Order of Worship: Sunday, April 30, 2023 8:30 and 11:00 a.m. Services of Worship 4th Sunday of Easter

Welcome Rev. Dr. Latricia Scriven, Senior Pastor

Prelude Gentle Shepherd K. Keil

Lighting of the Candles Acolytes

Call to Worship Sylvia Walford and Congregation

We rejoice in the One who leads us beside still waters,

and gives us refreshment of soul.

Christ our Shepherd shows us the way we should go,

so that the name of God will be glorified.

Though all manner of evil befall us, we will not be afraid,

for the Great Shepherd of our souls is with us.

We are never away from the love and mercy of the Lord,

and we shall be with him for ever and ever. Amen!

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Opening HymnHe Leadeth MeUMH 128

Affirmation of Faith Affirmation from Romans 8:35, 37-39 UMH 887

Gloria Patri UMH 70

Passing of the Peace

Pastoral Prayer/The Lord's Prayer Rev. Rokitowski

Anthem (11:00) The Lord Is My Shepherd A. Pote Covenant Chancel Choir

Children's Chat Noisy Offering for Children's Home Rev. Rokitowski

The Offering

Offering Prayer Rev. Scriven

Offertory O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing C. Wesley/M. Miller Youth Choir

Doxology UMH 95

Scripture Psalm 23 Sylvia Walford

Sermon Restored! Rev. Dr. Latricia Scriven

Baptism Claire Edith Pupo

(Parents: Randy and Lindsey Pupo)

Closing Hymn Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us UMH 381

Sending Forth Rev. Dr. Scriven

Postlude Allegretto G.F. Handel

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