

**SERVICES OF WORSHIP**  
**8:30 and 10 a.m., April 18**  
*"The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing."*  
– Psalm 23:1

**GATHERING MUSIC** Praise Team

*"As the Deer"* .....Nystrom

**ORGAN PRAISE** Roderick Gorby

*Prelude to "Like a River Glorious"* .....Gorby

**CALL TO WORSHIP** Greg Hartnett

(based on Psalm 42 and Revelation 7)

*Leader: As the deer pants for streams of water, so our souls pant for You, O God.*

**People: Our souls thirst for You — our living God!**

*Leader: Like a river glorious is Your perfect peace!*

**People: You are our Shepherd, leading us to springs of living water!**

**We worship and adore You!**

**HYMN OF PRAISE**

*"Like a River Glorious" vs. 1, 3*

**DECLARATION OF GOOD NEWS** Tim McConnell

**PRAYER OF ADORATION**

**WELCOME AND GREETING**

**SONG OF PRAISE**

*"You Calmed the Wind and Waters"* .....DeJarnette

**CALL TO CONFESSION**

**COMMUNITY PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Almighty and merciful God, we have erred and strayed from Your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against Your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done. Have mercy upon us. Spare those who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent, according to Your promises declared to the world in Christ Jesus, our Lord. And grant, O merciful God, for His sake, that we may live a holy, just, and humble life to the glory of Your holy name.

**PRAYER OF PERSONAL CONFESSION**

**ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS**

**RESPONSE**

*"You Are My All in All"* .....Jernigan

**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** Michael Thornton

**The Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there He shall come 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.

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**OFFERING OUR GIFTS**

**MINISTRY OF MUSIC (ARCHIVED)** The Sanctuary Choir; Jim DeJarnette

*"The Lord Is My Shepherd"* .....Pote

**LIFE OF THE CONGREGATION**

**SERMON**

**WHAT DAVID KNEW: "Shepherd"**

Psalm 23 Tim McConnell

**SONG OF RESPONSE**

*"Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" vs. 1, 3, 4*

**CHARGE AND BLESSING**

**POSTLUDE**

*Variations on "The King of Love, My Shepherd Is"* .....Gorby

Praise Team: Matt Holtzman, Vonda Barnhart, Yvette Dubé, Worship Leaders; James Bristow, Guitar; Jason Crowe, Bass; Scott Barbier, Percussion

**In Memoriam**

Mr. Donald Kimberlin – 4/3/2021

**Pray for those in hospital/short-term rehab**

St. Francis Medical Center – Mr. Arnie Jacobs  
Center at Cordera – Mrs. Marion Ebeling, Mrs. Nell Swartz  
Center at Centennial – Mrs. ElNora Borden, Mr. Rick Yates  
Health Care Resort – Mrs. Nancy Calhoon

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