

Tune: W ZLOBIE LEZY Lyrics: Sharlande Sledge Words, "Practice resurrection," borrowed from Wendell Berry

Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 25, 2021 Lake Shore Baptist Church

Prelude

"The Lord's My Shepherd" "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" arr. Lloyd Larson **Cindy Fuller**

Welcome

Beth Farwell

We are a welcoming and affirming community of Christians, attempting to discover, articulate, and embody the meaning of the Gospel in the world today. We welcome all at Lake Shore because we believe that God's love knows no bounds.

Passing of the Peace

ONE: The peace of Christ be with you. **MANY: And also with you.**

Call to Worship

from Psalm 23 (adapted) Sharlande Sledge

Please remain muted and read this in unison. The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not want. You make me lie down in green pastures; you lead me beside still waters; you restore my soul. You lead me in right paths for your name's sake. Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I fear no evil; for you are with me; your rod and your staff—they comfort me. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD my whole life long.

Invocation

Congregational Song "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" arr. Don Phillips BRADBURY Sa-vior, like a shep-herd lead much we need thy ten-der care; us,__ We are thine; do thou be - friend us;_ be the guar-dian of our way; Ear - ly let us seek thy fa vor;_ ear - ly let us do thy will; for our use thy folds pre pare. Bles-sed In thy plea-sant pas-tures feed us, Keep thy flock: from sin de - fend us: seek us when we go as-tray. Bles-sed Bles-sed Lord and on - ly Sa - vior, with thy love our spi-rits fill. Bles-sed thou hasbought us, thine we bles-sed Je - sus, Bles-sed Je - sus, are; Je - sus, bles-sed Ie - sus, hear thy chil-dren when we pray; Bles-sed bles-sed le - sus, thou hastloved us, love us still; Bles-sed le - sus, Je - sus, bles-sed Ie - sus, thou hastbought us thine we are. bles-sed le - sus, hear thy chil-dren when Je - sus, we pray. Ie - sus, bles-sed Je - sus, thou hast loved us, love us still. **Children's Message** Grant Dooley Gift of Music "And This Is Love" Ken Medena **Cindy Fuller Epistle Reading** 1 John 3:16-24 **Steve Reid** ONE: This is the word of the Lord. MANY: Thanks be to God. **Morning Prayer Gospel Reading** John 10:11-16 **Richard Groves** ONE: This is the Gospel of Grace. MANY: Thanks be to God. Sermon

"Jesus' Other Sheep"

Pastoral Benediction

arr. Gordon Young **Cindy Fuller**

Offering: https://my.simplegive.com/App/Giving/lsbcwaco

Church Business Meeting April 25th at 4 pm **On Zoom:**

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87811362429?pwd=M3Qvb09MUVdtOUIUZTJiTWJpT

kZZUT09 Meeting ID: 878 1136 2429 Passcode: 459237

Progress reports will be presented from the following:

- Senior Pastor Search Committee
- Polity, Structure and Procedures Task Group
- Staffing Task Group
- Reconciliation Task Group

Creation Care Service

A Service of Prayer and Planting on God's Good Earth Wednesday, April 28, 6:00 pm at the Lake Shore Labyrinth

See the newsletter for more information. In case of rain, we will send out a note about change in plans Wednesday afternoon.

Congregational Benediction

"We Will Practice Resurrection" NETTLETON

