they would not dance and they wouldn't follow me;
I danced for the fishermen, for James and John;
They came with me and the dance went on.

Refrain

3. I danced on the Sabbath and I cured the lame;
The holy people said it was a shame;
They whipped and they stripped and they hung me on high,
And they left me there on a Cross to die.

Refrain

4. I danced on a Friday when the sky turned black-
It's hard to dance with the devil on your back;
They buried my body and they thought I'd gone-
But I am the dance, and I still go on.

Refrain

5. They cut me down and I leapt up high;
I am the life that'll never, never die;
I'll live in you if you'll live in me -
I am the Lord of the Dance, said he.

Refrain x 2

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Prayer over the Gifts: BAS p. 339

Eucharistic Prayer #3: BAS p. 198-200

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord: CP #689

The Lord's Prayer: BAS p. 211

The Breaking of Bread #8: BAS p. 213

The gifts of God, for the people of God.

Thanks be to God!

Lamb of God: CP #690

*All those seeking Christ in their heart are welcome at the table.
The full presence of God is in both bread and wine.
(Gluten free wafers are available; please ask the priest.)
Prayers for healing are offered in the Chapel.*

Hymn During Communion:

“Holy, Holy, Holy” **(FAMJAM)**

Holy, Holy, Holy
Holy, holy, holy,
My heart, my heart adores you!
My heart is glad to say the words:
You are holy, Lord. **(Repeat)**

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Prayer after Communion: BAS p. 340

The Sending Forth of the People of God

Small Doxology

Blessing

Recessional Hymn: CP #520 “The King of Love My Shepherd Is”

Dismissal: Go forth in peace, devoted to the teachings of the Gospel, for they will lead us to a glad and generous heart.

Thanks be to God.

Postlude