

March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023  
4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent  
*GATHERING FOR WORSHIP*

**PRELUDE: Great is Thy Faithfulness**

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**QUIET HYMN: Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus** #349

**SILENT PRAYER**

**CHOIR INTROIT:**

**\*HYMN: Be Still, My Soul** #534

*CENTERING FOR WORSHIP*

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Welcome disciples on the Journey to the Cross

**P: We are learning to follow Jesus.**

L: On this Lenten journey, how does God's presence work among us?

**P: God uses the messy and lowly to lift up one another.**

L: Disciples on the way, come let us worship God!

**P: We come to worship God as we learn to lift up the lowly and be lifted ourselves. AMEN.**

**\* PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

**Gracious God, we are grateful for all that you have done for us, for all that you are doing in us, and for all that you will do through us. Open our eyes to see your presence among us, always moving in powerful ways and in all places. Open our ears to hear familiar words in new ways that will change us and challenge us to become the people you created us to be. Refresh us this morning that we may serve you by lifting others. This we pray in Jesus' name. Amen**

**Choir Anthem:**

*PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD*

**SCRIPTURE LESSON**

Psalm 23

Luke 17:11-19

**\*HYMN: In the Midst of New Dimensions** #2238

**THE WORD OF GOD EXPLORED**

Pastor Joel Holcomb

*GRATEFUL RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD*

**OFFERTORY**

**\*DOXOLOGY** #95

**\*DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERING  
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND PASTOR**

**THE 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, forever. Amen.

**PRAYER RESPONSE**

**\*HYMN: What a Friend We Have in Jesus** #526

**\*BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE: Open the Eyes of My Heart**

*\*Indicates standing if that is comfortable for you.*