

First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) Minneapolis
A Welcoming Community of Faith in the Heart of the Twin Cities:
Come to a place where you can explore, be curious, and ask questions.
Sunday, April 21, 2024

Gathering At the Gate

Gathering Music: Tim O'Grady – *Carillons* –
Johann Phillip Kirnberger

Welcome, Announcements: Rev. Jay
Hillestad

Prelude: Tim O'Grady – *Savior, Like a
Shepherd Lead Us* – William B. Bradbury
(arr. Mark Hayes)

The Collective Story of Resurrection

Confession/Assurance: Rev. Jay Hillestad

Theme Song: *Rise Up in Us* – Amanda Udis-
Kessler

Opening Hymn: *Lead Me, Lord*, CH #593

Proclaiming Home

New Life Happens: Deb Murphy
Song: *Halle, Halle*, CH #41

Prayers of the People: Rev. Dan
Adolphson

The Prayer of Jesus

Notes on Home: Rev. Jay Hillestad

Special Music: Tyler Frankhouse – *How
Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place* – (arr.
Francesa LaRosa)

A Story of Home: Rev. Jay Hillestad – Luke
24: 36-43

Testimony to Home: Rev. Dr. Laurie P. Feille
– *Found*

Visio Divina

Responding to Being Found

Opportunities to Live Resurrected

Offering Invitation: Rev. Tammy
Rottschaefer, Elder

Special Music: Section Leaders –
Welcome to Jesus – Brad Nix

Offertory Prayer

The Lord's Supper

Communion Invitation: Mike Hesano,
Elder

Sharing the Peace of Christ

Hymn of Communion: *Become to Us the
Living Bread*, CH #423

Communion Prayer

Words of Institution

Partaking of Communion

Music for Meditation: Tim O'Grady –
Nocturne in E-Flat Major – Frederic
Chopin

Unlocking Home

Closing Hymn: *On Eagle's Wings*, CH #77

Closing Words: Rev. Dan Adolphson

Benediction: Rev. Dr. Laurie Pound Feille

Theme Song: *Rise Up in Us* – Amanda Udis-
Kessler

Postlude: Tim O'Grady – *We're Marching to
Zion* – Robert Lowry (arr. Joel Raney)

As always, our thanks to technicians Melinda Nickerson, Mike Cackoski and Mark Carlson.
Thank you to our pianist, Tim O'Grady; Soloist Tyler Frankhouse; to Deb Murphy;
Worship Leader Rev. Jay Hillestad; Elders Rev. Tammy Rottschaefer and Mike Hesano;
Section Leaders Dr. Caroline Povolny, Jonathan Sill and Tyler Frankhouse;
and Deacons Paul Rottschaefer and Mitch Grauberger (online).
Thank you all for sharing your gifts!

Announcements & Calendar

Please let us know you are worshipping with us by filling out the online worship attendance form (link is in the Livestream chat, and on the front page of our website, www.fccmpls.org)

Communion is offered to everyone. No matter where you are on life's journey, ALL are welcome. If you are worshipping with us online, please use whatever you have available to partake of communion from wherever you are watching. Take a picture and send it to Pastor Dan ;-). If you are with us in person, please come forward to receive communion when invited by the Deacons. If you are unable to come forward, please stay seated and the Deacons will come to you. We use gluten free wafers and grape juice.

Children: coloring pages and other activities are available on the home page of our website fccmpls.org. If you have joined us on-site, join us at the Kid's Table.

Coffee with the Pastors: Join the pastors, members and friends for a Zoom gathering at 9 am Wednesday and Saturday of this coming week. **Zoom Happy Hours** this week are Tuesday and Thursday at 5 pm. The Zoom links for these gatherings are sent out in an e-blast on Sundays and mid-week. They are also available on our Facebook page and website.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, April 21

9 am – 12:30 pm – SpringHouse Youth Room Open Hours @ [SHMC Youth Room](#)

10 -10:40 am – SpringHouse Youth Group activities @ [SHMC Youth Room](#)

10:30 am – Worship (In-person & livestream on YouTube)

Children's Table activities can be found on the home page of our website: www.fccmpls.org

After service Coffee Hour @ Gathering Space

Monday, April 22

Tuesday, April 23

5 pm – Happy Hour with the Pastors @ [FCC Zoom channel](#)

7 pm – Worship Committee @ Online

Wednesday, April 24

9 am – Coffee Hour with the Pastors @ [FCC Zoom channel](#)

Thursday, April 25

5 pm – Happy Hour with the Pastors @ [FCC Zoom channel](#)

Saturday, April 27

9 am – Coffee Hour with the Pastors @ [FCC Zoom channel](#)

10 am – Grief Support Group @ Westminster Presbyterian Church

Sunday Coffee Hour is an important time for us to connect, support and enjoy each other's company. If you haven't contributed to coffee hour lately, we could use your help. We're needing volunteers to sign-up for *volunteering in February*. Please sign-up on the sign-up sheet which is on the kitchen refrigerator or see Steve Rusinak or you can contact him at srusinak@comcast.com. If you can help this week or another week, this is much appreciated. Thank you!