

EASTER SUNDAY

CULTIVATING CONNECTION WITH SELF, OTHERS, THE WIDE WORLD, AND GOD

FEEL FREE TO USE PRONOUNS OF YOUR CHOICE FOR ALL SONGS AND PRAYERS

Chimes

Call to Worship: Come Fall On Us

A thankful heart prepares the way for you my God
 A thankful heart prepares the way for you my God
 Come fall on us, we fall on you,
 A thankful heart will be our rhythm
 Come fall on us, we fall on you,
 A thankful heart will be our song

Sarum Prayer:

God be in my head
 and in my understanding;
 God be in my eyes
 and in my looking;
 God be in my mouth
 and in my speaking;
 God be in my heart
 and in my thinking;
 God be at my end
 and at my departing

Children's Minute

A reading from the gospel of Luke, chapter 24.

While the two men were saying these things to the other followers, Jesus himself came and stood among them. He said to them, "Peace be with you."

This surprised the followers. They were afraid. They thought they were seeing a ghost. But Jesus said, "Why are you troubled? Why do you doubt what you see? Look at my hands and my feet. It's really me. Touch me. You can see that I have a living body; a ghost does not have a body like this."

After Jesus told them this, he showed them his hands and his feet. The followers were amazed and very, very happy to see that Jesus was alive. They still could not believe what they saw. He said to them, "Do you have any food here?" They gave him a piece of cooked fish. While the followers watched, he took the fish and ate it.

Announcements

Sermon

Candles

Prayer for Loved Ones:

Tobin, Kaila, the whole Ramade family, Charlotte, Olivia, Zoë, Laura, Becca, Clara, Jason, Nancy, Justin, Orneal & Family, Ted, Mike and Janine, Brooke, Ben and Naomi, Natalie, Linda, Ken and Eleanor, Angelia, Eddie, Kevin, Holly Ann, Pat, Mindy, Allison, Kim, Jamie, Rachel, Erika, Liam, William, Anne, Lauretta, Bob, Gio, Bishop Yvette Flunder, Bishop Bonnie Perry, Bishop Darrell Goodwin, Bishop Phyllis Pennese, Brown, Lilliana, Leah, Alicia, Patrisse, Opal, Ozone House, immigrants.

The Lord's Prayer:

Our Creator in heaven, hallowed be your name.
 Your kin_dom come, your will be done,
 on earth as it is in heaven.
 Give us today our daily bread.
 And forgive us our sins,
 as we forgive those who sin against us.
 Save us from the time of trial,
 and deliver us from evil.
 For the kin_dom, the power, and the glory are yours. Now
 and forever. Amen.

Communion

Mama Bear Minute

Song: Be With You

When you're feeling all alone, and a storm rages inside
 Then the Spirit holds you close, like a mother holds her
 child
 She cries,

(Chorus) "Peace, peace be with you. Peace...
 Be in your troubled heart, in your weary soul
 Peace in your cluttered mind, in your tired bones
 Oh peace, peace be with you, peace be with you"
 Oooh ooh....

(song continued...)

Oh when nothing's going right, there's so much that you
don't know
And your running out of time, and you don't know where
to go
She cries,

(Chorus)

"Through the storm, in the rain,
You know I'll be there for you calming the waves
Take a breath, rest in my love where there's no fear
Peace be still."

(Chorus)

Benediction by Mike Faunce:

Have you ever been hated on or discriminated against? I
have been personally. But I take heart in this if we're not
hated on, we're not doing anything right because look at
Jesus; He was perfect and haters crucified Him. As Christ
followers we will experience hate from this world because
we are different. Jesus says in John 15

"If the world hates you, keep in mind that it hated me
first. As it is, you do not belong to the world, but I have
chosen you out of the world. That is why the world hates
you. Remember what I told you: 'A servant is not greater
than his master.' If they persecuted me, they will
persecute you also. They will treat you this way because
of my name, for they do not know the one who sent me.
But this is to fulfill what is written in their Law: 'They hated
me without reason.'

We will overcome the world's hate together. In Jesus
name Amen.

So go in peace Wash your hands Love your neighbor You
are not alone