

UNITED EVANGELICAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST  
East Avenue and Dillon St. Baltimore, Md.  
The Rev. W. Scott Hengen III - Pastor  
Mr. Robert Gundlach Director of Music  
Sunday, April 13, 1980

SECOND SUNDAY IN EASTERTIDE

Silence and Meditation - Pew Prayers

Prelude: "Jesu Joy of Man's Desiring" Bach

\*Processional Hymn 165

\*Solemn Declaration, Psalm 18:30-32 (p.483)

\*Gloria Patri

Call to Confession and Confession of Sin

Pastor: *The joy of this Eastertide Season is the result of the victory of Jesus Christ over death and the grave. We celebrate that triumph with all those who find in Him a future that will never end. We want that joy in our own lives.*

People: *We celebrate that joy together. We have come here to share that triumph with others. And we welcome everyone to join us as we walk together into His new future.*

Pastor: *But we all come less than our best. We come to experience acceptance. We come as those in need of the acceptance of others. And we come needing to accept others in Christ's name.*

People: *We all need Christ's acceptance. We already experience our own non-acceptance of each other. We have not yet fully known the joy of triumph over our many differences.*

Pastor: *Then let us confess that sin among us.*

All: *We acknowledge our shortcomings, O Christ. We confess we all have sinned and share that which separates us. We crave the joy and release of full forgiveness. Speak pardon and peace to each of us. And grant us all the love shown openly in the bare cross and the empty tomb.*

Amen

Pastor: *Lord, have mercy upon us.*

People Sing: *Lord, have mercy upon us.*

Pastor: *Christ, have mercy upon us.*

People Sing: *Christ, have mercy upon us.*

Pastor: *Lord, have mercy upon us.*

People Sing: *Lord, have mercy upon us.*

Pastor: *Hear the promises of God: "Ask, and it will be given you; seek, and you will find, knock, and it will be opened to you." "If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just, and will forgive our sins." I announce therefore in the name of Jesus Christ, that we are forgiven.*

Praise Versicle (No. 517)

Pastor: *O Lord, open our lips.*

People Sing: *And our mouths shall show forth Thy praise.*

Hymn of Praise 177

Collect and The Holy Scriptures:

Old Testament: Acts 5:12-16 (p.117)

Epistle: Rev. 1:9-13, 17-19 (p.236)

\*Gloria Tibi #497

\*Gospel: John 21:1-14 (p.111)

\*Laus Tibi #497

Sermon: "An Appearance At Daybreak"

\*Statement of Faith (Front of Hymnal)

Hymn 168

Announcements and Moments of Concern

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory: "In God, My Faithful God" Bach

\*Dedication of Offerings and Doxology

Special Music:

8:00 a.m. - "How Great Thou Art" -

10:30 a.m. - "Let There Be Peace On Earth"  
Senior Choir

Morning Prayers and Lord's Prayer (Response)

\*Benediction

\*Recessional Hymn 172

Silence and Meditation

Postlude: "Prelude and Fugue in F" Bach

\*Congregation Standing

CHOIR ANTHEM

"LET THERE BE PEACE ON EARTH"

1. Let there be peace on earth  
And let it begin with me;  
Let there be peace on earth,  
The peace that was meant to be.  
With God as our Father,  
Brothers all are we,  
Let me walk with my brother,  
In perfect harmony.
  
2. Let peace begin with me,  
Let this be the moment now.  
With every step I take,  
Let this be my solemn vow;  
To take each moment  
And live each moment in peace eternally.  
Let there be peace on earth,  
And let it begin with me.

(Repeat 2.)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Because of other personal commitments, Mr. Earl Jackson has asked to be relieved as Chairperson of the Property Committee. Mr. George Sauer has been appointed to serve in that capacity by the President of the Church Council. Mr. Jackson will remain on the Property Committee.

Our special congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Joseph Rasinski nee Laura Rasinski who were married here yesterday.

The Choir would like to thank everyone who purchased Patron Ads for our show. We hope you will come see the show and dinner on May 2.



*The earth is the Lord's, and the fulness thereof.*

Psalm 24:1