

# 9:00 am Service

Rev. Maria Campbell

Prelude  
Welcome & Announcements  
Call to Worship

Leader: Come and worship our God.

People: We come to worship and listen.

Leader: Open your minds and your hearts.

People: We are prepared to receive God's gifts.

Leader: God has a blessing of healing and encouragement.

People: We trust in God's power to change our lives.

Hymn of Praise *Breathe on Me, Breath of God*  
#420 UMH vs 1,2,3

Children's Moment  
Opening Prayer

**Precious Savior, as we continue on our journey to the foot of the cross, give us the courage not to shy away. Our Lenten trials seem trivial compared to what you endured but we find ourselves losing focus. Guard our hearts and minds. Remind us of the cost of your conditional love. In your precious name, we pray. Amen**

Scripture Reading Psalm 130

Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD. Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications! If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand? But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered.

I wait for the LORD, my soul waits, and in his word I hope; my soul waits for the Lord more than those who watch for the morning, more than those who watch for the morning. O Israel, hope in the LORD! For with the LORD there is steadfast love, and with him is great power to redeem. It is he who will redeem Israel from all its iniquities.

Invitation to Prayer *Spirit Song* #347 UMH vs 1

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Anthem *East to West* Arise

Scripture Reading John 11:17-45

When Jesus arrived, he found that Lazarus had already been in the tomb for four days. Now Bethany was near Jerusalem, some two miles away, and many of the Jews had come to Martha and Mary to console them about their brother. When Martha heard that Jesus was coming, she went and met him, while Mary stayed at home. Martha said to Jesus, 'Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died. But even now I know that God will give you whatever you ask of him.' Jesus said to her, 'Your brother will rise again.' Martha said to him, 'I know that he will rise again in the resurrection on the last day.' Jesus said to her, 'I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?' She said to him, 'Yes, Lord, I believe that you are the Messiah, the Son of God, the one coming into the world.'

When she had said this, she went back and called her sister Mary, and told her privately, 'The Teacher is here and is calling for you.' And when she heard it, she got up quickly and went to him. Now Jesus had not yet come to the village, but was still at the place where Martha had met him. The Jews who were with her in the house, consoling her, saw Mary get up quickly and go out. They followed her because they thought that she was going to the tomb to weep there. When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, 'Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died.' When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. He said, 'Where have you laid him?' They said to him, 'Lord, come and see.'

Jesus began to weep. So the Jews said, 'See how he loved him!' But some of them said, 'Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?'

Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. Jesus said, 'Take away the stone.' Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, 'Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead for four days.' Jesus said to her, 'Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?' So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upwards and said, 'Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me.' When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, 'Lazarus, come out!' The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, 'Unbind him, and let him go.'

Many of the Jews therefore, who had come with Mary and had seen what Jesus did, believed in him.

Message Back to Life

Offering

Doxology #95 UMH

Prayer of Dedication

**Generous God, we are grateful for the many blessings you have poured upon us. May our offerings this day be a sign of our promise to follow you. Accept these gifts and multiply them for the good of your creation. Amen.**

Closing Hymn *Trust and Obey* #467 UMH vs 1,2,4

Benediction

Postlude

### **Breathe on Me, Breath of God #420 vs 1,2,3**

Breathe on me, Breath of God, fill me with life anew,  
That I may Love what thou dost love,  
and do what thou wouldst do.

Breathe on me , Breath of God, until my heart is pure,  
Until with thee I will one will, to do and to endure.

Breathe on me, Breath of God, till I am wholly thine,  
Till all this earthly part of me glows with thy fire divine.

### **Spirit Song #347 vs 1**

O let the Son of God enfold you with his Spirit and his  
love. Let him fill your heart and satisfy your soul.

O let him have the things that hold you, and his spirit  
like a dove will descend upon your life and make you  
whole.

Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs.

Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs.

### **Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow**

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

### **Trust and Obey #467 vs 1,2,4**

When we walk with the Lord in the light of his word,  
what a glory he sheds on our way.

While we do his good will, he abides with us still,  
and with all who will trust and obey.

Trust and Obey, for there's no other way  
to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.

Not a burden we bear, not a sorrow we share,  
but our toil he doth richly repay;  
not a grief or a loss, not a frown or a cross,  
but is blest if we trust and obey.

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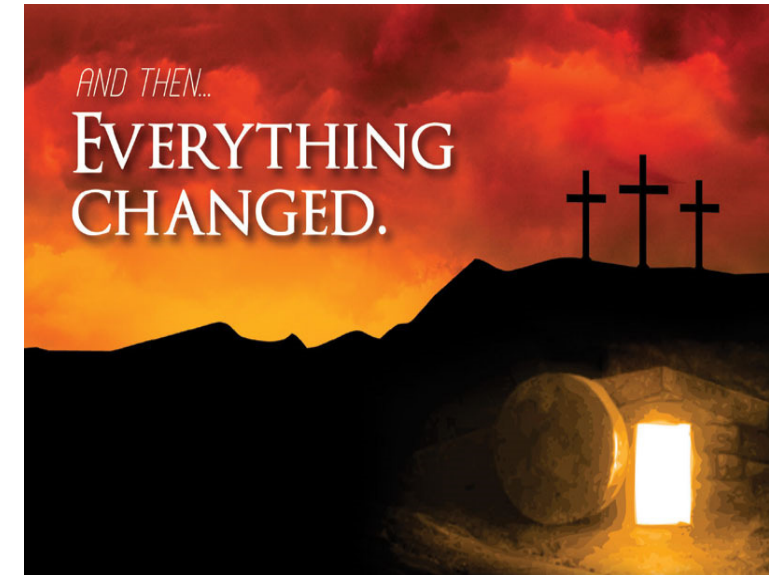
Then in fellowship sweet we will sit at his feet,  
or we'll walk by his side in the way,  
what he says we will do, where he sends we will go;  
never fear, only trust and obey.

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