就 Berkey Avenue Mennonite Fellowship

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Easter Sunday: Deep in the feast: Called to deep living

Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, worship was held through Zoom, an online communication service.

Call to Worship

Song: Christ Is Alive, and Goes Before Us

VT,* 565/projected

Greeting

Mark Schloneger

Call to Worship

One: And while it was still dark, Mary found the light!

Many: The disciples came running,

but they did not understand.

One: Mary stood weeping and saw angels

but did not recognize Jesus.

Many: But when Jesus calls our name,

then we recognize the way, the truth, and the life.

One: And then there was feasting!

And there is feasting to come. God will make for all peoples

a feast of rich food and well-aged wines and will wipe away tears from all faces.

Many: It will be said on that day,

"This is our God for whom we have waited;

let us be glad and rejoice.

There is peace by Jesus Christ."

One: Hold firmly to the good news, which you received,

in which you stand, through which you are being saved.

All: Let's open the gates of righteousness to enter through them and give thanks to the Lord.

Song: Low in the Grave He Lay VT,* 333 /projected

Hearing God's Word

Song: Will the children?**

Children's Time Mark Yoder
Scripture and Sermon Joanne Gallardo

Scripture: John 20:1-18

Sermon: "A Complete Sentence"

Responding

Song: *Christ has arisen*Affirmation of Faith

HWB,* 267/projected

Mark Schloneger

Many: Deep calls to deep.

We give thanks from the depths of our hearts!

One: Once weeping, now proclaiming:

"I have seen the Lord!"

Many: Once famished, now feasting:

"This is the God for whom we have waited!"

One: Once divided, now convicted: "Jesus Christ is Lord of all!"

Many: We shall not die, but we shall live

and keep telling the deeds of the Lord.

One: Deep calls to deep.

You call to us from the depth of your love, O God.

You have come to us in Jesus Christ.

Many: We answer your call to deep living!

Communion

Song: *Taste and See* VT,* 467/projected Congregational Prayer Richard Kauffman

Transition to Fellowship

Announcements & Benediction Joanne Gallardo
Theme Song: *Like A Rock* VT,* 63/projected
Song: *The Lord Is Risen Indeed!* VT,* 357/projected

Worship Participants

AV technician: Michael Sherer Song Selection: Patsy Sherer

Theme Song: Recorded by the Bohn family

Music Team: Trish Bohn, Brenda Grimes, Laura & Randy Horst, Lois Mast,

Patsy & Michael Sherer, Greg Smucker, Andrea & Brandon Yoder

Prelude Visuals: Elisabeth Barahona

*Hymnal codes: Hymnal A Worship Book (HWB); Sing the Journey (STJ); Sing the Story (STS); Voices Together (VT)

Nurture Hour

Sunday School classes are not meeting this Sunday. Please join us again next Sunday for our Zoom classes, "Work and Faith Stories" and "Women Tending our Souls."

^{**} Will the children?, written by Greg Smucker, recorded by Angela & Nate Shenk