

“But my life is worth nothing unless I use it for doing the work assigned me by the Lord Jesus, the work of telling others the Good News about God’s wonderful kindness and love.” — Acts 20:24 (NLT)

SERVICE FOR THE LORD’S DAY

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MISSIONS SUNDAY

Rev. John Lutz, Senior Pastor

Tom Romspert (8:00) and Ron Cookson (9:30), Worship Assistants

April 29, 2012

8:00 & 9:30 a.m.

Prelude

Welcome & Greeting One Another

(Please sign the attendance pad and pass it down the aisle. Stand and greet the people around you and welcome them into our circle of faith today.)

*Opening Hymn “The Church’s One Foundation” 545

*Opening Act of Worship

Leader: We are people of the Word, and today that Word is ...

People: Christ is risen. He is risen indeed!

Leader: We are people of the world, and today that world is ...

People: In need of peace and a Savior.

Leader: We are people of work, and today that work is ...

People: Laid aside so that we might find rest for our souls.

Leader: We are people of worship, and today that worship is ...

People: Offered in a spirit of humility and gratitude.

All: Accept, O God, the words of our mouths and the meditation of our hearts. Amen.

*Gloria Patri “Glory Be To the Father” 70

Life of the Church

✠Prayers of the People ✠The Lord’s Prayer

*Hymn “We’ve A Story to Tell to the Nations” 569

(Children are dismissed at this time for Sunday School.)

Missionary Speakers

Aileen Agoncillo (8:00)

Livingstone’s & Chaplain Jack (9:30)

Faith Promise Invitation

Tim Eick (8:00); Jeff Tihansky (9:30)

Presentation of our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Anthem

Wesleyan Choir

*Offertory Response “Doxology” 95

*Offertory Prayer [unison]

O God, we dedicate these gifts to You in hope—a hope which begins here and now, yet stretches further than human eye can see. Use all of who we are and all of what we have to provide hope that what we are giving, by Your grace, is making a difference somewhere. Through our gifts, speak Your gospel to people we may never meet. Amen.

*Closing Hymn “Is It I, Lord” 593

*Affirmation of Faith “The World Methodist Social Affirmation” 886

*Benediction

Postlude

**If able, please stand to worship God*

We welcome YOU to our worship service this morning. If You are visiting our church for the first time, we extend You a special greeting. (Please inform us of Your complete name and address on the Fellowship Pad or in the Guest Book.) We invite You to enter into our worship wholeheartedly. Sing out! Listen intently to God’s Word! Be open to promptings of the Holy Spirit! And after the service, give us a chance to talk with You and invite You back! We look forward to Your worshipping with us again.

ABOUT THIS WORSHIP SERVICE ...

Altar Flowers today are Dedicated to the Glory of God In Loving Memory of Josephine Roth, by Her Husband John Roth; and also In Memory of Winifred Hewitt MacKay.

Morning Greeters this morning are Erika Paton at the 8:00 service; and at the 9:30 service, Karen Arner.

Ushers this morning are Joe McDonald, Bob Slotterback & Tim Eick at the 8:00 service; and Elmer & Marybeth States at the 9:30 service.

Acolyte this morning is Austin Cookson.

Prayer Chain No. 5 is in effect this week. Please call George Jenca, 215-757-4094, for prayer requests and praise for answered prayers.

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Worship Services

Traditional

8:00 & 9:30 a.m.

Contemporary

11:00 a.m.

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