

Order of Worship

April 14, 2024 10:00 AM

Welcome to this time of worship, as we gather in the name of Jesus Christ.

Prelude

All Things Bright and Beautiful

Clarendon Ringers

Traditional English
arr. Anna Laura Page

Welcome

Rev. Nilse Furtado-Gilliam

Greeting

Leader: We are called to be God's children.

People: God's love has been poured on us through Jesus Christ.

Leader: Fear and doubt are gone.

People: Joy and celebration ring in our hearts!

Leader: Come, let us raise our voices in song.

People: Let us offer our hearts and souls to God in prayer and praise!

Hymn

The Day of Resurrection

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Prayer of Confession

Leader: Spirit of the Risen Savior, when we fail to recognize you,
we become reluctant to follow in your way.

**People: Just as the disciples struggled to comprehend
how the Christ could have been a suffering servant,
we find it difficult to see you in those who suffer today.**

Leader: We resist starting down the path you have shown us
until we know exactly where it will lead.

**People: Free us from cynicism and fear.
Liberate your world from suspicion and prejudice.
Forgive us, Living Lord, and lead us wherever you will.**

Words of Assurance

Rev. Tracy McNeil Wines

Leader: Christ lived, died, and rose again for us, even while we were sinners.
This is proof of God's love for us.
In the name of Christ, we are forgiven!

All: Amen.

Anthem

This Little Light of Mine

Traditional African-American

Cherub Choir

Children's Message

Scripture

Luke 24:36b-48

The word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Resurrection's Reach

Rev. Wines

Prayer of the People

Rev. Furtado-Gilliam

Offering

You are invited to make your offering to support the ministry and mission of Clarendon UMC.

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and click "Make your online offering."*

Sending Forth

Hymn

For All You've Done

Benediction

Rev. Wines

Duccio, di Buoninsegna, -1319?. Christ Appears to the Disciples at the Table after the Resurrection, from

Art in the Christian Tradition, a project of the Vanderbilt Divinity Library, Nashville, TN.

<https://diglib.library.vanderbilt.edu/act-imagelink.pl?RC=49184> [retrieved April 10, 2024]. Original
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