

*Mulberry Street United Methodist Church
Macon, Georgia*

The Church at Worship

*Third Sunday of Easter
April 19, 2015
Nine O'clock*



Gathering and Greeting

Rev. Tommy Mason

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Let us worship God!

Opening Voluntary

“All Glory Be to God on High”

Timothy Albrecht

Call to Worship

We are created in God’s image.

We are the children of God.

If children, then heirs, joint heirs with Christ.

**Let us give thanks to the Father,
and sing praises to his holy name.**

* Hymn of Praise

“Alleluia! Sing to Jesus”

HYMN TO JOY

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus, His the sceptre, His the throne;

Alleluia! His the triumph, His the victory alone.

Hark! the songs of peaceful Zion thunder like a mighty flood,

“Jesus, out of every nation, has redeemed us by His blood.”

Alleluia! Not as orphans are we left in sorrow now;

Alleluia! Christ is near us, faith believes, nor questions how;

though the cloud from sight received Him

when the forty days were o’er,

shall our hearts forget His promise,

“I am with you evermore?”

Alleluia! Bread of Heaven, Christ on earth our food and stay;

Alleluia! here the sinful rest in You from day to day;

Intercessor, Friend of sinners,

earth’s Redeemer, plead for me,

where the songs of all the sinless

sweep across the crystal sea.

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* Opening Prayer

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

O Christ,

who lived to show what life is like,

who died to show that sin is death,

who rose to raise us up to life eternal,

help us to follow you and love you forever. **Amen.**

* Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty,

maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord:

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

born of the Virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, dead, and buried;

the third day he rose from the dead;

he ascended into heaven,

and sitteth at the right hand

of God the Father Almighty;

from thence he shall come to judge

the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy catholic church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

Act of Praise

“And Can It Be”

William Hutchens, Tenor

arr. Innes/Kimbrough

Pastoral Prayer

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, and the power,

and the glory, forever. Amen.

Offering of our Gifts

* Doxology

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**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

New Testament Lesson

1 John 1:1-2:2

The word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Rev. Tommy Mason

We Believe:
Community and Accountability

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

* Hymn of Discipleship No. 664

“Sent Forth by God’s Blessing”

THE ASH GROVE

* Benediction

* *Please stand as you are able.*



*Rev. Tommy Mason, Senior Pastor
Rev. Tommy Perkins, Associate Pastor
Cam Bishop, Director of Music/Organist*

*The flowers in the chapel are given to the glory of God
and loving memory of Emory Greene
by Hannah Greene.*

Gospel Reading for the Week

Mark 4:35-43

Up & Coming Events & Prayer List

*If you would like to have a copy of
Mulberry's Up & Coming Events and
Prayer List, please see an usher.*

Welcome All Visitors

We welcome you to Mulberry Street United Methodist Church.

*We are glad you have joined us this morning and hope
that through word, music, fellowship and prayer,
you will experience the presence of God today.*

*Please make sure you sign the **Attendance Register** as it is passed
so that we can share with you about what's happening
in the life of this church.*

***Nursery Care** is provided for children under 4 years of age.
Please ask an usher for directions to the Nursery.*