# Sixth Sunday of Easter

8:30 am and 10:45 am

GATHERING MUSIC

May 5, 2024

Larry Landusky

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS The Lord be with you. And also with you.

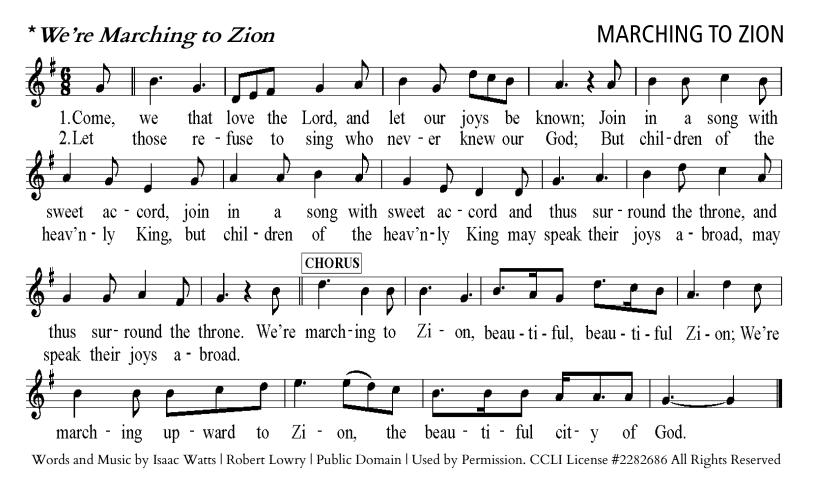
\*O Worship the King LYONS 1. 0 wor - ship the King, all glo - rious bove. grate - ful - ly and a -2. Frail chil - dren of fee - ble frail. do dust, and as in Thee we His der - ful Shield love; Our and De - fend - er, sing won the Thee trust, find fail; Thy cies how ten - der, to mer how nor gird - ed with praise. cient vil - ioned in of Days, splen - dor, and \_ An pa firm to the Mak - er. Re deem - er, and Friend. end. our De - fend - er. Words and Music by Johann Michael Haydn | Robert Grant

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#### PASTORAL PRAYER

**Charles Johnson** 

# **RECOGNITION OF CHORAL SCHOLAR GRADUATES**

#### SCRIPTURE READING

#### Nancy Sharp, Rachael Montgomery Acts 10:44-48

<sup>44</sup>While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who heard the word. <sup>45</sup>The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the gentiles, <sup>46</sup> for they heard them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter said, <sup>47</sup>"Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?" <sup>48</sup>So he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited him to stay for several days.

> The Word of God for the People of God. Thanks be to God!

# CHILDREN'S TIME (10:45)

Penni Pennington



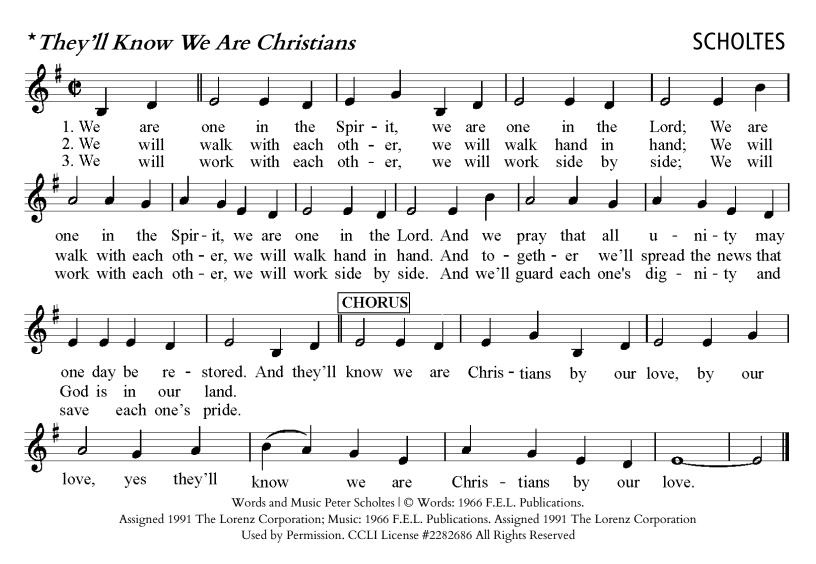
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## \*GOSPEL READING

# Nancy Sharp, Rachael Montgomery John 15:9-17

<sup>9</sup>As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. <sup>10</sup>If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. <sup>11</sup>I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete. <sup>12</sup> "This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. <sup>13</sup>No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. <sup>14</sup>You are my friends if you do what I command you. <sup>15</sup>I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing, but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. <sup>16</sup>You did not choose me, but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. <sup>17</sup>I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.

This is the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. Thanks be to God!



# CHORAL RESPONSE

Second Voices

*I'm Gonna Let It Shine* arranged by Mark Hayes

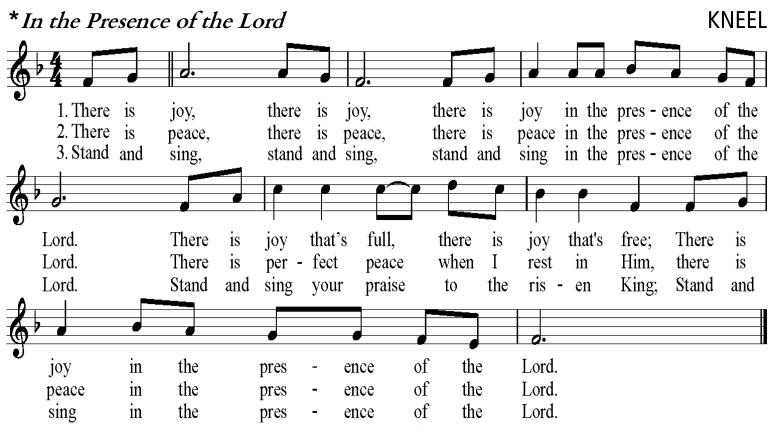
PROCLAMATION

Commandment of Christ

**Charles Johnson** 

#### INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

You are invited to dedicate your life to Christ, join our faith community, or answer a call from God to do ministry in this world by coming forward during the hymn and share this decision with a minister.



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# THE MORNING OFFERING

Please drop your connection card and offering in the plate as it is passed. If you would like to donate online, please go to secondb.org/give or @secondbaptistlbk on Venmo.

#### **\*OFFERTORY PRAYER**

Joyce Purkeypile, Alan Lackey

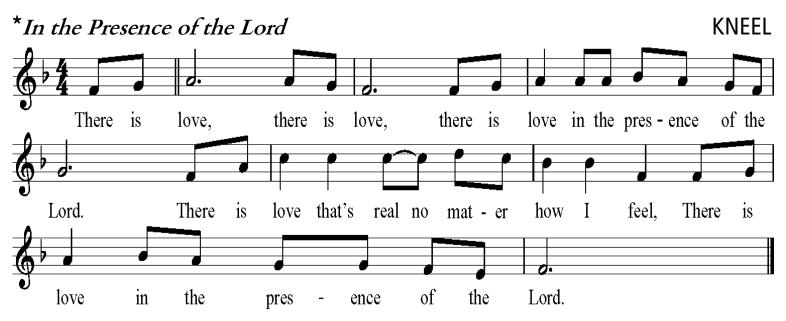
OFFERTORY

**Bells Gloria** 

*Ring to the Lord a New Song* arranged by Cathy Moklebust

# **\*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

Please share the peace with those near you.



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#### \*PASTORAL BENEDICTION

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# This Week at 2B

# TODAY

- **COFFEE DUTY** Phase 2
- 8:30 am: Early Worship
- 9:30 am: Sunday School/Bible Study
- Youth Ministry
- 10:45 am: Late Worship & Livestream
- 5:00 pm: Youth Choir Rehearsal
- 6:00 pm: Second Chance Al-Anon

#### TUESDAY, May 7

6:30 am:	Tuesday Morning Prayer Breakfast
10:00 am:	B & B Book Club Meeting - Hope Room
6:00 pm:	Learn to Play Mahjong - Room 130

#### WEDNESDAY, May 8

10:00 am: Beginner's Bridge

- 10:30 am: Macular Degeneration & Low Vision Support Group
- 2:00 pm: Day Class Learn to Play Mahjong Senior Adult Fellowship
- 5:15 pm: Wednesday Evening Fellowship Supper
- 6:00 pm: Wednesday Windows Classes Children's Activities and Choir Youth Hangout Orchestra Rehearsal
- 7:00 pm: Second Voices Rehearsals

#### THURSDAY, May 9

10:30 am: Thursday Morning Bible Study - Conference Center

#### WE TAKE SERIOUSLY OUR MINISTRY OF PRAYER

Prayer cards are available. Please place your filled out card and offerings in the box on the rear wall of the Worship Hall or place in the offering plate as it is passed during worship.

#### ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES ARE AVAILABLE FOR YOUR USE.

Please ask an usher for assistance as you enter the sanctuary for worship.

# Every Member a Minister

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