

**New Concord United
Methodist Church
Second Sunday of Easter
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Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Liturgist: God calls us to worship,

People: And we come! Some with laughter and songs of joy.

Liturgist: God call us to worship,

People: And we come! Some from a sense of obligation or habit.

Liturgist: God calls us to worship,

People: And we come! Some with hearts heavy with grief.

Liturgist: God calls us to worship,

People: And we come! Some with distraction or exhaustion.

Liturgist: God calls us to worship,

People: And we come! Some with eagerness or enthusiasm.

Liturgist: God calls us to worship,

People: And we come! Some with stress, loneliness or depression.

All: As God's dearly loved children, we ring all our joy and pain, hurt and hope into this place of Spirit-given grace, love, and hope. Amen!

Opening Hymn

Hallelujah

Young Disciples Chat

Scripture

Acts 2:14a, 22-32

Hymn of Preparation

He is Lord

UMH #177

Scripture

John 20:19-31

Message

Raising our witness!

Rev. Lisa Kropinak

Silent Prayer & Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

Sharing Our Tithes & Offerings

Doxology

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication

Closing Hymn

Bind Us Together

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Closing Prayer

Christina Rosetti 1830 – 1894

Lord, grant us eyes to see within the seed a tree, within the glowing egg a bird, within the shroud a butterfly: Till taught by such, we see beyond all creatures thee, and hearken for thy tender word and hear it, "Fear not: it is I".

Benediction

Hallelujah

Your love is amazing, steady and unchanging. Your love is a mountain, firm beneath my feet. Your love is a mystery, how you gently lift me. When I am surrounded your love carries me.

Chorus

Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Your love makes me sing.
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Your love is surprising, I can feel it rising, all the joy that's growing deep inside of me. Every time I see you all your goodness shines through. I can feel this God song rising up in me.

Chorus

Your love is amazing, steady and unchanging. Your love is a mountain, firm beneath my feet. Your love is a mystery, how you gently lift me. When I am surrounded your love carries me.

Chorus

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He is Lord

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He is Lord, he is Lord! He is risen from the dead and he is Lord! Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

Words: Philippians 2:9-11. Music: Trad.; arr. by Tom Fettke, 1986. Arr. © 1986 Word, Inc.

Bind Us Together

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Bind us together, Lord, bind us together with cords that cannot be broke. Bind us together, Lord, bind us together, Lord, bind us together in love. There is only one God, there is only one King; There is only one body, that is why we sing.

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Social Distancing Calendar

Sunday, April 19: 10:30 a.m. – Zoom Coffee Hour with Pastor Lisa

Wednesday, April 22: 4:30 p.m. – Quest Zoom Meeting

Wednesday, April 22: 5:30 p.m. – Teen Quest Zoom Meeting

Thursday, April 23: 10:00 a.m. – Sermon on the Mount Livestream