## SELWYN AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MORNING WORSHIP Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 17, 2020 Half past Ten O'Clock

WELCOME AND NOTICES

PRELUDE King's Weston

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 66

Leader: Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth;

People: Sing the glory of His name; give to God glorious praise.

Leader: Come and see what God has done,

People: Say to God, "How awesome are Your deeds!

Leader: Praise our God, O Peoples, let the sound of His praise be heard.

All: He has preserved our lives and kept our feet from slipping.

HYMN "In Christ There Is No East or West" MCKEE

In Christ there is no east or west, in Him no south or north, But one great fellowship of love throughout the whole wide earth.

In Christ shall true hearts everywhere their high communion find; His service is the golden cord close binding human kind.

Join hands, disciples of the faith, whate'er your race may be.

All children of the living God are surely kin to me.

In Christ now meet both east and west; in Him meet south and north.

All Christly souls are one in Him throughout the whole wide earth.

**CALL TO CONFESSION** 

PRAYER OF CONFESSION written by Katherine Hawker

Leader: Come with what you have. For you who grieve this day know that you are invited to bring the broken pieces of your heart.

People: Loved by one another, we discover God's love for us.

Leader: Come with what you have. For you who come with gladness know that your melody will find harmony.

People: Accepting God's love for us, we are called to love one another.

Leader: Come with what you have. For you weighed down by too many 'shoulds' and 'what-ifs' know that here you may lay down the burdens of guilt and shame.

People: Loved by one another, we discover God's love for us.

Leader: Come with what you have. For you who have the answers, know that new questions await you.

People: Accepting God's love for us, we are called to love one another.

Leader: Come with what you have. For you who come seeking, know that your questions are safe in the presence of God.

All: Loved by one another, we discover God's love for us.

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel!

Congregation: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

A MESSAGE FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

SCRIPTURE LESSON John 14:15-21

SERMON "Promises of the Spirit" Margo Richardson

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

TITHES AND OFFERING Text to Give 704-734-9818

ANTHEM "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

Ivey Cherry, baritone

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\*DOXOLOGY "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**BENEDICTION**