

SHEPHERD of the HILLS LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, February 28, 2021 | 9:00 am
In-Person and Online at sohsv.org

Prelude *Upon La Mi Re* (Preston)

Words of Welcome & Announcements

Meditative Moment

Passing of the Peace

Gathering Song *In the Secret*

Opening Prayer

Psalm Reading **Psalm 22:23-31**

Children's Message

Pastor Brice Bloxham

Scripture Lesson **Genesis 17:1-7; 15-16**

Gospel Reading **Mark 8:27-38**

Message

Pastor Renee Patterson

Song of the Day *Scandal of Grace*

Apostles' Creed

Prayers of the People

Words of Welcome to the Table

The Lord's Prayer

Communion Blessing

Communion Prayer

Benediction

Sending Hymn *I Want Jesus to Walk With Me*

Dismissal

Postlude *Prelude in A* (J.S. Bach)

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.

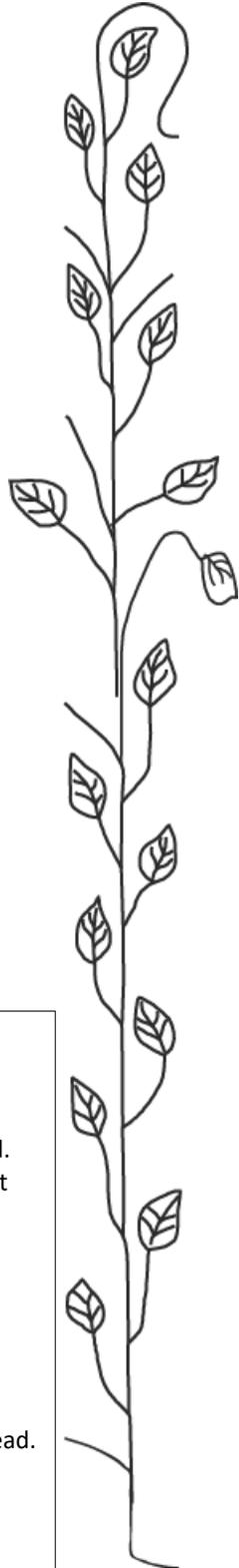
He descended into hell.

On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.



GATHERING SONG: In the Secret

In the secret, in the quiet place,
In the stillness You are there.
In the secret, in the quiet hour I wait
Only for You,
'cause I want to know You more.

CHORUS: I want to know You,
I want to hear Your voice.
I want to know You more.
I want to touch You,
I want to see Your face.
I want to know You more.

I am reaching for the highest goal,
That I might receive the prize.
Pressing onward, pushing every hindrance aside,
Out of my way,
'cause I want to know You more.

CHORUS

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SONG OF THE DAY: Scandal of Grace

Grace, what have You done?
Murdered for me on that cross.
Accused in absence of wrong,
my sin washed away in Your blood.

Too much to make sense of it all;
I know that Your love breaks my fall.
The scandal of grace,
You died in my place so my soul will live.

CHORUS: Oh, to be like You,
Give all I have just to know You.
Jesus, there's no one beside You,
Forever the hope in my heart.

Death, where is your sting?
Your Power is as dead as my sing.
The cross has taught me to live,
And mercy, my heart now to sing.

The day and its troubles shall come;
I know that Your strength is enough.
The scandal of grace,
You died in my place so my soul will live.

CHORUS

And it's all because of You, Jesus.
It's all because of Your, Jesus.
It's all because of Your love
that my soul will live.

CHORUS

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SENDING HYMN: I Want Jesus to Walk with Me

- 1 I want Jesus to walk with me;
I want Jesus to walk with me;
all along my pilgrim journey,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.
- 2 In my trials, Lord, walk with me;
in my trials, Lord, walk with me;
when my heart is almost breaking,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.
- 3 When I'm in trouble, Lord, walk with me;
when I'm in trouble, Lord, walk with me;
when my head is bowed in sorrow,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.

Text: African American spiritual

Reminders and Announcements:

***Coffee & Donuts** —TODAY at 10-11am via Zoom

***Wednesday Bible Study:** the afternoon Bible Study at 1pm will be in-person in the Narthex. Enter through door A (the main doors) and please wear a mask. The evening Bible Study at 6:30pm will remain on Zoom.

***LENT: Lenten Worship services will be online at 6:30pm each Wed throughout Lent** An email with the link will be sent out beforehand each week. **For those wondering about Bible Study: You will be able to watch the service at 6:30pm or anytime after it premieres at 6:30pm. You could join the 6:30pm Bible Study zoom and watch the Lenten service anytime AFTER the Bible Study at 6:30pm.**

***LENT-IN-A-BAG** Each Wednesday during our Lenten Worship services we will be offering a Family Faith Engagement Moment where families of all shapes and sizes can learn tactile ways to connect worship with their lives. Come get one! See info above on where and how to get a kit.

***Shepherd Book Study** Our Spring Book Study will be on "One Coin Found" by Rev. Emmy Kegler. We will be gathering on both Wednesdays at 2:30pm and Thursdays at 6:30pm (via Zoom) every other week beginning on February 24th and 25th. Both weekdays will have the same questions and focus so choose the time that works best for you.

***Ralph Reeder Laundry Soap Drive!** Drop it off at church (door G) and we will get it to RR. Now through the end of the month.

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In-Person Worship

Reserve Your Seat

- On our website, there will be an RSVP link to register on-line each week you plan to attend. The link will be at the bottom of the Worship page (please note that it will list \$0.00 for the charge to attend...please ignore this). RSVP each week you attend, RSVPs opens Tuesdays for the following Sunday. Registration closes at 3:00 pm the Friday prior to each service.
- Ensure that all members of your household are not showing signs/symptoms or waiting on COVID test results
- If a you or a member of your household has exhibited symptoms or waiting on a test- please join us online

What to Bring

- A mask for each member of the household (we will have some available if you forget yours)
- The bulletin (either print out at home or have ready on your mobile device, limited quantities will be available)

When You Arrive

- Enter through Door A (the main doors)
- We will be distributing our prepacked single-service Communion cups outside before you enter the building
- Please take all of your items with you (coats, bulletins)
- Wear Your Mask (properly fit over your nose and mouth)
- Sanitize your hands at the sanitizing station
- Maintain social distance (markings are on the floor/pews)
- Be seated by the usher with your immediate household
- Greet others with a wave rather than a handshake or a hug

Keeping Safe During the Service

- There will be no nursery or in-sanctuary “kid’s PRAYground” area available. Families are encouraged to bring quiet toys (no busy-bags will be available) with them and remain together as a family during the service.
- Wear a mask (Everyone over the age of two)
- Maintain social distancing
- There will be no communal singing or responsive/out loud readings
- Restrooms are available, please observe social distancing
- Water fountains have been disabled
- The sanctuary and all utilized spaces will be disinfected before and after services
- Special ionizers on the HVAC (heating, ventilation, air conditioning unit) to promote healthy air quality
- The sidewalks as well as the floors in the building will be marked to provide guidance
- To limit items being touched, all Bibles, hymnals, forms, and pencils have been removed from the pews

When You Depart

- Wait for the ushers to dismiss you and exit through door A (main doors)
- Offertory may be left in the basket at the doors or done online on our website
- Take all of your items with you including communion supplies
- Go spread the news of Jesus Christ