

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Fifth Sunday in Lent

March 18, 2018



Music for Gathering

Marietta Mobley, piano

Christ Candle

Rachel Perry

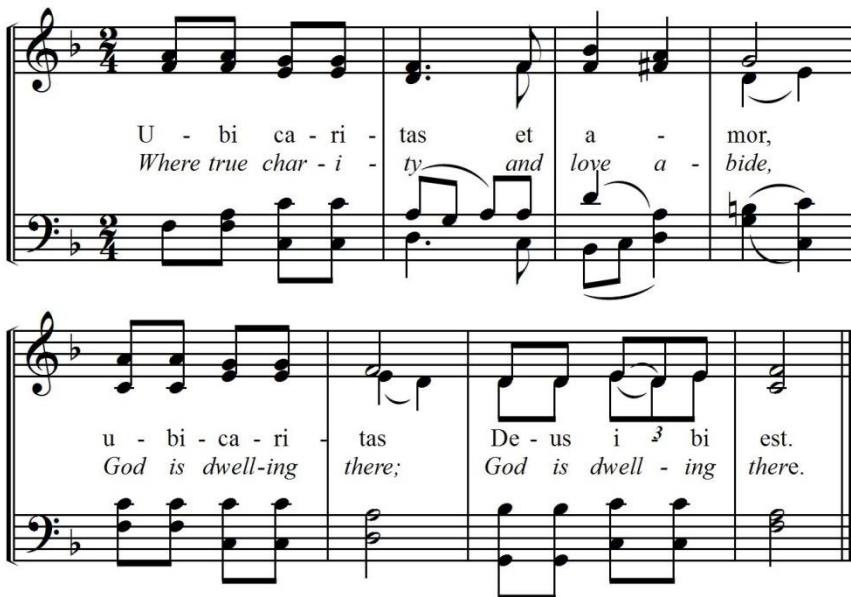
Opening Sentences

Rev. Alan Sherouse

Singing

Ubi caritas

Soprano, add Tenor, add Alto, add Bass



U - bi ca - ri - tas et a - mor,
Where true char - i - ty and love a - bide,

u - bi - ca - ri - tas De - us i³ bi est.
God is dwell - ing there; God is dwell - ing there.

†Hymn of Praise 101

My Jesus, I Love Thee

GORDON

stanzas one and two only

Ministry of Music

Catherine McMichael

Contemplation on *Ubi Caritas*

Adult Handbells, Terri Vancil, director

This piece is placed in the music library in memory of Delmas Bearden.

Call to Prayer

Rev. Darnysha Nard

O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth will declare your praise.

For you have no delight in sacrifice

If I were to give a burnt offering, you would not be pleased.

The sacrifice acceptable to God is a broken spirit;

a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.

† Singing

HAMBURG

When I sur - vey the wond - rous cross on which the
 Prince of Glo - ry died. My rich - est gain I
 count but loss, and pour con - tempt on all my pride.

† Prayers at the Cross

Rev. Nard

† Singing

HAMBURG

Were the whole realm of na - ture mine; that were a pres - ent
 far too small. Love so a - maz - ing, so di - vine
 de - mands my soul, my life, my all. A - men!

† Words of Friendship

Christina McCord

As we greet one another children may gather with Christina on the platform steps.

A Family Covenanting

Christina McCord

James Leonard Pate V, son of James and Erin Pate

Rev. Sherouse

After the children's message, children, ages four through first grade may attend

Junior Church and return to the sanctuary after the sermon.

Opening of God's Word

Avery White

Scripture Lesson

Rev. Nard

John 12.20-33

Sermon

Rev. Sherouse

Practicing Our Faith | Dying Well

†Hymn 221

PASSION CHORALE

O Sacred Head Now Wounded

Please omit stanza 3

Musical Interlude

Offertory Prayer

Mark Miller, deacon

Choral Offering

Victor C. Johnson

I Saw the Cross of Jesus

Sanctuary Choir

†Benediction

Rev. Sherouse

†Hymn 221

PASSION CHORALE

O Sacred Head Now Wounded

stanza 3

Guests are warmly welcomed today. There are several ways during the worship hour that we can become better acquainted. During the **Words of Friendship** we will share a personal greeting with those sitting around us. You will find a **Connection Card** in the bulletin that can be filled out and dropped in the offering plate as it is passed in the service. **Ministers** will also be greeting worshipers at each exit door after the service.

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