

The Good Shepherd, Bro. Mickey McGrath

Fourth Sunday of Easter

*May 3, 2020
Zoom Worship*

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

PRELUDE

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

arr. Jason W. Krug

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Eric Sherlock

CALL TO WORSHIP

Luke Ruhlin

One: Can you hear the voice of God?

All: We hear God calling us by name.

One: Are you troubled or distressed?

All: We come here to find a place to rest for a while.

One: Come and find a guide who knows these lands.

**All: We come to praise our Shepherding God,
whose pathways and doors lead to life.**

Shepherding God, bring us into your fold.
Lead us beside still waters and restore our souls.
Help us see the way we should go, the way we should live.
Help us hear your voice calling our name.
Enliven this time of worship, that we may find true life
as we join with others:
 praising your name,
 celebrating your great goodness,
 and sharing your love for all people.
Amen.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Luke Ruhlin

One: Peace be with you.
All: And also with you.
 One: Let us greet one another with waves and smiles
 and pass the peace of Christ using the chat feature.

OPENING HYMN

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!
 Caribbean melody
 arr. John L. Bell; stanzas, Marty Haugen

Refrain: Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!	² My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord. When I call them, they follow me. I will lead them to rest by the restful streams: Hallelujah, hallelujah. [Refrain]
¹ Oh, God to whom shall we go? You alone have the words of life. Let your words be our prayer and our song we sing: Hallelujah, hallelujah. [Refrain]	³ Now Christ is raised up from death, he will never die again. All who follow his way shall have life in him: Hallelujah, hallelujah. [Refrain]

SCRIPTURE LESSON

[John 10:1–10](#)

Rev. Mariah

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Nan Karns

SERMON

Abundant Life

Pastor Todd

ANTHEM

Gentle Shepherd
 Fountainview Academy Quartet

Bill Gaither

Gentle Shepherd come and lead us,
For we need you to help us find our way.
Gentle Shepherd come and feed us,
For we need your strength from day to day.

There's no other we can turn to
Who can help us face another day.
Gentle Shepherd come and lead us,
For we need to you to help us find our way.

— Gloria Gaither

TIME OF PRAYER

Pastor Eric

Sharing our Joys and Concerns

(Email your requests to Pastor Eric or type them in the chat window.)

All: Hear our prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (using these words or the words most familiar to you)

Our Loving God, who is in heaven, hallowed be your name.

Your kingdom come, your 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 yours is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

Kathie and Bruce Hixon

TIME OF GIVING

Judy Schreib

Invitation to Giving

During this time of virtual worship, we invite you to give online: <http://bit.ly/donatetodcc>.

Offertory

He Shall Feed His Flock

G. F. Handel

Gabrielle Goozée-Nichols, soprano

*He shall feed His flock like a shepherd;
and He shall gather the lambs with His arm,
and carry them in His bosom,
and gently lead those that are with young.*

— Isaiah 40: 11

*Doxology **Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen**

Offertory Prayer

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION

One: God, who leads us to green pastures and still waters,
Through Jesus, the good shepherd

**All: The One who calls us each by name,
Has led us here together.**

One: God has prepared this table in our midst

All: Here our cup overflows with God's abundance.

One: God has set this table—it is God's

All: and so we welcome all to come and eat and drink from it.

SURSUM CORDA

One: God be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift our hearts up to God.

One: Let us give thanks to God.

All: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

COMMUNION PRAYER

Guiding, comforting, protecting God;
send your Spirit upon and among us here and now.
Through the presence of the Spirit may we hear the voice of the Good Shepherd, calling us each by name out, leading us to new pastures, to fresh waters, comforting and protecting us with rod and staff and unconditional love.
Spirit of life and love, fall upon us all, we pray these things in the name of the Good Shepherd, the Risen Christ, Amen.

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

One: Here at this table we remember the night before Jesus' arrest.
He gathered with his friends for the central meal of faith.
During that meal he took bread, blessed, broke it, and passed it to them saying:
"This is my body, broken by and for the world."
Take it, eat it, and remember me.
Then later he took the cup of wine. Blessed it and passed it among them saying:
"This is the cup of the New Covenant, sealed in my blood. Whenever you drink this remember me."

One: So, God of the table, we continue to eat and drink and remember.
We share in this foretaste of the Banquet that is to come.
The Bread we break is the Bread of Life.
The Cup we Share is the Cup of Love
Here at this table we share the abundance of God's gifts.

All: Thanks be to God!

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

**All: In the name of Jesus, our good and loving shepherd,
we have gathered at the table You have prepared.
We have eaten, we have drunk, we have tasted your overflowing abundance.
May this meal embolden, enrich, and nurture us
as we go out to live as people of The Way.
And may goodness and mercy flow through us all the days of our lives.
May we live in your presence, that we may have life,
and have it abundantly. Amen**

CLOSING HYMN

Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

(See next page.)

BENEDICTION

Pastor Todd

POSTLUDE

All the Way My Savior Leads Me

arr. Cindy Berry

Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us

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Attrib. to Dorothy A. Thrupp (1779-1847)

From Hymns for the Young, 1836; alt.

St. 1 transl. to Hawaiian by Laiana (1807-1886)

John 10:1-29

1 Sav-ior, like a shep-herd lead us, much we need your ten - der care;
 1 Ie - su no ke Ka - hu - hi - pa, Ka - hu - hi - pa ma'i-ka'i e,
 2 We are yours, in love be - friend us, be the guard-ian of our way;
 3 Let us al - ways seek your fa - vor; let us al - ways do your will;

in your pleas - ant pas-tures feed us, for our use your folds pre-pare.
 Ei - a ma - kou ka 'o - ha - na ke ho'o-lo - he a ha - hai:
 keep your flock, from sin de - fend us, seek us when we go a - stray.
 Je - sus Christ our on - ly Sav - ior, with your love our spir - its fill.

Bless-ed Je - sus, bless-ed Je - sus, you have bought us, yours we are;
 E a - lo - ha, e a - lo - ha, a - la - ka'i a ha - nai mai,
 Bless-ed Je - sus, bless-ed Je - sus, hear your chil - dren when we pray;
 Bless-ed Je - sus, bless-ed Je - sus, you have loved us, love us still;

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The theme of Christ as shepherd is familiar and beloved to Christians. Emma Lyons Doyle, granddaughter of Laiana (translator Lorenzo Lyons), once said, "If you want to know the full beauty of this hymn, hear it sung in Hawaiian."

Tune: BRADBURY 8.7.8.7.D.
 William B. Bradbury, 1859

Announcements

- If you would like to submit a prayer concern or joy for next Sunday's Zoom Worship, please email it to Pastor Eric at eric@danvillechurch.org.
- An **All Church Member Meeting** will be held following the regular worship service on **May 17, 2020** to elect the slate of DCC officers and commissioners for 2020–21. Your participation is encouraged as we move DCC missions and programs forward.

- **Stewardship:** In worship on May 3, we will launch our campaign to **Give Boldly** with a three-week series of speakers who will speak to why they give. On May 17, we will conclude our campaign with Commitment Sunday, where we will ask God to bless the fruits of our labors as we dedicate our gifts to the work and ministry of DCC. We ask that **all commitments be received by May 17** so that any adjustments required for the preliminary budget may be made. The finalized budget will be voted on by the congregation at our Annual Meeting on June 14. Friends, as we prepare for our stewardship season, please consider giving to the church. *If you are a recurrent giver, we invite to consider increasing your commitment by 5%. If you are a new giver, we invite you to consider giving to the church through a financial gift of an annual commitment. No gift is too small.* Thank you for the ways in which you support DCC, through your presence, time, prayer, and financial gifts. Pastor Eric and Trish Moosbrugger, Moderator. (If you did not receive a commitment packet in the mail, please reach out to the church office at office@danvillechurch.org.)

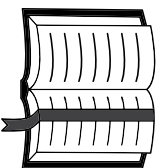
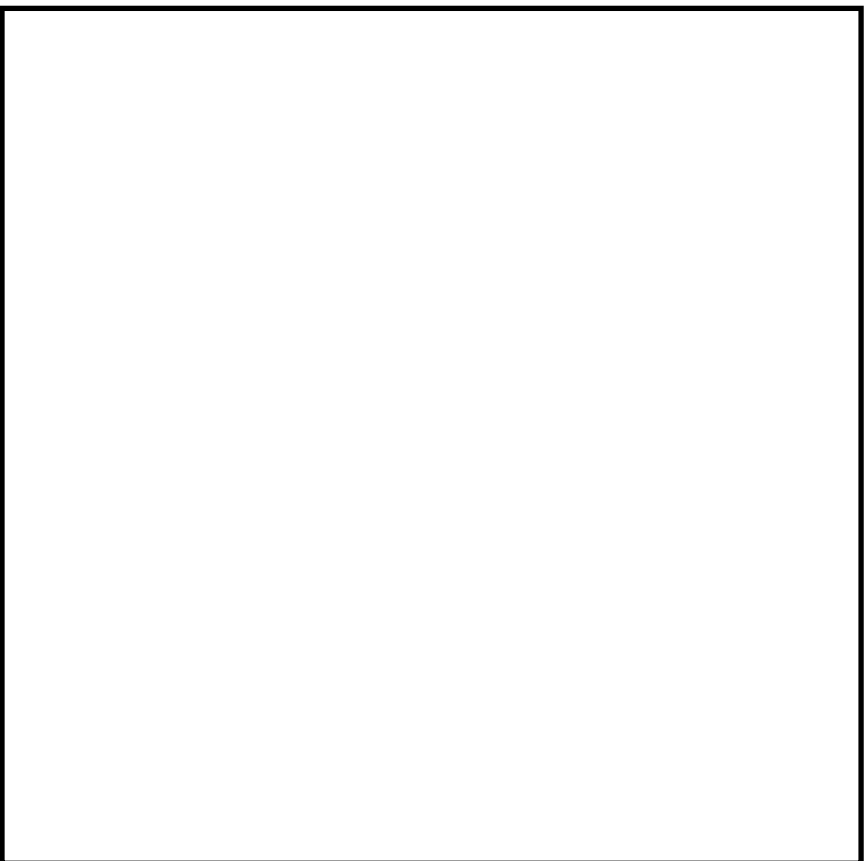


- **TGIF Next Friday!** You're invited to join us for our second Virtual TGIF on **Friday, May 8. The gathering is "come and go" from 5:00–7:00pm!** Whatever your motivation to join us—whether it be to connect with other humans or to check out other church member's homes—we hope to see you there! Bring your favorite snacks and beverage and share this fun time of connecting.
 - To join from your smartphone or computer, click here: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87072725399>
 - To join from the Zoom app, enter Meeting ID **870 727 253 99**
- **Helping Feed Folks: Carol Gilliland**, the executive chef and owner of A Loveable Feast, is raising money to feed the most vulnerable in our community. There are 92 families that are being served by Hope Solutions and they are experiencing financial and food insecurity due to the Covid crisis. If you feel led, you can help her with a financial contribution that will be used to prepare and deliver healthy, comfort food meals to these families. She has started a [Facebook Donation page here](#). With your contribution, she is also able to hire back two of her sous chefs who are underemployed right now. One is 50% employed and her partner has been furloughed and the other sous chef is a single mom who is only working one day/week.
- Where is Jesus showing up for you and your family during Easter-in-shelter? [Print, color, and cut out your own "Flat Jesus in Shelter"](#)! Then take a photo of where Jesus is showing up for you—and send it to us or post it on Instagram!
- To keep up-to-date on news and announcements during this time of social distancing, **please read your email** from DCC thoroughly! All communication related to church news and events will be communicated via email!



DRAW IT

Can you think of a time you were punished or felt pain for doing something right and good? I Peter talks about this, and how Jesus faced that too. Draw your memory of your experience here.

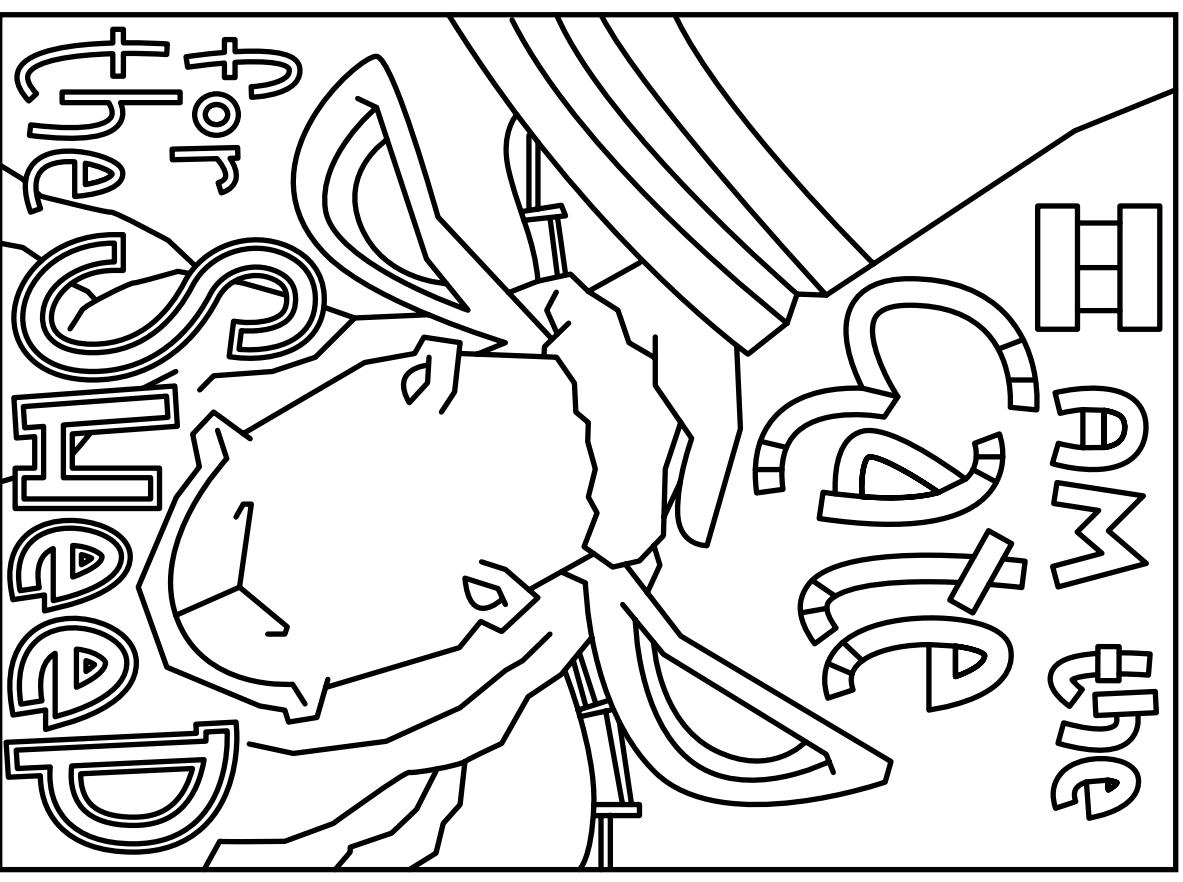


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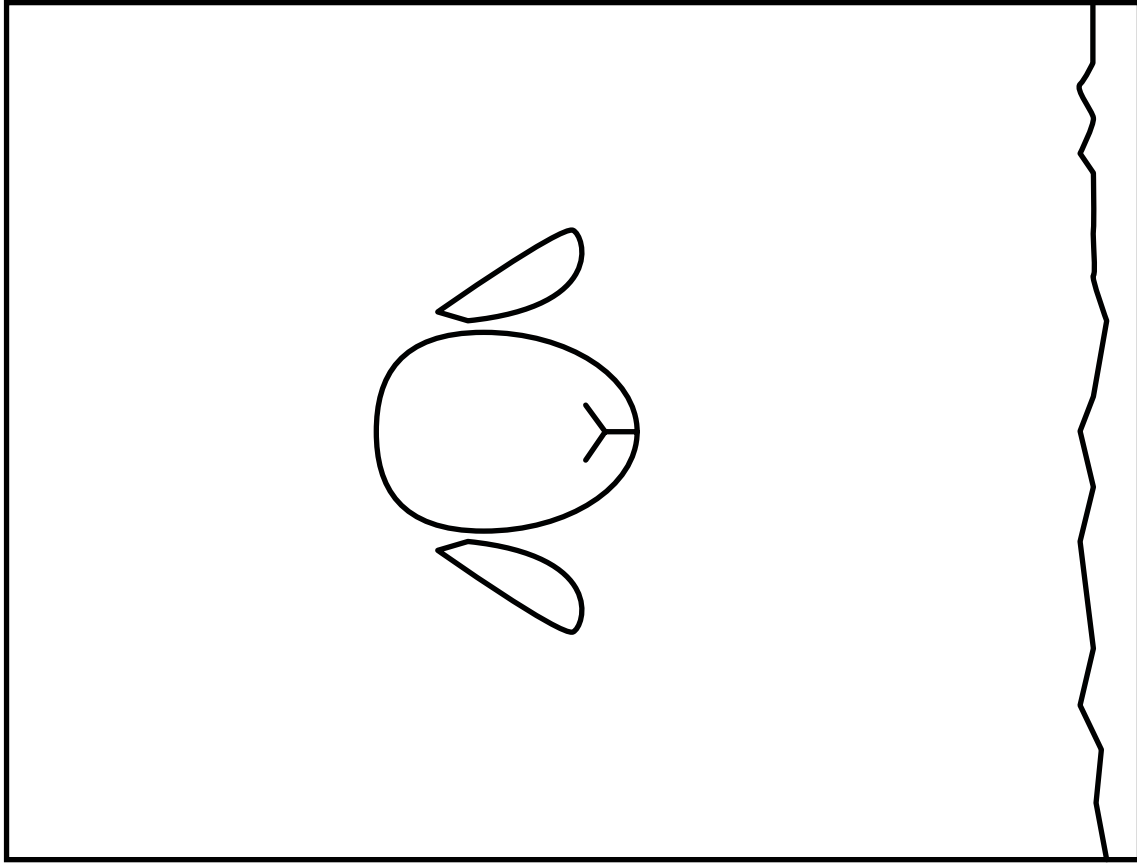
CHILDREN'S WORSHIP • BULLETIN

Activities based on Acts 2:12-47, Psalm 23, I Peter 2:19-25, John 10:1-10.



FINISH the DRAWING

Psalms 23 describes God as a loving Shepherd who takes care of us, protects us, and blesses us. Finish the drawing of the sheep. Inside the sheep, write or draw some ways God takes care of you.



UNSCRAMBLE IT

How does the book of Acts describe the early Christian community and the way they lived together? Unscramble the words to find out!

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GETRETHO DNA AHD LLA SITHGN

NI MONOMC HETY KORBE

DEBAR TA EMHO NAD EAT

RHJET DOFO TIWH DAGL ADN

RENUSOGO SHERAT INGIAPRS

DGO DNA VNGAHI WODOLGIL

DOWART LAL ETH LEPEOP

Upcoming Virtual Gatherings

To lessen the impact of isolation during this season of social distancing, you are invited to join these opportunities for community and spiritual practice.

- **Youth Group Zoom**, *Sundays* at 5:00pm
<https://zoom.us/j/683743275?pwd=anpYWHJJVUY1L3habEFUTnBRV1pPdZ09>
or by Zoom app: **683 743 275**, password **322**.
- **Mid-Day Zoom Devotional**, *Wednesdays* at Noon
<https://zoom.us/j/547683580?pwd=V2FjVksvNW9BSkNWOW4vcEttZGo5UT09>
or by Zoom app: **547 683 580**, password **322** or by phone: dial **669-900-6833**
and enter **547 683 580** as the Meeting ID and **322** as the password.
- **Zoom Family Devotional**, *Wednesdays* at 7:00pm
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/800897222>
- **Parent Zoom**, *Thursdays* at 4:00pm **(NEW TIME)**
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/800897222>
- **Worship at DCC**, *Sundays* at 9:30am
<https://zoom.us/j/492975948?pwd=bJlqZTNpNGo3S1o0YkNFM3FWQ1dlQT09>
or by Zoom app: **492 975 948**, password **322** or by phone: dial **669-900-6833**
and enter **492 975 948** as the Meeting ID and **322** as the password.

Ministers—The Entire Congregation

Church Staff

The Rev. Eric Sherlock, *Senior Pastor*
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John Kendall Bailey, *Music Director*
Mary-Marie Deauclaire, *Handbell Director*
Elizabeth Setlak-von Thury, *Office Manager*
Nicole Doyle, *Nursery Attendant*

The **DCC Prayer Team** prays daily for those in need of prayers.
If you would like to submit a prayer request for yourself or someone else,
contact a pastor or send an email to prayers@danvillechurch.org.
All requests are kept confidential unless specified otherwise.

Kelley Mangels, *Dayspring Preschool Director*
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