

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS AND PASSING OF THE PEACE

Pastor Park

GATHERING SONG**"He is Lord"****UMH # 177**

**He is Lord, he is Lord!
He is risen from the dead and he is Lord!
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess
that Jesus Christ is Lord.**

SCRIPTURE**John 10:1-10**

"Very truly I tell you Pharisees, anyone who does not enter the sheep pen by the gate, but climbs in by some other way, is a thief and a robber.

2 The one who enters by the gate is the shepherd of the sheep.

3 The gatekeeper opens the gate for him, and the sheep listen to his voice. He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out.

4 When he has brought out all his own, he goes on ahead of them, and his sheep follow him because they know his voice.

5 But they will never follow a stranger; in fact, they will run away from him because they do not recognize a stranger's voice."

6 Jesus used this figure of speech, but the Pharisees did not understand what he was telling them.

7 Therefore Jesus said again, "Very truly I tell you, I am the gate for the sheep.

8 All who have come before me are thieves and robbers, but the sheep have not listened to them.

9 I am the gate; whoever enters through me will be saved. They will come in and go out, and find pasture.

10 The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full.

Reader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM**"Come, Christians, Join to Sing."****CUMC Bell Choir****MESSAGE****"Living Life to the Fullest"****Pastor Park****RECEIVING THE MORNING'S OFFERINGS*****DOXOLOGY****UMH # 95**

**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****Pastor Park****PRAYER****Pastor Karen**

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.

*** HYMN****“Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us”****UMH # 381**

1. Savior, like a shepherd lead us,
much we need thy tender care;
in thy pleasant pastures feed us,
for our use thy folds prepare.

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus!
Thou hast bought us, thine we are.
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus!
Thou hast bought us, thine we are.

2. We are thine, thou dost befriend us,
be the guardian of our way;
keep thy flock, from sin defend us,
seek us when we go astray.

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus!
Hear, O hear us when we pray.
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus!
Hear, O hear us when we pray.

3. Thou hast promised to receive us,
poor and sinful though we be;
thou hast mercy to relieve us,
grace to cleanse and power to free.

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus!
We will early turn to thee.
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus!
We will early turn to thee.

4. Early let us seek thy favor,
early let us do thy will;
blessed Lord and only Savior,
with thy love our bosoms fill.

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus!
Thou hast loved us, love us still.
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus!
Thou hast loved us, love us still.

*** BENEDICTION****Pastor Park**

POSTLUDE

“God Be With You Til We Meet Again”

Rosalyn McClore

*Stand as able

Announcements:

- We welcome all of you to our Sunday worship service today. We are glad that you are joining us this morning in person as well as online.
- Today we welcome our bell choir: Carol Gallentine, Paige Moeller, Erin Redd and Kathy Zajac and thank them for sharing their talent with us this morning.
- Altar Flowers are given this morning by Pastor Karen to the Glory of God.
- Special thanks to Susan Drastal for hosting the time of Fellowship today. Please join us for fellowship immediately following the worship service.
- Our annual fish & chips dinner will be held on Saturday, May 9th from 5-7 pm. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$15 for children with outdoor seating as well as takeout. Prepay for your tickets by May 2nd. Walk ups will be available while supplies last.
- What does it truly mean to follow Jesus—not just in belief, but in the way we live each day? Join us for *A Disciple's Path*, a meaningful Bible study that will help us deepen our relationship with Christ and discover practical ways to live out our faith through prayer, worship, service, and generosity. This study will take place via Zoom every Friday evening at 7:30 until May 15th.

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Happy Birthday to:
Ken Ingra— April 26
Doug Wallace —April 29