



ORDER OF WORSHIP

April 26, 2020
Third Sunday of Easter

PRELUDE: Lord Jesus Christ, Be Present Now
John Finney, organ

J. S. Bach

CALL TO WORSHIP

**The disciples met the risen Christ as they went about their lives:
eating, fishing, preparing a meal.
We also long to know and make known the presence of Jesus in the world.**

HYMN: The Day of Resurrection
Hymns of Truth & Light (blue hymnal), #216

Lancashire

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Gracious God,
We confess that we have wandered and strayed from your way.
Instead of faith, hope, and love,
we wander down roads of bitterness, fear, and blame.
We put up with disrespect for the goodness of your creation
because making a change seems too hard.
We don't even give ourselves the love that you have given.
Find us where we have wandered, and bring us home.
Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

SUMMARY OF THE LAW

GLORIA

PASSING OF THE PEACE

SOLO

GOSPEL READING: Luke 24:13-35

SERMON: "An Easter Way of Knowing"

Matt Wooster

HYMN: Breathe on Me, Breath of God

Trentham

Hymns of Truth & Light (blue hymnal), #220

SHARING OF CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

OUR 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, for ever. Amen.

HYMN: In the Bulb There Is a Flower

Promise

Hymns of Truth & Light (blue hymnal), #493

COMMISSION AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE: Presto (from *Concerto in G major*)

J. S. Bach (after Johann Ernst)

Preaching: Rev. Matt Wooster

Liturgists: Anne Marie Holloway, Judy Swahnberg