

**ROSLYN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
140 EAST BROADWAY
ROSLYN, NEW YORK**

**SERVICE OF WORSHIP
SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER**

APRIL 19, 2020

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GATHERING IN THE LORD'S NAME

WELCOME

MORNING PRAYER

Christ has risen! We celebrate life and love of God throughout the season of Easter. As we sit in our homes, we are lifted up by our faith and love. We are sustained by our faith, and on this day we ask that God descend into our lives, working within us and through technology, to further celebrate life. Amen.

HYMN: *Morning Has Broken*

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, we lift up to you ourselves during this time of crisis and pandemic. In our worries, we let fear consume us. In our anxiety, we let things go undone and unsaid. Give us courage to trust in you and your ways. Give us strength to let go of our fears and trust in our relationship with you. We lift up all the moments this week in which we failed to see you working in our lives and this world, the times in which we failed to recognize your works in our lives. We lift them up to you all of our shortcomings, trusting in your grace. (Please take time for silent reflection.)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Friends, believe the good news. We are all made worthy. Our shortcomings are not failures. Trust in God and accept that you are forgiven! Amen.

ANTHEM: *I Will Sing of My Redeemer*

Govenor

LITURGY OF THE WORD

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Acts 2:14a, 22-32

NEW TESTAMENT READING: John 20:19-31

HYMN: *There Is a Balm in Gilead*

MESSAGE *Feeling and Knowing* Rev. Marjory Roth

DOXOLOGY AND THANKSGIVING

*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.*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OUR LORD'S PRAYER

CHARGE AND BLESSING

DISMISSAL *Go Now In Peace*

THE WORSHIP IS OVER, LET THE SERVICE BEGIN

Dr. Gary de Sesa
Dr. Natalie Naylor
Robert Gilmore
Helen Lockman
Dwight Dyer

Director, Ministry of Music
Clerk of Session
Treasurer
Asst. Treasurer
Financial Secretary

We welcome again to the pulpit Rev. Marjory Roth.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Burke Masterson
Dawn and John de Sesa
Rev. Stark Jones
Sarah & Ralph Mastrangelo
The Zarghami Family
Joe Terramoccia & Muoio Family
Kelly Eickenbrock

Cindy Thompson
Emma Steck
Eddie Balsamo
James Haefele
Inesa Murphy
Rev. John Krahn
Emily & Dwight Dyer

All who are struggling due to the Coronavirus outbreak
And those who are on the front lines helping

Kita de Sesa is our Soprano soloist.

HYMN

“Morning Has Broken”

Morning has broken like the first morning,
Blackbird has spoken like the first bird.
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning!
Praise for them, springing fresh from the Word!

Sweet the rain’s new fall sunlit from Heaven,
Like the first dewfall on the first grass.
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden,
Sprung in completeness where His feet pass.

Mine is the sunlight, mine is the morning,
Born of the one light Eden saw play.
Praise with elation, praise every morning,
God’s re-creation of the new day!

HYMN

“There Is a Balm in Gilead”

Refrain:
There is a balm in Gilead
To make the wounded whole.
There is a balm in Gilead
To heal the sin-sick soul.

Sometimes I feel discouraged,
And think my work’s in vain,
But then the Holy Spirit
Revives my soul again. (Refrain)

Don't ever feel discouraged,
For Jesus is your friend,
And if you lack for knowledge
He'll not refuse to lend. (Refrain)

If you cannot pray like Paul,
You can tell the love of Jesus
And say "He died for all." (Refrain)

ANTHEM

“I Will Sing of My Redeemer”

- Govenor

I will sing of my Redeemer and His wondrous love to me;
on the cruel cross He suffered from the curse to set me free.
I will sing of my Redeemer, with His blood he purchased me;
on the cross He sealed my pardon, paid the debt and made me free.
I will praise my dear Redeemer, His triumphant pow’r I’ll tell,
how He gives to us the vict’ry over sin and death and hell.
I will tell the wondrous story how, my lost estate to save,
in His boundless love and mercy He the ransom freely gave.
I will sing of my Redeemer, and His heav’nly love to me,
He from death to life has brought me, Son of God, with Him to be.
I will sing of my Redeemer, with His blood He purchased me,
on the cross He sealed my pardon, paid the debt and made me free.
I will sing of my Redeemer.