



First United Methodist Church of Gilbert

Serving, Giving, Welcoming, Growing in the likeness of Christ

April 18, 2021

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Welcome!

Services at 8:30 and 10:00 am • See gilbertumc.org for important information

Pre-service Music: "The Power of Your Love" | "Consider the Lilies"

CCLI Song # 917491 Geoff Bullock © 1992 Geoff Bullock Music (Music Services) CCLI Song # 17951 Joel Hemphill © 1977 Bridge Building Music, Inc. (Brentwood-Benson Music)

Ringing of the Bell

Welcome and Greeting

Pastor Rick with the Miller Family

Bringing in the Light of Christ

Prelude "The King of Love, My Shepherd Is"

CCLI Song # 1037600 Henry Williams Baker @ 1982 The Jubilate Group (Hope Publishing)

Call to Worship Safiyah Fosua, Africana Worship (8:30) Tom Bristow (10:00) Nicholas Diaz

- Leader: When we are confused
- People: Lord, give us peace.
- Leader: When we are afraid
- People: Lord, give us peace.
- Leader: When we are lost in grief.
- People: Lord, give us peace.

All: 0 God, meet us in this room and grant us peace!

Opening Hymn "To God Be the Glory" vs. 1-3 UM Hymnal #98 WORDS: Fanny J. Crosby MUSIC: William H. Doane **#98**

Opening Prayer Abingdon Press

Holy God, we give thanks that you often reveal yourself to be different from our expectations. When we long for the love we have known in the past, our eyes are dimmed to the beauty you reveal to us now. As your first followers struggled to see how a suffering savior could be the messiah, we strain to recognize you still today. Come, Spirit, make yourself known in the study of scripture, in our songs of praise, and especially in the grace and love we offer one another. Make yourself known in every friend we have yet to meet in your good and blessed name. Amen. Anthem

"Blessed Assurance"

WORDS: Fanny J. Crosby MUSIC: Phoebe Palmer Knapp; arr. by Mark Hayes

Scripture Readings Psalm 4 | Luke 24:36b-48

Message

Pastor Diamond

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Hymn of Response"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"#349UM Hymnal #349 WORDS and MUSIC: Helen H. Lemmel#349

Offering

Offertory "Resurrection Power" CCLI Song # 7102607 Ed Cash | Ryan Ellis | Tony Brown © Bethel Worship (Bethel Music Publ.) et al.

Presentation of the Offering "Praise God, from whom all Blessings Flow" #95

UMC Hymnal #95 Thomas Ken, 1674

Offering Prayer

God of love, help us remember that Christ has no body now on earth but ours, no hands but ours, no feet but ours. Ours are the eyes to see the needs of the world. Ours are the hands to bless the people we meet. Ours are the feet to do good in Christ's name. Bless, O God, the work of our hands and these offerings, that they may be Christ's work in the world. Amen.

Closing Hy	nn "Love Lifted Me" vs. 1, 3 CCLI# 66926 WORDS: James Rowe MUSIC: Howard E. Smith © Public Domain
Blessing	
Postlude	"To God Be the Glory" (Reprise)

"To God Be the Glory" (Reprise) UM Hymnal #98 WORDS: Fanny J. Crosby MUSIC: William H. Doane See the website for important information about viewing or attending upcoming services: gilbertumc.org



Thank you for joining our services today!

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