

TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

April 21st, 2024 10:30 a.m. DIGITAL BULLETIN

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Kathy Eckart, Organist; Christina Wong, Zoomologist

The Fourth Sunday of Easter

PRELUDE, WELCOME, and ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREETING ONE ANOTHER IN CHRISTIAN LOVE Everybody

CALL TO WORSHIP Liturgist

Jesus said, "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.

**I AM THE GOOD SHEPHERD. I KNOW MY OWN AND MY OWN KNOW ME,
JUST AS THE FATHER KNOWS ME AND I KNOW THE FATHER.**

And I lay down my life for the sheep.

**I HAVE OTHER SHEEP THAT DO NOT BELONG TO THIS FOLD. I MUST
BRING THEM ALSO, AND THEY WILL LISTEN TO MY VOICE.**

So there will be one flock, one shepherd.

FOR THIS DAY WE PRAY, O GOD OF US ALL. AMEN!

HYMN # 381

"Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"

**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.**

**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.**

**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.**

**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.**

A TIME FOR THE CHILD IN ALL OF US (10:30)

Pastor Dave

OUR LORD'S PRAYER (Following the prayer, the children may go to Sunday School.)

WE SING AND PRAY # 138

“The King of Love My Shepherd Is”

**The King of love my shepherd is, whose goodness faileth never.
I nothing lack if I am his, and he is mine forever.**

**Where streams of living water flow, my ransomed soul he leadeth;
and where the verdant pastures grow, with food celestial feedeth.**

Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all ye lands. Serve the Lord with gladness; come before his presence with singing. Know ye that the Lord is God; it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are God's people, and the sheep of his pasture. Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise; be thankful unto him, and bless his name. For the Lord is good; his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth to all generations. Amen.

**Perverse and foolish, oft I strayed, but yet in love he sought me;
and on his shoulder gently laid, and home, rejoicing, brought me.**

**In death's dark vale I fear no ill, with thee, dear Lord, beside me;
thy rod and staff my comfort still, thy cross before to guide me.**

Our God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come, our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home! Beneath the shadow of Thy throne still may we dwell secure; sufficient is Thine arm alone, and our defense is sure. Before the hills in order stood, or earth received her frame, from everlasting Thou art God, to endless years the same. O God our help in ages past, our hope for years to come, be Thou our guard while Life shall last, and our eternal home. Amen.

