



**DURAND FIRST**  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

**Livestream Service**  
**March 29, 2020**  
**Fifth Sunday in Lent**

**OPENING HYMN**    *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Just as fear gripped the family and friends of Lazarus, we too experience fear in uncertain days.

**P: But we know that fear no longer has power over us as demonstrated through Jesus raising Lazarus from the dead.**

L: Though we quickly become afraid and find ourselves feeling powerless,

**P: Jesus conquered our fears, releasing us to experience His love and power.**

L: Let us worship the Lord, unafraid for we can trust in God's promises through Jesus Christ.

**P: We worship Jesus Christ, the One who conquered sin and death, forever. Amen.**

**HYMN**                    *I Stand Amazed*

**PRAYER**

**OLD TESTAMENT READING**    Ezekiel 37:1-14

**SINGING THE PSALMS**        Psalm 130

*1 Out of the depths I cry to You,  
O Lord, now hear my voice!*

*2 Let Your ears be attentive to  
my cry for mercy voiced.*

*3 If You, O Lord, recorded sins,  
Then who, O Lord, could stand?*

*4 But with You there's forgiveness, and  
therefore, we fear Your hand.*

*5 I wait, my soul waits for the Lord;  
His word's my hope and stay.  
6 My soul waits for the Lord more than  
the watchmen wait for day.*

*Yes, more than watchmen wait for morn,  
I wait for God above.*

*7 O Is-ra-el, put hope in this—  
The Lord's unfailing love.*

*For with the Lord is steadfast love,  
Redemption full and free;  
8 For He will redeem Is-ra-el,  
From all iniquity.*

**NEW TESTAMENT READING**    Romans 8:6-11

**THE APOSTLES' CREED (Ecumenical Version)**

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

*I believe 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, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and 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.*

**GOSPEL READING**                John 11:1-45

**SERMON**      *“Witnesses to Resurrection”*      Pastor Aaron

**HYMN**              *The Wondrous Cross*

**THE LORD’S PRAYER**

*Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.*

*Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.*

*For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.*

**HYMN OF SENDING**      *Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus*

**BENEDICTION**



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