STITTSVILLE UNITED CHURCH Growing - Together - In Spirit Easter 2 April 11, 2021

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WE GATHER TO PRAISE GOD

Music to Prepare for Worship:

Hymn: "Deep In Our Hearts" (More Voices)

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- 1 Deep in our hearts there is a common vision; deep in our hearts there is a common song; deep in our hearts there is a common story, telling Creation that we are one.
- 2 Deep in our hearts there is a common purpose; deep in our hearts there is a common goal; deep in our hearts there is a common message justice and peace in harmony.
- 3 Deep in our hearts there is a common longing; deep in our hearts there is a common theme; deep in our hearts there is a common current, flowing to freedom like a stream.
- 4 Deep in our hearts there is a common vision; deep in our hearts there is a common song; deep in our hearts there is a common story, telling Creation that we are one.

Welcome & the Life and Ministry of Our Church

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD FOR US

Scriptures: Acts 4:32-34 & John 20:17-31

Sermon: "This Changes Everything!"

Musical Offering:

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WE RESPOND IN LOVE

Call to Prayer: (Playing the Koshi Chimes)

Prayers of Thanksgiving & for Healing and Transformation

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever, and ever. Amen.

Minute for Our Mission: Veterans' House.

Invitation to Offer our Gifts:

Song of Dedication: (vs. 1) #537
Your work, O God, needs many hands to help you everywhere, and some there are who cannot serve unless our gifts we share. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication:

WE GO FORTH IN SERVICE

Hymn: "O For a World"

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- 1 O for a world where everyone respects each other's ways, where love is lived and all is done with justice and with praise.
- 2 O for a world where goods are shared and misery relieved, where truth is spoken, children spared, equality achieved.

- 3 We welcome one world family and struggle with each choice that opens us to unity and gives our vision voice.
- 4 The poor are rich, the weak are strong, the foolish ones are wise.
 Tell all who mourn: outcasts belong, who perishes will rise.
- 5 O for a world preparing for God's glorious reign of peace, where time and tears will be no more, and all but love will cease.

Commissioning and Benediction:

Music To Inspire Us As We Go: