REID MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (U.S.A.) April 21, 2024



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Dr. Brandi Casto-Waters

Robert Hobby

(b. 1962)

PRELUDE

My Shepherd Will Supply My Need

*CALL TO WORSHIP¹

Day by day, God leads us

to the deep, deep pools of peace, to the green, lush lawns of grace. Day by day, Jesus calls us

to pour ourselves out in his service, to anoint the stranger with hope. Day by day, the Holy Spirit shows us

the community we could be, the family we are called to become. This day and always, let us worship the Lord!

*HYMN 396

Brethren, We Have Met to Worship

HOLY MANNA

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*PRAYER OF CONFESSION²

Rev. Nadine Ellsworth-Moran

Savior, Solace, Shepherd, we know you by many names, Lord. Your presence fills our lives - all that we are and all the good we have is from you; all you do declares your unwavering love for us. Yet when troubles come, when adversity plagues us, we wonder where you are; we even wonder who you are. How quickly we forget that you are ever watchful, ever near. Dispel any gloom or despair that hides within us. Change our garments of darkness into robes of dazzling light. Set your table before us, so that we may sit by your side and be fed. Lead us in paths of righteousness, for it is in your name we pray.

SILENCE

*DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

The Gospel of Mark tells us, for those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it.

In Christ, we die and are reborn, we are redeemed from darkness and made light. Thanks be to God. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT		Ms. Joy Maple
*HYMN 802	The King of Love My Shepherd Is	ST. COLUMBA
PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION		Dr. Casto-Waters
SCRIPTURE READING	John 10:11-18	
SERMON		
ANTHEM	Earth Song	Frank Tichel (b. 1958)
	Sing, be, live, see	(21 1 2 2 2)
This dark stormy hour the wind, it stirs; the scorched Earth cries out in vain. Oh war and nower, you blind and blur: the torn heart cries out in pain		

Oh war and power, you blind and blur; the torn heart cries out in pain. But music and singing have been my refuge, and music and singing shall be my light. A light of song, shining strong; hallelujah! hallelujah; through darkness and pain and strife; I'll sing, I'll be, live, see...Peace.

Rev. Ellsworth-Moran

OFFERTORY

The King of Love, My Shepherd Is

Raymond Haan (b. 1938)

***OFFERTORY RESPONSE**

Doxology

OLD HUNDREDTH

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

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Lien 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

*HYMN 836

Abide with Me

EVENTIDE

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Come, ye Faithful, Raise the Strain

Mary McDonald (b. 1954)

*All who are able please stand

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¹ Thom Shuman–Psalm 23. 1 John 3:16-24

² adapted from *The Abingdon Worship Annual*, (inspired by Ps 23, John 10:22-30, Rev 7:9-17)



Participating in Worship

Preacher Dr. Brandi Casto-Waters

Worship Leaders Rev. Nadine Ellsworth-Moran Rev. Boyd Lien Ms. Joy Maple

> Musicians Mr. S.C. Toe Dr. Wayne Lord Chancel Choir

Friendship Pad Pick-up Bob Speaks

Acolvte Martha Taite Sasnett

Ushers

Will Salley Tripp Wilson Paul Rosenzweig Trey Few Phil Lee John Clark Cook

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Reverend Dr. Brandi Casto-Waters, Pastor, ext. 303 Reverend Nadine Ellsworth-Moran, Associate Pastor, ext. 301 Reverend Boyd Lien, Parish Associate, ext. 314 Mr. S.C. Toe, Director of Music, ext. 315 Dr. Wayne Lord, Associate Director of Music / Organist, ext. 310 Mrs. Jenny Davison, Children's Music Assistant Ms. Joy Maple, Director of Christian Education, ext. 305 Miss Makenzie Landrum, Nursery Coordinator Miss Makenzie Landrum, Interim Director of Children and Youth Ministries, ext. 304 Mrs. Anna Sanders, Director of Mother's Day Out and Preschool, ext. 309 Mrs. Dawn McCraith, Director of Operations, ext. 302 Mrs. Becky Godbee, Communications Liaison, ext. 300 Mrs. Jenn Harrison, Financial Assistant, ext. 307 Mr. Leonard Jones, Facilities Supervisor Ms. Helen Moss, Custodian Ms. Denisha Nelson, Custodian

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