

KYRIE ELEISON (sung in Latin)

**Lord, have mercy upon us,
Christ, have mercy upon us
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BROTHER JAMES' AIR

**The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want,
He makes me down to lie in pastures green,
He leadeth me the quiet waters by.
My soul He doth restore again and me to walk doth make
within the Paths of Blessedness,
e'en for His own Name's sake.
Yea, though I pass through shadowed vale,
yet will I fear no ill; for Thou art with me,
and Thy Rod and Staff me comfort still.
My table Thou hast furnished in presence
of my foes; My head with oil Thou dost anoint,
and my cup overflows.
Goodness and mercy all my days will surely follow me.
And in my Father's heart always my dwelling place shall be.**



CENTRAL PARK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

May 12th 2019 Fourth Sunday of Easter Mother's Day
Rev. Mary A. Kelly, Pastor Paul Homer, Music Director

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS: Lector: Dave May
Eucharistic Ministers: Dave May, Dylan Yaochaka, Anabelle Kessler

Christian Ed. Director: Judy Toone Custodial Arts: Donald Plummer
Administrator: Lauren Culligan
Weekly Birthday: 15th Zachary Shearer, 16th Vivienne Dunia

This Sunday's flowers are from Memo Oshei,
in memory of Susie Harvey and Cally Montesano.

Please take a MAY CLARION NEWSLETTER from the hall.

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CentralParkComplex.com



CLASS MEETING Wednesday Evening Adult Christian Ed.
(ACE) Group meets every two weeks, next meeting 5/22, featuring devotionals, prayer, scripture and study in the Parlor/Dayer, 630-8pm, and take your spiritual practice to the next level.

STEINWAY SUNDAY CONCERT SERIES

May 19th: Jazz Piano Concert Series in the Parlor @ 2pm
"Waltz for Debby: Bill Evans Jazz Impressionist"

Ticket Cost: \$35, includes a "Meet the Artist" reception & refreshments following each performance with lecture, featuring Steinway Artist Krista Seddon. Tickets online or at the door.

Thank you to all attendees and volunteers.

For details see website SteinwaySunday.com

THE GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

(+ indicates standing)

Prelude "Jesus Makes My Heart Rejoice" Robert Elmore

+Opening Words:

Alleluia, Christ is risen!

The Lord is risen indeed, Alleluia!

Blessing and honor is yours, O God.

Glory to God forever. Alleluia!

+Opening Hymn: "Christ Is Alive" UMH 318

Opening Prayer (Unison): Ruth Duck, U.S.A., 20th Cent.

**In you, O God, every family on earth receives its name.
Illumine the homes of this earth with the light of your love,
granting courage to those who are hurt or lonely,
endurance to those who care for sick family members,
and wisdom to those in fearful times of change.
We thank you for the gifts of love we have received
from mother, father, spouse, child, or companion.
As we have been loved by you and by others,
so may we love.
Grant us your peace, through Jesus the Christ. Amen.**

Anthem "Kyrie" From Mass in G Franz Schubert
Anne Meilhede, soprano

A Time for Children with Jackie Paterniti

Call to Confession: Feasting on the Word Worship Companion

*God is present to guide our journey
and eager to forgive us when we go astray;
therefore, in humility and faith,
let us confess our sins against God and neighbor.*

Prayer of Confession (Unison): Feasting on the Word Worship Companion

**Holy God, we confess that we have strayed
from your paths of right relationship and peace,
and we have dishonored you,**

**ourselves, and your creation;
we repent of these hurtful ways.
Forgive us, we pray, as we learn to forgive others,
and guide our feet into the way of peace. Amen.**

Declaration of Forgiveness: Feasting on the Word Worship Companion

*God's mercy overflows as a healing spring
to cleanse us of our offenses;
therefore, know that you are forgiven
and receive new life in Christ.*

The Hebrew Bible: Psalm 23 OT p 501

The Christian Scriptures: Acts 9:36-43 NT p 127

+The Gospel: John 10:22-30 NT p 104

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.
Thanks be to God!

"Listen to Me" The Rev. Mary A. Kelly

+Hymn: "Alleluia" UMH 186

Tithes & Offerings

Offertory Anthem "Brother James' Aire" arr. Gordon Jacob

+Doxology UMH 95

Holy Communion UMH 17

The Lord's Prayer UMH 895

+Closing Hymn: "Faith, While Trees Are Still in Blossom" UMH 508

+Dismissal:

*Go forth to follow paths of righteousness;
go forth to follow paths of peace;
and may God's goodness and mercy
follow you as you serve the risen Lord.*