

4th Sunday in Lent – March 22, 2020 – 10:30 am

Order of Worship

The Community Gathers

Lighting of Altar Candles - Ushers
Gathering Music - Stephen Bullard
A Word of Greeting and Welcome ~ Rev. Allison Mark
Centering Words - Rev. Allison Mark

Show me your way, O God, my Shepherd. Open a right path and let me hear your call to follow.
Show me your way, O Christ, my Healer. Open my eyes to the needs of my world.

Opening song* - “How Great is our God/ How Great thou art” Awaken Worship Team

Giving God Glory As We Come To Worship

Call to Worship (L: Leader P: People)- Pastor Ki Tae Choi

L: Prepare your people, O God.

P: Open our ears to hear your calling.

L: Call your people, O God.

P: Open our eyes to see your purpose.

L: Equip your people, O God.

P: Lead us towards the people that need you.

Opening Prayer Pastor Ki Tae Choi

Let us bow our heads. Creator God, give us your vision. Show us our hearts, our homes, our communities, and our world through your eyes. Wash away our blind spots and help us to see where we do not see. Allow us to see creation as you see it now, and as you envision it to become. Help us realize your vision and walk the road of life—the way and path of Jesus. Amen.

Message for the Children (In Us All) Rev. Allison Mark

Faith In Action – The Ministry of Faith UMC – Clergy

Special Music – Another in the Fire Awaken Worship Team

The Word of God for the people of God

Scripture Lesson: Acts 4:32-37 Pastor Ki Tae Choi

32 Now the whole group of those who believed were of one heart and soul, and no one claimed private ownership of any possessions, but everything they owned was held in common. **33** With

great power the apostles gave their testimony to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and great grace was upon them all. **34** There was not a needy person among them, for as many as owned lands or houses sold them and brought the proceeds of what was sold. **35** They laid it at the apostles' feet, and it was distributed to each as any had need. **36** There was a Levite, a native of Cyprus, Joseph, to whom the apostles gave the name Barnabas (which means "son of encouragement"). **37** He sold a field that belonged to him, then brought the money, and laid it at the apostles' feet.

L: The Word of God for the people of God

P: Thanks be to God

Sermon: ~ "You become like the people you hangout with"

Minister Eric Iki

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Rev. Allison Mark

We Respond to God's grace

Offering Our Gifts ~

Doxology*

***Offertory – Prayer of Dedication**

Pastor Ki Tae Choi

Let us bow our heads. God of our waking, receive these monetary gifts, that they may bring the goodness of our ministry to your world. Receive also the gifts of our transformed lives, as we open our hearts to perceive our short-sightedness. Give us the vision to offer our lives in service of you. Light our paths, and shine through our lives, as we follow you. Amen.

Please remain standing for the closing hymn.

Going Forth in God's Holy Name

Closing Hymn* ~ O Come to the Altar

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Commission and Blessings * -

Minister Eric Iki

Passing of the Peace* - Postlude Broken Vessels

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