Fourth Sunday of Easter April 25, 2021

PRELUDE Pastorella I BWV 590 Bach (1685-1750)

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

<u>Leader</u>: God leads us into places filled with life, carries us through darkness and comforts

us with gentleness. The Lord is risen!

People: He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Leader: Let us worship God.

OPENING HYMN The King of Love My Shepherd Is

St. Colomba

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of love and truth, in trust we confess our sin to You. Called to follow, we wander instead. Charged with loving one another as You have loved us, we squabble among ourselves, damaging one another with our words. Confronted with the truth, we respond with lies. Forgive us, Lord, this and all our sin. Turn us around, and lead us; teach us Your voice, that we might hear and obey. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING
Psalm 23

ANTHEM My Shepherd Will Supply My Need Resignation

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING John 10:11-18

SERMON Authority. Rev. Patrick Pettit

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

CLOSING HYMN Christ the Lord is Risen Today! Llanfair

CHARGE & BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Pastorella IV BWV 590 Bach

Recorded Worship Service will be online Sunday afternoon.

The 2021-22 Memorial Scholarship application is available on the church website and church office. Students may submit the application until Friday, May 28th. Please feel to contact Holly Bennett with any questions: hollybbennett@outlook.com or (540) 836-9844.

Now that we are back in person, we need volunteers for reading the Liturgy, please let the office know. 949-8366



Prayers for Health and Other Concerns:

The Legacy: Eloise Morris

Shenandoah Nursing Home: Rubye Schwab

Regency at Fishersville: Glennis Bear Summit Square: Lillian Hryshkanych

Home: Dick Huff, Nancy Garber, Mary Ultee, Edie Lawrence, Steve Doherty, Kathy

Brown, Mary Ann Maupin

Friends and Family: Andy & Jean Robeson, Wanda Braden, Lucy Colbert, Charlie Fairchilds (Cunninghams), Steve Stevens, Marianne Beck, Bill Bromley (Jen Jones), Danny Smith (Nancy Hypes), Jennifer & Charlotte Sergeant (Kathy Brown), Emily Bardeen (Sandi Henderson), Kathy Doyle (Cindy & Rodger Doyle), Bill Metzel (Joyce Tipton), Tony Poplin, Jerry Hughes, Paul Watts (Colleen Cash), Shae Blackwell and Family (Preschool), Col. Stuart Roberts (Mark Henderson), Alissa Voils (Pam Leech), Phil Hashagen (Jean & Don)

Military: Jeremiah Henderson, Carson Craig

Missionaries: Elmarie & Scott Parker, PC (USA) Regional Liaisons to Iraq, Syria &

Lebanon