

Makawao Union Church



Third Sunday of Easter

April 26, 2020

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Mahalo to the following for their talents and service:

To Jen Pinter for being our greeter today.

To Jay Slaughter and Liz Gregg for providing our music today.

To Emily Hickman for being our reader today.

To Rick and Terry Rose for our Call to Offering today.

To our Worship Tech and Design Teams: Jen and Brian Pinter, David Fisher, Lewis Gamble, Liz Gregg, Jay Slaughter, Bill Kepler and Pastor Robin Lunn.

Congregational responses are printed in bold.

We Welcome and Prepare

Aloha and Announcements

One: May the peace of Christ be with you.

Many: And also with you.

Leader: I invite you to greet one another in a sign of God's peace.

Prelude

All Creatures of Our God and King

Mark Hayes

Prayers to Gather Us In

Pastor Robin will lead us in a gathering prayer this morning.

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. 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

Sing of One Who Walks Beside Us

#231 (Chalice Hymnal)

1. Sing of the One who walks beside us and this day is living still,
One who now is closer to us than the thoughts our hearts distill,
Christ was once upon a hilltop, raised against the power of sin,
Died in love as his own creatures crucified their God and Friend!

2. We have walked with him as strangers through the journey of the day,
And have told him of the violence that has swept our hope away.
He has offered words of comfort, words of energy and light.
Did our hearts not blaze within us as he broke the bread that night?

3. Risen one, stay with us, raise us, once again the night is near.
Dine with us and share your wisdom, free our hearts from every fear.
In the calm of each new evening, in the freshness of each dawn,
If you hold us fast in friendship we will never be alone.

We Listen

Sacred Texts

Luke 24:13-35

Emily Hickman

Message **Blessing of the Animals who walk beside us**

Anthem

His Eye Is On the Sparrow

Jay Slaughter, Soloist

Words: Civilla D. Martin, 1905

Music: Charles Gabrielle, 1905

We Respond

Our Music Reflections this morning:

Blessed Assurance

Craig Curry

Centering into Our Communal Prayer

Our Burdens are Shared in chat and email

Musical Reflection

Our Gratitude is Shared in chat and email

Musical Reflection

Covering Prayers for All That Has Been Shared

Call to Our Offering

Terry and Rick Rose

Hymn

God of the Sparrow, God of the Whale #70 (Chalice Hymnal)

Words: Jaroslav J. Vajda, 1983

Music: Carl F. Schalk, 1983

1. God of the sparrow
God of the whale
God of the swirling stars
How does the creature say Awe
How does the creature say Praise

2. God of the earthquake
God of the storm
God of the trumpet blast
How does the creature cry Woe
How does the creature cry Save

3. God of the rainbow
God of the cross
God of the empty grave
How does the creature say Grace
How does the creature say
Thanks

4. God of the hungry
God of the sick
God of the prodigal
How does the creature say Care
How does the creature say Life

5. God of the neighbor
God of the foe
God of the pruning hook
How does the creature say Love
How does the creature say Peace

6. God of the ages
God near at hand
God of the loving heart
How do your children say Joy
How do your children say Home

We Go Forth

Benediction

The Queen's Prayer Queen Lili'uokalani # 580

*'O kou aloha nō, Aia i ka lani
A 'o kou 'oiā i'ō, He hemolele ho'i. 'Āmene.*

English translation:

Your loving mercy is as high as heaven and your truth so perfect.

Postlude *Let All Things Now Living* Trad. Welsh Melody

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- While our Church doors are closed for the first time in over 100 years due to the COVID-19 pandemic, our ministries are still open. For added convenience, we now have an electronic giving support mechanism through PayPal. Please visit our website at www.makawaounionchurch.org and look for the **Donate** button at the bottom of the home screen. It is easy to donate with or without a PayPal account. Those who prefer may continue to send your pledges via US Postal service to our mailing address:

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- Next Sunday, May 3rd we will be celebrating Communion Sunday and we encourage you to set up a prayer table prior to church. Include any item that will enhance your experience such as a special plate for your piece of bread, scone, or cracker. Don't forget a glass of any beverage to represent the blood of Christ. Candles? Flowers? You are the architect of your Communion.

Upcoming Events:

- April 27 Stay healthy and safe at home
April 28 10AM Worship Tech Team – Zoom
3PM Worship Design Team – Zoom
April 29 10:00AM Deacons Meeting - Zoom
Narcotics Anonymous, see <https://na-hawaii.org>
May 01 Alcoholics Anonymous, see: <https://aamaui.org>
May 02 4PM Worship Tech Team run through – Zoom
May 03 10:20AM Log/Dial in - Zoom for Worship
10:30AM Worship and Aloha Hour
12:30PM Youth Group – Zoom

