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# 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter

April 26, 2020

### WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

### Welcome and Announcements

## Hymn: My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

(vs. 1) My hope is built on nothing less Than Jesus' blood and righteousness; I dare not trust the sweetest frame, But wholly lean on Jesus' name.

## O Christ, the solid Rock, I stand; All other ground is sinking sand, All other ground is sinking sand.

- (vs. 2) When darkness veils His lovely face, I rest on His unchanging grace; In every high and stormy gale, My anchor holds within the veil.
- (vs. 3) His oath, His covenant, His blood Support me in the whelming flood; When all around my soul gives way, He then is all my hope and stay.

## Prayer of the Day and 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 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.

### Hymn: Jesus Loves Me!

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(vs.1) Jesus loves me! This I know, For the bible tells me so;Little ones to Him belong; They are weak, but he is strong.Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

(vs. 2) Jesus loves me! This I know, As He loved so long ago,
Taking children on His knee, Saying, "Let them come to Me."
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## WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

## **Prayer for Illumination**

New Testament Lesson:	Acts 2:14a, 36-41
Psalter Lesson:	Psalm 116:1-4, 12-19
Epistle Lesson:	1 Peter 1:17-23
Gospel Lesson:	Luke 24:13-35

"Lean on Me: 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition"

Peter Thompson

## WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

**Prayers of the People** 

Solid Rock

#### **The Baptism Carol**

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The sinless one to Jordan came, To share our fallen nature's blame; God's righteousness he thus fulfilled, And chose the path his Father willed. Uprising from the waters there, The voice from heaven true witness bear That Christ, the Son of God, had come To lead his scattered people home. Above him see the heavenly Dove, The sign of God the Father's love, Now by the Holy Spirit shed Upon the Son's anointed head. How blest that mission then begun To heal and save a race undone! Straight to the wilderness he goes To wrestle with his people's foes. Dear Lord, let those baptized from sin, Go forth with you a world to win: And send the Holy Spirit's power To shield them in temptation's hour. On you may all your people feed, And know you are the Bread indeed, Who gives eternal life to those That with you died, and with you rose.

## WE GO OUT IN GOD'S SERVICE

#### **Prayer of Dedication and Benediction**

\*Postlude

Toccata on "Lobe den Herren"

C. Phillips

### **IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS**

In compliance with the Governor's "Stay at Home" order, FPCLY Church Offices will continue to be closed for business through June 10. The closure of the church offices means there will continue to be no in-person gatherings at FPCLY. This includes worship, spiritual growth classes, Bible studies, programs, meetings, or otherwise. We are continuing to work on creative and alternative ways to provide support and inspiration to all. Please stay tuned to how you can be connected during this time.

Please be sure to check out <u>www.fpcly.org</u> or FPCLY's Facebook page for updates and information on how you can be CONNECTED. Whether it is a scripture verse and prayer of the day, devotional, book reading, or chat board, we welcome your participation. We welcome all to share your stories and songs as to what you have going on in your life, family, home, or neighborhood.

If you have an emergency and need to talk with either Peter or Chad, please call him directly. Members Helping Members are also available through phone contact only.

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