

## Crawford Methodist Church

4 May 2025 Worship 10:30 a.m.

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter

### PREPARATION

Gathering Hymn: "Surely the Presence of the Lord" **UMH 328** twice  
**Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place; I can feel his mighty power and his grace. I can hear the brush of angels' wings, I see glory on each face; surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.** repeat

Bringing in the Light of the World, Jesus Christ  
Words of Welcome & Announcements

Connie Schmalriede

\*Call to Worship:

L: God, you call us from the corners of the Earth.

**P: From the cities and the prairies, from the ghettos and the tables of the wealthy.**

L: God, you sing to us from the corners of the universe.

**P: In the gentle ocean breeze, in the colors that burst forth from our landscapes, in the faces of children ravaged by war.**

L: God, you speak to us from the corners of the Earth.

**P: To the east, to the west, to the north and to the south, above us, below us, and within us, your voice rings clear.**

**Send your voice to sing in us, we pray, as we worship this day.**

**Amen**

\*Hymn of Preparation:

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

**UMH 154 v. 1, 2, 6**

### PRAISE AND ADORATION

\*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

**UMH 881**

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;**

**And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; The third day he rose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

\*Glory Be to the Father

**UMH 70**

\*Psalter Reading:

Psalms 30 **UMH 762-763**

Kaye Clark

Sunday School Verse: **"You must obey my laws and be careful to follow my decrees. I am the Lord."** (Leviticus 18:4)

Children's Sermon

Kelli Byers

### Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.**

**Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread.**

**And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.**

**And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

### DEDICATION

Offertory Prayer

Connie Schmalriede

Offertory Music

Karen Crockett

\*The Doxology

**UMH 95**

### PROCLAMATION

Scripture: John 21:1-19 **NT 115-116** Rev. Kent Berry

Response to God's Word:

L: The Word of God, for the people of God.

**P: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon Title: "Responding to Our Common Calling" Rev. Kent Berry

### RESPONSE

Sacrament of Holy Communion

**UMH 12-15**

\*Hymn of Invitation: "More Love to Thee, O Christ"

**UMH 453 v. 1, 4**

\*Taking the Light of Christ into the World

\*Benediction

\*Stand if comfortable

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### Prayer List

Zoey's friend, Eden

Brenda Roland Walker

Hunter McFarland

Clem Kortis

Summer safety

Zoey's friend, Josh (broken leg)

### **Regular Weekly/Monthly Activities**

Sunday School for all - 9:30 Sunday mornings

### **Upcoming Opportunities/Announcements**

**May 8** – The Shepherd's Heart food distribution will take place again Thursday at 10 a.m.

**Shirt Orders** – We are taking new shirt orders. There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex.

**Senior Brunch** – We are asking for monetary donations for the Class of 2025 brunch on May 13. There is an envelope and sign-up sheet in the narthex.

#### **OFFERING TOTALS**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Financial Goal</u>	<u>Offering Report</u>
4/6	\$2,930.48	\$2,920.00
4/13	\$2,930.48	\$1,186.00
4/20	\$2,930.48	\$2,865.00
4/27	\$2,930.48	\$3,395.00

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