

... **repentance** and  
**forgiveness** of sins  
is to be **proclaimed**

in

**HIS**

**NAME**

**to all nations ...**

**LUKE 24:47, NRSV**

Welcome to  
Hillcrest Presbyterian Church

*A Service For The Worship Of God*

April 15th, 2018

We give thanks that God has called us to worship together.



**Processional Hymn #447**

Lead On, O King Eternal

**A Word of Welcome and Announcements**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: The bread of life opens our eyes.

**People: The word of life opens our ears.**

Leader: The risen one shows us God's own brokenness,

**People: and by those wounds we are healed.**

**Unison: Let us celebrate God's love together.**

**Prayer Of The Day (In Unison)**

**Almighty God, your power makes the lame walk and the dead rise to new life. We give you thanks for the love poured into our world through Christ Jesus, who opened our minds to understand what you have made, whose appearance among his followers brings peace, and who creates faith through touch and taste. Show us Jesus, even now, through the mystery of trinity – Father, Son and Holy Spirit, one God, abiding now and forever. Amen.**

**Hymn: Give Me Jesus**

Fernando Ortega

In the morning, when I rise  
In the morning, when I rise  
In the morning, when I rise  
Give me Jesus

Give me Jesus,  
give me Jesus  
You can have all this world  
But give me Jesus

Give me Jesus,  
give me Jesus  
You can have all this world  
But give me Jesus

And when I come to die  
Oh and when I come to die  
And when I come to die  
Give me Jesus

And when I am alone  
Oh and when I am alone  
And when I am alone  
Give me Jesus

\*Give me Jesus,  
give me Jesus  
You can have all this world  
You can have all this world  
You can have all this world  
But give me Jesus

## **Call To Confession**

God who calls us to repent, hears us. In full trust that our Creator knows us through and through, let us open our hearts to the healing of God's forgiveness.

## **Prayer of Confession (In Unison)**

**Good and gracious God, we are creatures of dust, ignorant of your revelation, misunderstanding your life, death, and resurrection among us, needing forgiveness. We repent of our failure to give as you have given to us. We beg your mercy for our fallen world. We seek your Word, that we may live with the faith of Jesus. Be our solace in this life and always. We ask this as your own children, holy and incomplete. Forgive us and lead us.**

(Silent Confession) — In Christ's name we pray. **Amen.**

## **Assurance Of Pardon**

Leader: We have an advocate with God - Jesus Christ, the righteous one - who offered his life in love to save the world from sin. This is the good news of the gospel: in Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

**People: Yes it is true, in Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God**

**\*Gloria Patri: *Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.***

## **Passing The Peace Of Christ**

*Leader: As a forgiven people, let us share the peace of Christ  
The Peace Of Christ Be With You.*

**People: And Also With You.**

*Leader: Let us turn and greet one another*

## **Children's Time**

Hymn #391

Take My Life

## **Prayers Of The People and Lord's Prayer**

(You are invited to share out loud your prayer concerns and joys)

Leader: Lord in your mercy

**People: Hear our prayer.**

## **Lord's Prayer (in unison)**

**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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

## **Prayer Response**

Hymn #325 Spirit Divine, Attend Our Prayers

Spirit divine, attend our prayers,  
And make this house your home;  
Descend with all your gracious powers;  
O come, great Spirit, come!

## **Offering** (let us present our Offerings, Tithes and Gifts to the Lord)

Prayer of Dedication

Offertory

\*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise Him, all creatures here below.

Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## **Anthem**

**Heaven's Gonna Be My Home**

## **Scripture**

**Luke 24:36-48**

**While they were talking about this, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you." They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. He said to them, "Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have." And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, "Have you anything here to eat?" They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate in their presence.**

**Then he said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you—that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled." Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things.**

## **Message**

Rev. Jack Cormack

**Hymn:** There Is Power In The Blood – Oak Ridge Boys

There is pow'r, (pow'r) pow'r, (pow'r) wonder working pow'r  
In the precious blood of the Lamb

Would you be free from the burden of sin  
There's pow'r in the Blood, pow'r in the Blood  
Would you o'er evil a victory win  
There's wonderful pow'r in the Blood

There is pow'r, (pow'r) pow'r, (pow'r) wonder working pow'r  
In the Blood (In the Blood) of the Lamb  
There is pow'r, (pow'r) pow'r, (pow'r) wonder working pow'r  
In the precious Blood of the Lamb

Would you be free from the passion and pride  
There's pow'r in the Blood, pow'r in the Blood  
Come for a cleansing to Calvary's tide  
There's wonderful pow'r in the Blood

There is pow'r, (pow'r) pow'r, (pow'r) wonder working pow'r  
In the Blood (In the Blood) of the Lamb  
There is pow'r, (pow'r) pow'r, (pow'r) wonder working pow'r  
In the precious Blood of the Lamb

Would you be whiter, much whiter than snow?  
There's power in the blood, power in the blood  
Sin stains are lost in its life giving flow  
There's wonderful power in the blood

There is pow'r, (pow'r) pow'r, (pow'r) wonder working pow'r  
In the Blood (In the Blood) of the Lamb  
There is pow'r, (pow'r) pow'r, (pow'r) wonder working pow'r  
In the precious Blood of the Lamb

Would you do service for Jesus your King  
There's pow'r in the Blood, pow'r in the Blood  
Would you live daily His praises to sing  
There's wonderful pow'r in the Blood

There is pow'r, (pow'r) pow'r, (pow'r) wonder working pow'r  
In the Blood (In the Blood) of the Lamb  
There is pow'r, (pow'r) pow'r, (pow'r) wonder working pow'r  
In the precious Blood of the Lamb

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In the Blood (In the Blood) of the Lamb  
There is pow'r, (pow'r) pow'r, (pow'r) wonder working pow'r  
In the precious Blood of the Lamb  
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### **\*Charge and Benediction**

### **\*Response**

May the love of God be all around us, all around us, everywhere we go.  
May the grace of God shine down upon us, down upon us, and everyone we know.  
This is our prayer as we leave this place with our hearts full of love and grace.  
May the love of God be all around us, all around us, everywhere we go.

\*=Those for whom it is comfortable are invited to stand

Rev. Jack Cormack

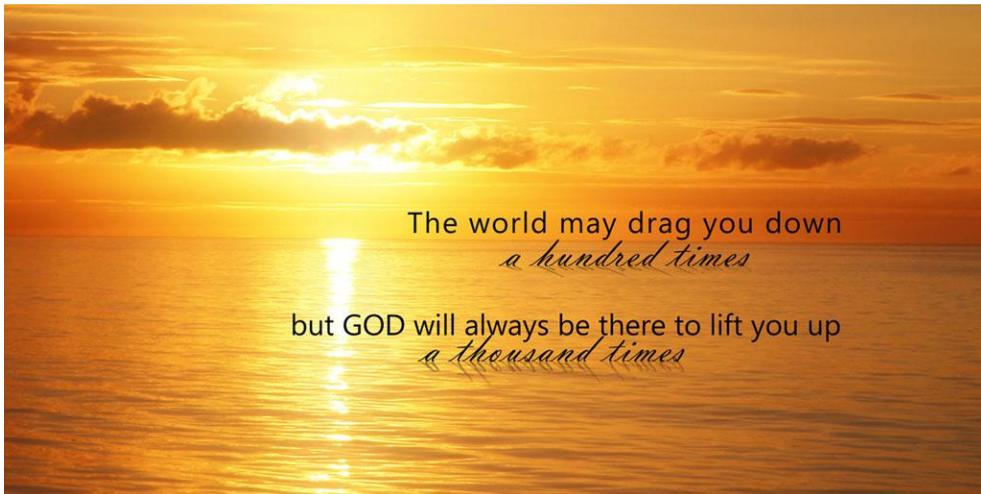
Pastor

Jennifer McCullough

Director of Music

Jo Lynne Palmerton

Pianist



### Ushers

Shannon Scott      Brayden Scott  
Covey Heslin      Tyce Heslin

### Fellowship Hosts

Jack & Scarlet Cormack

### In Our Prayers

Our homebound: Harold Hiser, Gusta Zweerink, and Wayne Zweerink

### CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY

Wayne Keltner, April 20

### CELEBRATING AN ANNIVERSARY

Brandon & Amanda Sigourney, April 21

### SUNDAY, APRIL 15

Discipleship, Noon

### MONDAY, APRIL 16

Book Club, 7:00pm

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18

Worship Committee, 6:00pm

Choir, 7:00pm

Van Driver: Jeremy Heslin  
Nursery: Heather & Jeremy Heslin  
Sound: Garry Hill  
Building Monitor: Bob Hosiner  
Greeter: Scarlet Cormack

### Ongoing Missions:

Food Pantry  
Meals on Wheels  
Rare Breed meals  
Ronald McDonald House meals

### The Food Pantry needs:

Crackers              Jelly  
Peanut Butter      Mashed Potatoes  
Cereal                Pasta



Challenge  
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Change



### Last Week:

We collected \$8.23 which means as a congregation we have 823 electrical outlets!

### This week's challenge:

25¢ for every meal you ate from a restaurant last week

### Next Week's challenge:

15¢ for each coffee pot in your home.



Book Club will meet on April 16th at 7:00pm. They will be reviewing "The Coincidence of Coconut Cake" by Amy Reichert.

April 29<sup>th</sup> will be a Fifth Sunday dinner hosted by the Administration committee. The committee will be providing a taco bar with all the fixins- beef, chicken, cheese, tomatoes, lettuce, sour cream, taco sauce, salsa, taco shells, tortillas, and chips. The congregation is asked to bring sides and desserts.

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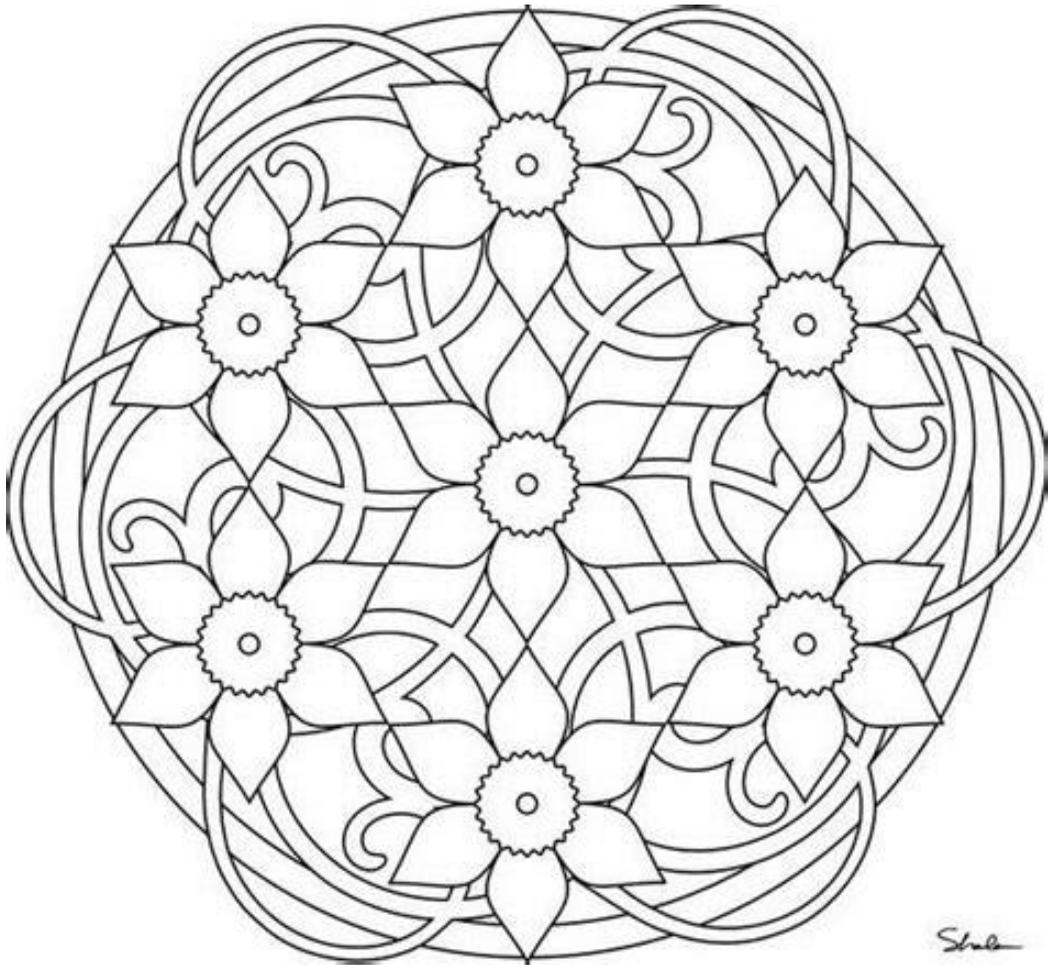
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JESUS JUST SHOWS UP AND ASKS FOR SOMETHING TO EAT?

YEAH IT'S GREAT!

HE'S NO GHOST! IT'S REALLY HIM BODY AND ALL.

STILL - YOU'D THINK HE'D CALL FIRST



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LUKE 24:36-49

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