

## Fourth Sunday of Lent

Informal Hymn sing & Announcements

Prelude

Procession of the Light

Welcome, Greeting to our guests

Choral Introit

### Opening Prayer

**Come upon us, Holy Spirit, making us start this day afresh. For what has gone before, we let go. Spirit, face us toward today and tomorrow with a new outlook and a new joy, for we are your companions on the way of salvation! Amen.**

Children's Time

### \*Call to Worship

Leader: Seek the Lord in this season of reflection and preparation.

**People: We are here to seek the Lord and his favor.**

Leader: Open your eyes, ears and hearts. The Lord is near those who love him and are called by his name.

**People: We are here to worship and praise the Lord whom we love.**

**All: Let us seek and praise the Lord our God this day. Praise the Lord.**

\*Hymn of Praise      O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing      #57 UMH  
vs 2, 3,6,7

Giving of our gifts to God

\*Doxology      #95 UMH

\*Offertory Prayer

**Jesus heals a blind man** – John 9:1-17

Page 1701 in the pew Bible

**Psalter – Psalm 23 -**

(choir to sing response #1)

#754 UMH

**Message in Music**

Do This in Remembrance

L. Shackley

**More from Jesus and the blind man** – John 9:18-34

Page 1702 in the pew Bible

Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Choral Response

#895 UMH

**Conclusion of Jesus and the blind man** – John 9:35-41

Page 1702 in the pew Bible

**Leader:** The word of God for the people of God.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

**Sharing the Lesson – Sight to the blind!**

Hymn of Dedication -

**Open My Eyes, That I May See**

#454 UMH

\*Benediction

**\*Song of Farewell and Mission – Holy, Holy, Holy**

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\* Postlude