

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, May 17, 1981

FIFTH SUNDAY IN EASTERTIDE

Silence and Meditation - Pew Prayers

Prelude: "Beautiful Savior" Johnson

\*Processional Hymn 322

\*Solemn Declaration, Psalm 71:22-23 (p.515)

\*Gloria Patri

Call to Confession and Confession of Sin

Pastor: We praise Thee, O God, for the joy of this Easter season.

People: We praise Thee, O God, for the joy of Christ's resurrection from the dead for us.

Pastor: And we share together the joy of Christ's presence amongst us just as the apostles proclaimed that same good news.

People: We praise Thee, O Christ, for the gift of yourself as our future hope.

Pastor: Among us we experience the joy of Christ's living anew and the promise of our future for those who receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

People: We praise Thee, O Holy Spirit for the promise of eternal life to those who love Thee.

Pastor: And in the name of the Triune God we come to ask forgiveness for our sins and for our shortcomings.

All: We confess our sinfulness and our need for God's mercy. We proclaim the gift of new life to those who need God's forgiveness.

And we respond to our call to perform the goodness we need to share with others. Forgive us our sins against others so that we may be free to love and to serve those in special need. In Christ's name we pray.

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 12

Collect and The Holy Scriptures:

New Testament: Acts 6:1-7 (p.118)

Epistle: 1 Peter 2:4-10 (p.223)

\*Gloria Tibi #497

\*Gospel: John 14:1-12 (p.104)

\*Laus Tibi #497

Sermon: "Doing God's Good Deeds"

\*Statement of Faith (Front of Hymnal)

Dedication of New Quiet Room Furnishings  
(10:30)

Hymn 244

Announcements and Moments of Concern/George

Tuerk, Jr./J. Edwin Myers

Collection of Attendance Cards (Pass to center aisle)

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory: "The Rejoicing" Handel

\*Dedication of Offerings and Doxology

Special Music:

8:00 a.m. - "The Lord's Prayer" - Senior Choir

10:30 a.m. - "The Lord's Prayer" - Solo - John Bond

\*Benediction

\*Recessional Hymn

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Silence and Meditation

Postlude: "Postlude on 'Old Hundreth'"

\*Congregation Standing

\*\*Please sign Attendance Cards

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CHOIR ANTHEM

"OUR FATHER"

Our Father which art in heaven,  
Hail'd be Thy name.  
Thy kingdom come,  
Thy will be done, in 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 pow'r and the glory  
Forever and ever.

Amen

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today during the 10:30 a.m. Worship Service we will dedicate the new furnishings for the Quiet Room. The transformation of this room into a comfortable place for sounseling, small meetings, and its usual use during worship has been made possible through a most generous gift from Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Margaret) Craig. We are most grateful to them for their thoughtful gift on the occasion of their silver wedding anniversary.

HOSPITALS:

When you are admitted to or released from the hospital please call the Church Office.



...and the earth shined with his glory.  
Ezek. 43:2