

Worship for the Lord's Day

Greetings & Announcements

Refrain: God is good / ***All the time*** / All the time / ***God is good***

Prelude – *Gigue* by Douglas E. Wagner

(Let them praise His name in the dance. Psalm 149:3)

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading – *Acts 2:42-47*

Call to Worship

Sisters and brothers, let us gather together with glad and generous hearts.

For many signs and wonders are being done among us.

Let us break bread together and share our lives in common.

Let us give what we can to all who have needs so that all people, no matter who they are, may regard us with good will.

Let us devote ourselves to our prayers and to the gospel.

For in this way God will add to our numbers every day.

Hymn 276 (on screen) – *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

Holy One, we confess to you and to one another that we have not always followed Christ's example. When we have been abused, we have been abusive in return. We have gone astray.

[Silent prayer.]

Lead us back into your fold and guard our souls in Jesus' name. Amen.

Response (on screen) – *Trisagion*

Passing of the Peace:

Leader: May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Word in Music – *Where Were You?* composed and sung by Matthew L. Camlin

Sermon – *Beloved Community*

The Rev. Matthew Camlin

Song of Praise (on screen) – *Cornerstone* by Jonas Myrin, Reuben Morgan, Eric Liljero, Edward Mote, and William Batchelder Bradbury

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Presentation of Offerings

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory – *His Eye Is On The Sparrow* arranged by Marilyn Ham

Doxology, Hymn #592

Prayer of Dedication

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Leader: ...who forever sing to the glory of your name:

People: Holy God, Holy and Mighty,

Holy Immortal One,

We praise thee, we praise thee. Amen.

Leader: ... Great is the mystery of faith:

People: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

Words of Institution

The Communion of the People

The Prayer After Communion

SENDING

Charge and Benediction

Benediction Response (on screen) –

May the Peace of the Lord Christ Go with You by P. Sutcliffe

Postlude – *Chant Pontificale* by Gordon Young

May 3, 2020
4th Sunday of Easter
Communion

Worship Notes

The flowers this week are given by Anne Bruening in honor of the members of the Chancel Choir. *“I love you and miss you!”*

The rose in the bud vase celebrates the birth Jacob Daniel Urban, son of Dan & Angie Urban, brother of Jonathan and grandson of Jim & Jill Mohr on April 25, 2020.

A MESSAGE FOR OUR CHILDREN:

Tune into our Livestream broadcast **at 10:15am** for a special part of the morning just for you. Gather round the computer screen or television to hear one of our own storytellers share a book to help us better understand the morning message. Our story will end before the regular Livestream worship begins. Don't miss it. (<https://livestream.com/nwpresby>)

Would you be interested in sharing your gift of time and cooking for a family in need of a prepared meal?

There are folks among us in need of support with meals. If you would be willing to "be a blessing" - please contact Linda McGrath (LAMM8550@icloud.com or 724-730-3813) who will provide more information. This is not a request for groceries but for prepared meals. *Thank you.*



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News and Notes

JOIN THIS STUDY SERIES: On Sunday mornings from **9:30-10:15 am**, via ZOOM, Rev. Brad Walters is facilitating a series discussing Walter Brueggemann's book *A Glad Obedience: Why and What We Sing*. In this helpful and engaging volume, Brueggemann discusses both why we sing and what we sing. Here are the steps to join the Zoom group by computer, phone or smartTV next Sunday:

- 1) Download the Zoom_Application.
- 2) Request a password by *Saturday* at brad.walters415@gmail.com.
- 3) Also, please indicate your preferred email address for any class communications.
- 4) A few minutes before the appointed time, use the password to log in to the Zoom meeting.
- 5) Study and encourage one another!

If you'd prefer to listen to the lesson at a later time, you can search on YouTube under [Brad Walters NWPC](#)

Money Matters:

1. Online giving is now available with a simple click. If you would like to donate, either a one-time gift or setup recurring payments, visit nwpresby.org/give. If you would like instructions on setting up the smartphone app or need additional help setting up your payments, find the Instructions link under the Give tab on nwpresby.org. Another option: email Kay Taylor at kay@nwpresby.org for more details about Bill Pay.

2. If you need assistance, or if you know of anyone in our NWPC family that does, please contact Rev. Camlin: matt@nwpresby.org or 724-747-7422.
Thank you.

The Community Red Cross Blood Drive will take place on Monday, May 11th here at NWPC in Rooms 214 & 215, from 11:30am-4:30pm.

A Blood Drive is considered an essential activity as outlined by the Center for Disease Control and the Food and Drug Administration. Donating blood is a safe process with all restrictions and precautions being observed.

Please note: Donors must have an appointment. Walk-ins will not be permitted. To schedule your appointment, please contact our Red Cross Area representative Barb Kimbell at 724.371.6058 / barb.kimbell@redcross.org or go to the Red Cross website www.redcrossblood.org.

INDIA: Mission Focus for May



Presbyterian World Mission works in India through service of mission co-worker / partner church relationships. Special ministries include ministries to street children and social justice programs. Other mission emphases include parish ministries, social, health and community development, unity and ecumenical relations, education, children's ministries and evangelism. The church has had a significant and invaluable impact on the Dalit community and promoting harmony in this richly diverse cultural and religious nation.

The PC(USA) also joins with its partners in these ministries: church development, food aid, higher education, human rights advocacy, hunger, leadership development, ministry to minorities, theological education, women's work and youth ministries.