

MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Minister: Rev. Dr. Mark Chiang

3rd Sunday of Easter

April 19, 2026

Duty Elder: Bill Lundie **Service Leader:** Pat Nilsson

Musicians: Sheryl Cale, Rosemary Brown

Scripture Reader: Shirley Tessmer

*When this symbol appears please stand if you are able

Musical Prelude – Time for Quiet Meditation

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME (*Video*)

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: We have come from many places, following different roads.

All: We come hungering for greater understanding.

One: We have come to hear the wisdom of Scripture.

All: We come seeking companions in the faith.

One: We have come to discover the One revealed in the breaking of the bread.

All: We come to grow as disciples of Christ.

One: Come, let us worship God, made known in Christ Jesus.

PRAYER OF APPROACH

Passing of the Peace

*HYMN # 490: *God of Grace*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Loving God,

**we confess that we have sinned against you in thought,
word and deed;**

by what we have done and left undone.

**We have not loved you with our whole heart, body, mind and soul
and we have not loved our neighbours as we love ourselves.**

In your mercy, forgive what we have been,
amend what we are and direct who we shall be.

In Jesus' name we pray,
Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

TEACHING MOMENT (*Video*)

*HYMN # 461: *Be Thou my vision*

PRAYER FOR UNDERSTANDING

RESPONSIVE READING: Psalm 116: 1-3, 10-17 (pg 564)

SCRIPTURE: Luke 24: 13-35 (pg 90)

ANTHEM: *Empty now*

SERMON (*Video*)

SILENCE FOR REFLECTION

*HYMN # 641: *One more step*

WE GIVE TO GOD'S WORK

PRAISE RESPONSE #830: *Praise God from whom all blessings flow*

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*PRAYER FOR OURSELVES & OTHERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

* CLOSING HYMN # 665: *Lord Jesus, You shall be my song*

*Commissioning and BENECTION (*Video*)

*SUNG BENECTION: *Go now in Peace*

Birthday greetings this week go out to Bob Brown.

Rev. Mark will be presiding and serving communion next Sunday.

Fundraiser: Spring is in the air! Gift certificates for the greenhouses will be ready for sale today. Greenhouses will be open on May 1.

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