

ORDER OF WORSHIP

APRIL SIXTH, 2025

*Fifth Sunday in Lent*

*All Are Welcome*

“We are not rich by what we possess but by what we can do without.” -Immanuel Kant

PRELUDE “O Sacred Head Surrounded with *Were You There*”  
Paul A. Tate

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HYMN #223 New Century Hymnal “What Wondrous Love Is This”  
*You may rise in body or in spirit.*

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP (Inspired by Psalm 126)

One: With our ancestors we recall God’s great works

**Many: The Lord has done great things for us, and we rejoiced.**

One: With our ancestors we pray

**Many: May those who sow in tears reap with shouts of joy.**

One: With our ancestors we rejoice

**Many: Those who go out weeping, bearing the seed for sowing, shall come home with shouts of joy, carrying their sheaves.**

One: Let us worship God, in this community and in the company of our ancestors.

THE 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil: for Thine is the Kingdom, and the Power, and the Glory, forever. Amen**

OFFERING INVITATION

OFFERTORY “It’s the Heart That Matters Most”  
Kathy Sporer, *Voice* Charlotte Church

DOXOLOGY #778 New Century Hymnal *Old 100th*  
*You may rise in body or in spirit.*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God for all that love has done:  
Creator, Christ and Spirit One.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

GREET ONE ANOTHER

SHARING OF CONCERNS & CELEBRATIONS

THE PRAYERS

SCRIPTURE READING Mark 14:3-9 (*p. 826*)

THE MESSAGE What She Did Rev. Charley

COMMUNION HYMN (See back.) “Come to the Table”  
*You may rise in body or in spirit.*

THE ORDER OF HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

SERVING OF THE MEAL

“Wondrous Love with *Tree of Life and Glory*” P.A. Tate

*Please come forward to receive communion down the center aisle. You may dispose of your cup as you return via either side aisle. .*

UNISON PRAYER OF COMMUNION THANKSGIVING

**God of our broken places and true selves, we give thanks for this sacred feast. We begin again, hopeful and free. May this communion with you and each other be a deep reminder: all things and every moment are a gift. Amen.**

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE “Where Your Treasure Is” Arr. Paul A. Tate

*Today's service is being live streamed. Your likeness or comments may be shared.*

Come to the Table

Come to the table of grace. Come to the table of grace. This is Christ's table, not just yours or mine. Come to the table of grace.

Come to the table of peace. Come to the table of peace. This is Christ's table, not just yours or mine. Come to the table of peace.

Come to the table of love. Come to the table of love. This is Christ's table, not just yours or mine. Come to the table of love.

Come to the table of joy. Come to the table of joy. This is Christ's table, not just yours or mine. Come to the table of joy.