Hopkins and South Monterey United Methodist Churches

Fourth Sunday in Lent

10am

March 22, 2020

Welcome and Announcements

Greeting and Opening Prayer



God is full of compassion and mercy. Come let us worship and follow.

Hymn

Amazing Grace



Amazing grace, how sweet the sound, that saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but now am found, was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved; how precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed!

Through many dangers, toils and snares we have already come: 'tis grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace will lead me home.

When we've been there ten thousand years, bright shining as the sun, we've no less days to sing God's praise than when we've first begun.

Scripture Lesson

John 9:1-41



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

Sermon

Affirmation of Faith

We are not alone, we live in God's world.

We believe in God: who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit.

We trust in God.

We are called to be the Church: to celebrate God's presence, to live with respect in Creation, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope.

In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone.

Prayers of the People

After each petition, the leader says "Lord, in your mercy." and the people respond "Hear our prayer."



The Lord's Prayer

Hymn He Leadeth Me



He leadeth me: O blessed thought! O words with heavenly comfort fraught! Whate'er I do, where'er I be, still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me.

Refrain He leadeth me, he leadeth me; by his own hand he leadeth me: his faithful follower I would be,for by his hand he leadeth me.

Sometimes mid scenes of deepest gloom, sometimes where Eden's bowers bloom, by waters still, o'er troubled sea, still 'tis His hand that leadeth me. *Refrain*

Lord, I would clasp thy hand in mine, nor ever murmur nor repine; content, whatever lot I see, since 'tis my God that leadeth me. *Refrain*

And when my task on earth is done, when, by thy grace, the victory's won, e'en death's cold wave I will not flee, since God through Jordan leadeth me. *Refrain*

Dismissal with Blessing

Virtual Passing of the Peace

Call, text, or send a card to those who typically sit near you in worship.

Worshiping on Zoom

To join worship by phone:

Call **1-312-626-6799.** Enter meeting ID **768 555 3158** followed by **#**. Then enter **#** again.

To join worship by smartphone, tablet, or computer:

Follow this link: https://zoom.us/j/7685553158

For technical support:

Visit www.hopkinsumchurch.org/help or contact Pastor Andrew at 919.259.4681.

Quick Tips:

- 1. Join early! Pastor Andrew will be on Zoom starting at 9:45am to help you.
- 2. Sometimes on Zoom, you will be muted but still connected to the call. Patience!
- 3. Keep trying! Ask for help! This is new for all of us, but we will figure it out together!