

Order of Worship  
April 8, 2018

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## FOCUS

### Prayer Before Worship

They urged Him strongly, saying, "Stay with us, because it is almost evening and the day is now nearly over." So He went in to stay with them. When He was at the table with them, He took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. Then their eyes were opened, and they recognized Him; and He vanished from their sight.

- Luke 2:29-31

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## OPENING PRAISE

### Opening Praise

#### **No Other Name\***

(Words and Music: Douglas Engquist, Laurie Engquist, and Freddy Rodriguez)

#### **What A Beautiful Name\***

(Words and Music: Ben Fielding and Brooke Ligertwood)

### Prayer of Confession

**ALL: Almighty God, you have raised Jesus from the grave and crowned Him Lord of all.**

**We confess that we have not bowed before Him or acknowledged His rule in our lives.**

**We have gone along with the way of the world and failed to give Him glory.**

**Forgive us and raise us from sin, that we may be your faithful people,**

**that through the gifts of His body and blood we may taste and see that the Lord is good.**

(People offer their own private silent prayers to the Lord)

### Declaration of Forgiveness

LEADER: Hear the good news:

**ALL: Christ has died!**

**Christ has risen!**

**Christ will come again!**

Brothers and Sisters,

**in Jesus Christ, our sins are forgiven. Alleluia! Amen.**

#### **Halleluya\*§**

(Words & Music: Abraham Maraire, Zimbabwe East Annual Conference, 2004)

#### **Waiting Here For You\***

(Words and Music: Jesse Reeves, Martin Smith, and Chris Tomlin)

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## CONNECT

### Welcome & Announcements

### Passing of the Peace

### Offering

### Musical Offering

#### **Reason To Sing**

(Words and Music: Leslie Jordan, David Leonard, and Alli Rogers)

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## ENCOUNTER

### Scripture Lesson

#### **Luke 24:13-27**

(New Testament p. 85)

### Message

#### **Meeting Jesus on the Emmaus Road**

**Big Idea:** Just as Jesus meets us on the Emmaus Road, He meets us in all the mundane areas of life.

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## RESPONSE

### Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

All who are truly sorry for their sins, who sincerely believe in the Lord Jesus as their Savior, and who desire to live in obedience to Him, are invited to take communion.

(Please indicate to the servers if you wish to be served in the pew. All are invited to take a piece of bread, dip it in the cup, and receive the elements, with the response, "Thanks be to God!" At the communion station to your left, designated by a blue napkin, we are pleased to offer gluten-free communion bread.)

#### **Revelation Song**

(Words and Music: Jennie Lee Riddle)

### Prayer After Communion

### Affirmation of Faith: The Apostle's Creed

### Blessing

§The Gloria Patri was regularly sung after the Assurance of Pardon during FPCE services throughout the 1960s, 70s, 80s, and 90s. During this Easter season, we glorify our risen Lord by singing "Halleluya" at that point of the service, in commemoration of our 150th anniversary year.

\* Please stand as you are able

\*\* Assistive listening devices are available in the back of the sanctuary.

Please return receivers at the end of the service.

## Welcome We're glad you are here!

We ask everyone to complete and return this tear-off slip to the offering basket every week.

April 8, 2018 - 11:30 a.m.

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Your Name

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Family members' names/ages

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Street Address, City, State, Zip

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Phone:  Cell  Home

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Email address

Send me the weekly E-newsletter

- Single  
 Married  
 Have children at home  
 Junior/High School student  
 College student

- First time visitor  
 Occasional attendee  
 Regular attendee/member

I'm interested in:

- Knowing Jesus better  
 I need prayer or support  
 Joining a Small Group  
 Joining the Welcome Team  
 Worship Music Team/Choir  
 Sound/AV/Video Team  
 Becoming a Member  
 I need a Stephen Minister  
 Counseling at The Counseling Center  
 Communion at home suggested for \_\_\_\_\_ (name)

**Please Pray for:** (This is shared with pastors & confidential prayer team.)

Please silence all cell phones and electronic devices

### Welcome Visitors!

Please visit the Connections Room at the front right of the sanctuary after the service for refreshments and to connect with FPCE members and staff. Please sign this tear-off panel with your contact information filled in on the other side and deposit in the offering plate.

### Children are welcome in worship!

Parents may use the lounge in the back of the sanctuary to participate in the service via a TV monitor. Worship journals and children's bulletins are available from the ushers, who are also available to direct you to our other facilities.

### Prayer Requests

Our prayer companions are available at the front of the sanctuary after each service to pray with you. You may also include your prayer requests on the weekly tear-off tab (on the other side of this bulletin) and deposit it in the offering. Our staff prays weekly for the needs of the congregation.

### Worship Service Leaders

**Rev. Henry Coates**, Designated Associate Pastor, Prayer of Confession & Declaration of Forgiveness, Sermon, Blessing

**Rev. Amanda Golbek**, Dir. of Youth Ministries, Welcome, Prayers of the People

**Paul Ribeiro**, Scripture Reader

**Elizabeth Ferguson**, Interim Praise Band Director, Worship Leader, **Robert McConnell**, Piano; **Daniel Allen & Fred Bryant**, Guitar; **Scott Henrie**, Bass; **Tina Laughlin**, Percussion; **Kon Savoy**, Drums

**Glen Mueller**, Guest Audio/Visual Coordinator

**Stephen Ferguson**, A/V Volunteer

### Prayer Companions:

Kim Klamm and Bob Bastian

## Sunday Worship at First Presbyterian Evanston

### Worship Services - Options for Families:

Children are welcome in worship!\*\*

#### 9 a.m. Blended Service

**Infants/Toddlers** – Crib Room

**Ages 2-4** – Blue Room

**Ages 4-8** – Children's Worship in the Choir Room following Children's Moment.

Children return to sanctuary during final hymn.

#### 11:30 a.m. Contemporary Service

**Children 4 and under** – Crib Room

\*\* Worship journals & children's bulletins are available in the back of the Sanctuary. Changing tables & quiet space is available in the women's lounge (back corner of the Sanctuary).

### Fellowship Time (Roy Hall, 2nd Floor) (10:10 am)

A time to connect with new and old friends over coffee, tea and cookies.

### Sunday Education 10:30 - 11:15 am

#### Children's and Youth Christian Foundations Classes

**Infants & Toddlers** - Crib Room

**Ages 2 & 3** - Yellow Room

**Pre-K** - Blue Room

**Kindergarten** - Orange Room

**Grades 1 & 2** - Rm. 21 (lower level)

**Grades 3 & 4** - 3rd Floor (Center)

**Grades 5 & 6** - 3rd Floor (East)

**Sunday School Grades 7 & 8** -

NUBS Lounge, 3rd Floor

**High School Sunday School Grades**

**9-12** - PYGS Lounge, Basement

### Adult Discipleship Learning

**Building Strong and Lasting Relationships** (Room 213) – "Emotion Coaching (The Heart of Parenting)." Facilitators are Rev. Amanda Golbek, Judith Hylton, Linda Hoff-Irvin, Judy Slagle.

**Gospel of Mark** (Parlor) - We continue to look at the seemingly simple question "Who do you say I am?" from Mark 8:29, and its implications. Led by Rev. Henry Coates.

**Sunday Morning Forum (Room 206)** – We'll be discussing N.T. Wright's book "The Day the Revolution Began." All are welcome!

**Single But Not Alone** (Room 102) - "Understanding Life as Single Christians through 1 Peter". Our meeting dates are TODAY, and 5/6. Facilitated by Karen Alicia Shaw.

**Mission Class** (Dining Room) - "Tell Me a Story" begins April 15.

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WELCOME TO

# Sunday Worship

April 8, 2018, 11:30 am - Contemporary

## Meeting Jesus on the Emmaus Road



Luke 24:13-27

Our Mission:

KNOWING CHRIST

FOLLOWING CHRIST

SERVING CHRIST



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN EVANSTON