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Order of Worship ~ Sunday, March 20, 2022 ~ 10:00 AM

Prelude: *The Heavens are Telling*, J Haydn.....Roy Campbell

Announcements

Introit: *As the Sun Doth Daily Rise*.....Choir

Words of Welcome

Pastor: Let us join together in our words of welcome.

All: We greet one another in the name of Jesus the Christ. We seek to be a community of faith that is open and welcoming to all. It is Christ who calls us to be the Church. As Christ has welcomed us we now welcome one another.

Pastor: Let us greet one another with the Passing of the Peace. (*We will be using sign language*)

*** Opening Hymn: #354 “Open My Eyes, That I May See”**

*Open my eyes, that I may see
Glimpses of truth Thou hast for me;
Place in my hands the wonderful key
That shall unclasp and set me free.
Silently now I wait for Thee,
Ready, my God, Thy will to see.
Open my eyes, illumine me, Spirit divine!*

*Open my ears, that I may hear
Voices of truth Thou sendest clear;
And while the wave-notes fall on my ear,
Ev'rything false will disappear.*

*Silently now I wait for Thee,
Ready, my God, Thy will to see.
Open my ears, illumine me, Spirit divine!*

*Open my mouth, and let me bear
Gladly the warm truth ev'rywhere;
Open my heart and let me prepare
Love with Thy children, thus to share.
Silently now I wait for Thee,
Ready, my God, Thy will to see.
Open my mouth, illumine me, Spirit divine! Amen.*

Invocation (Psalm 51)

Leader: Have mercy on me, God, in your kindness.
In your compassion blot out my offense.
O wash me more and more from my guilt and cleanse me from my sin.

**ALL: My offenses truly I know them; my sin is always before me.
Against you, you alone, have I sinned;
what is evil in your sight I have done.**

Leader: Indeed you love truth in the heart;
then in the secret of my heart teach me wisdom.
O purify me, then I shall be clean; O wash me, I shall be whiter than snow.

**ALL: A pure heart create for me, O God,
put a steadfast spirit within me.
Do not cast me away from your presence,
nor deprive me of your holy spirit.**

***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.*

Invitation to Offering

It is at this time we have the opportunity to offer our pledges and offerings to the Lord. It is out of the abundance that the Lord has provided that we respond faithfully as stewards of those gifts in our morning offering.

Offertory: *How Can it Be?* R Demone.....Roy Campbell

***Doxology**

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise him all creatures here below
Praise him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen*

Prayer of Dedication

Lord, you call us to be faithful stewards of the resources we have been provided with. May the blessings of these offerings be used to serve the purposes for which you have called us to be the Church. May these gifts help share the message of hope to all. Amen.

Anthem: *Rock-a-My-Soul*, Arr. J DeVaux Choir

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the Community

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.

***Hymn: #72** "Lord, You Are More Precious than Silver"

*Lord, You are more precious than silver;
Lord, You are more costly than gold;
Lord, You are more beautiful than diamonds;
And nothing I desire compares with You.*

Scripture: Matthew 22:15-22 (ESV)

Sermon: "The Hidden History to the Cross" 3rd Sunday of Lent.....Rev. White

***Closing Hymn:** # 404 Create In Me a Clean Heart

***Benediction**

Go forth in peace, be of good courage, hold fast to that which is good, render to no one evil for evil, but strengthen the faint-hearted, help the afflicted, honor God, love and serve one another rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit now and forevermore. Amen.

Choir Blessing: *God Be With You Till We Meet Again*

Postlude: *Sometimes When We Touch*, David Hill Roy Campbell

*Please Stand if you are able

Thank you to the Diaconate for the altar flowers.