

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 27, 1980

FOURTH SUNDAY IN EASTERTIDE

Silence and Meditation - Pew Prayers
Prelude: "The Lord's My Shepherd" - "Savior
Like A Shepherd Lead Us"

*Processional Hymn 184
*Solemn Declaration, Psalm 19:14 (p.485)
*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

Sacrament of Holy Baptism (10:30 a.m.)

Collect and The Holy Scriptures:

New Testament: Acts 13:44-52 (p.127)

Epistle: Rev. 7:9-17 (p.240)

*Gloria Tibi #497

*Gospel: John 10:22-30 (p.100)

*Laus Tibi #497

Sermon: "Futuristic Scenes Of Salvation"

*Statement of Faith (Front of Hymnal)

Hymn 182

Announcements and Moments of Concern

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory:

8:00 a.m. - "Let There Be Peace On Earth"
Senior Choir

10:30 a.m. - "Prayer At Notre Dame"

*Dedication of Offerings and Doxology

Special Music:

8:00 a.m. - "Worthy Is The Lamb" - "Blessing, Honor, Glory and Power" - Senior Choir

10:30 a.m. - "He Touched Me" - Duct - Mrs. Katherine Bush and Mrs. Florence Gundlach

Morning Prayers and Lord's Prayer (Response)

*Benediction

*Recessional Hymn 181

Silence and Meditation

Postlude: "Postlude on 'Old Hundreth'"

*Congregation Standing

CHOIR ANTHEMS

"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)

"WORTHY IS THE LAMB"

Worthy is the Lamb that was slain
And hath redeemed us to God by his blood
To receive power, and riches, and wisdom,
And strength, and honour, and glory,
And blessing.

(Repeat)



Painting: "Garden Path", by Claude Monet (1840-1926)

Who loves a garden, still his Eden keeps