**GATHERED FOR WORSHIP**

**PRELUDE, OPENING PRAYER, WELCOME, & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**WORSHIP IN SONG**

**\*HYMN:** #230 *"Come, You Faithful, raise the Strain"*

**SONG:***“Open The Eyes Of My Heart”*

Chorus

***Open the eyes of my heart Lord***

***Open the eyes of my heart***

***I want to see You***

***I want to see You***

Verse

***To see You high and lifted up***

***Shining in the light of Your glory***

***Pour out Your power and love***

***As we sing holy holy holy***

Bridge

***Holy holy holy***

***Holy holy holy***

***Holy holy holy***

***I want to see You***

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**SONG:***“Save Us All,”* Tracy Chapman

**\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION: Gracious God, in whom there is no partiality, we confess that our love is often limited. Our faith is restricted to what we can prove. Our service is reduced by our greater interest in the trappings of success. We have allowed our faith to become a compartment in our lives, rather than the leaven that influences and transforms the whole. O God, forgive our unfaithfulness and make today a time of new beginnings, in Jesus name. Amen.**

**\*WORDS OF ASSURANCE AND THE PASSING OF PEACE**

**HEARING THE WORD OF GOD**

**CHILDREN’S SERMON:** "Easter Eggs"

**PSALM 30: 1-5** 1I will extol you, O Lord, for you have drawn me up, and did not let my foes rejoice over me. 2O Lord my God, I cried to you for help, and you have healed me. 3O Lord, you brought up my soul from Sheol, restored me to life from among those gone down to the Pit. 4Sing praises to the Lord, O you his faithful ones, and give thanks to his holy name. 5For his anger is but for a moment; his favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

**MARK 16: 1-8** When the sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. 2And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. 3They had been saying to one another, “Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?” 4When they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had already been rolled back. 5As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man, dressed in a white robe, sitting on the right side; and they were alarmed. 6But he said to them, “Do not be alarmed; you are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has been raised; he is not here. Look, there is the place they laid him. 7But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him, just as he told you.” 8So they went out and fled from the tomb, for terror and amazement had seized them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

**SERMON:** *"Easter Revisited,” Rev. Caroly Gibson*

**SERMON HYMN:** #245 *“The Day of Resurrection”*

**RESPONDING TO THE WORD OF GOD**

**JOYS & CONCERNS, PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

Lord, in your mercy… **Hear our prayers.**

**\*HYMN:** *“In Remembrance of Me"* (insert)

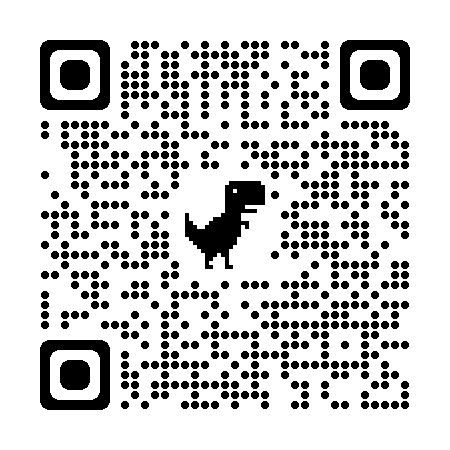
**PRAYER OF GREAT THANKSGIVING**

**SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP**

**THE LORD’S PRAYER**

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**SENT TO SERVE**

**SONG:** *“Amazing Grace” (My Chains Are Gone)*

Verse 1

***Amazing grace how sweet the sound***

***That saved a wretch like me***

***I once was lost but now I'm found***

***Was blind but now I see***

Verse 2

***'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear***

***And grace my fears relieved***

***How precious did that grace appear***

***The hour I first believed***

Chorus

***My chains are gone I've been set free***

***My God my Savior has ransomed me***

***And like a flood His mercy rains***

***Unending love amazing grace***

Verse 3

***The Lord has promised good to me***

***His word my hope secures***

***He will my shield and portion be***

***As long as life endures***

Verse 4

***The earth shall soon dissolve like snow***

***The sun forbear to shine***

***But God who called me here below***

***Will be forever mine***

***Will be forever mine***

***You are forever mine***

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**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

Thank you for worshiping with us at TCC!

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***LET US PRAY…..***

*To add to our prayer list please email Pastor Tim with a brief description of your prayer. Please indicate if you would like the prayer to be listed on an ongoing basis.* [tim.hare@trumbullcc.org](mailto:tim.hare@trumbullcc.org).

~Rose Heiser, Angela Hare’s mother, struggling with health concerns

~Stephanie Marko, Jo Ann Hunt’s friend, who lost her son (48 years old) to heart failure

~Karolina Szabo’s sister, Irma, experiencing health concerns.

~Charlotte Coe and family, Jo Ann Hunt's friend with dementia and cancer

~The parents of Paul Nestro, experiencing health concerns

~Maria Coffin, prayers for healing and peace as she goes through chemotherapy

~Ian and Jacqueline Sugrue-Tait and Griffin, their youngest, who struggles with significant health

Issues. Prayers also for Jacqueline’s father, experiencing health concerns

~Rev. John Russell, former TCC Pastor, experiencing health concerns

~Marlene, Amy Ronge’s friend, healing prayers as she recovers from cancer treatment

~The Consolati family, grieving the death of Michelle’s mother, Gail Winick

~Eric Farrell, prayers for healing

~ Ruth Knecht, receiving treatment for cancer

~ Michelle Monlar, experiencing health concerns

~ The family of Joan Trefz as they grieve her recent death

~ The family of Nancy Szwejkowski mourning her recent death

~ The Cappello family grieving the death of their son & brother, Josh

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***\*\*Thank you to Rev. Caroly Gibson for preaching and presiding over worshiping today for Pastor Tim.***

***\*WOMEN’S LUNCHEON -* The women’s group will be meeting Wednesday May 7th at 12:00 at Old Towne Restaurant. Please RSVP to Barbara or Karolina as we will need to make reservations in advance - we hope to see you there !!!**

***\*COFFEE HOUR:* Please join us after worship this morning in the Round Room for a time of fellowship!**

***\*SUNDAY BRUNCH?:* Bring your TCC bulletin to Antonio’s Italian Kitchen and Bar (the old Parker location) for a 10% discount. This offer is ongoing! Say thanks to Peter, the manager.**

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