



Mountainside United Methodist Church

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9:00 a.m. Worship Service

April 22, 2018

Celebration of Worship

We are honored that you have chosen to worship with us today. We pray with His presence as you have blessed us with yours. You may light a candle for yourself, your loved ones, or for a concern you have in your community or so before the service or during the worship songs.

**Indicates congregation standing as able*

*Opening Song “It Is Well with My Soul”

*Pastor: Alleluia. Christ is risen!

People: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Welcome and Announcements

Please sign the registration notebook when it is passed along y

*Confession of Our Faith

Let us join together in professing the Christian faith as contained in the Old and New Testaments.:

*Gloria Patri

*Hymn “I Know Whom I Have Believed”

*Opening Prayer (together)

Risen Savior, thank you for the living witness to your saving work. Now open our hearts and minds to the reading of the scriptures. We may know and feel the fullness of the salvation found in you

Children’s Sermon

Children are invited to come to the front to spend some time with the pastor. Afterwards, the children (ages 3-10) may go to children’s church. They are always welcome to stay in the sanctuary.

Anthem

“Take It To the Lord In Prayer”
John Helgen

Scripture
Sermon

Acts 4:5-12
Salvation Comes

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all crea
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Pra
power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Allelui
“Have Thine Own Way, Lord”

Response and Prayers

Dan Salzwedel

That we with Peter and John and all your apostles may proclaim the gospel boldly:

Hear us, O God.

That we may offer your healing for all who are sick, or torn, or weary:

Hear us, O God.

That many dead and left for dead may be raised, and death’s power vanquished:

Hear us, God.

That all who are unclean may receive your cleansing grace:

Hear us, O God.

That all who are possessed, oppressed, distressed, depressed and downcast may be
set free at last.

Hear us, O God.

*Dismissal with Blessing

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Go forth to declare salvation in Jesus’ name.

Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Joys and Concerns

*(The congregation is invited to voice joys and concerns. A tan card is available for
prayer concerns that you would like to have added to our weekly prayer list or email
distribution.)*

Mountainside United Methodist Church would like to welcome our
our “Beacon on the Mountainside”. In honor of your visit, MUMC
donation in your name to a charity. In order for us to make these d
please be sure to fill out the “First Time Guest Card” found in the 1

Pastoral Prayer

♪ The Lord’s Prayer (sung)

Mallotte

Passing the Peace and Greetings

Pastor: Healed, forgiven and justified by God through Jesus Christ, share words and
signs of peace with one another.

(The congregation is invited to stand and exchange words of peace and greeting.)

Offering

Offertory

*Doxology

“Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow”

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Assisting in Worship Today:

Dan Salzwedel, Liturgist

Dora Scheer, Song Leader

Mountainside Choir

Dee Short, Organist

Karen Blackmore, Pianist