

# The Church of the Good Shepherd



The 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

May 10, 2026



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## We Welcome Our Guests

The Good Shepherd faith community welcomes those who are visitors. Your presence and participation in our worship service is a blessing to us all. All are welcome, whoever you are, just as you are!

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### Good Shepherd's Sunday School

Sunday School is held during the first half of our 10am Sunday Service, usually on the first and third Sunday of the month. All Sunday School volunteers have undergone CORI background checks and received training, including the Safe Church training required by the Episcopal Church for all those who work with children.

### Good Shepherd's Sunday Nursery

Children of all ages are always welcome at our Sunday Services. Good Shepherd operates a nursery on Sunday from 9:50 –11:10am for infants and children through kindergarten (age 5-6) for those who wish to use it. The nursery is staffed by two adults who have completed Safe Church Training and a CORI background check. **The Sunday Nursery will not be open May 24, due to the holiday weekend.**

For more information about our Good Shepherd Community please go to our website at [www.goodshepherdwareham.org](http://www.goodshepherdwareham.org) or scan the QR Code here.



Again, thank you for blessing us with your presence and participation this morning!

ASSISTING MINISTERS			
May 10, 2026		May 17, 2026	
8AM	10AM	8AM	10AM
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## **THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**

### **The Gathering Song** *(10am Service)*

**“Alleluia, Sing to Jesus”**  
*(please stand as you are able)*

*(see page 9)*

### **The Opening Acclamation**

*Presider:* Alleluia. Christ is risen.

*People:* **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

### **The Service Introduction**

#### **The Confession**

*People:*

**Most merciful God,**

**we confess of the ways we have sinned against you**

**in thought, word, and deed,**

**by what we have done,**

**and by what we have left undone.**

**For the times we have not loved you with our whole heart;**

**and have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.**

**We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.**

**Have mercy on us and forgive us;**

**that we may delight in your will,**

**and walk in your ways,**

**to the glory of your name. *Amen.***

#### **Absolution**

*Presider:* Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. ***Amen.***

## **The Opening Prayer**

*Presider:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

*Presider:* Together, let us pray.

**Almighty and ever-living God,  
you hold together all things in heaven and on earth.  
In your great mercy receive the prayers of all your children,  
and give to all the world the Spirit of your truth and peace,  
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and forever. Amen.**

*(please be seated)*

## **First Reading: Acts 17:22-31**

Paul stood in front of the Areopagus and said, “Athenians, I see how extremely religious you are in every way. For as I went through the city and looked carefully at the objects of your worship, I found among them an altar with the inscription, ‘To an unknown god.’ What therefore you worship as unknown, this I proclaim to you. The God who made the world and everything in it, he who is Lord of heaven and earth, does not live in shrines made by human hands, nor is he served by human hands, as though he needed anything, since he himself gives to all mortals life and breath and all things. From one ancestor he made all nations to inhabit the whole earth, and he allotted the times of their existence and the boundaries of the places where they would live, so that they would search for God and perhaps grope for him and find him—though indeed he is not far from each one of us. For ‘In him we live and move and have our being’; as even some of your own poets have said,

‘For we too are his offspring.’

Since we are God’s offspring, we ought not to think that the deity is like gold, or silver, or stone, an image formed by the art and imagination of mortals. While God has overlooked the times of human ignorance, now he commands all people everywhere to repent, because he has fixed a day on which he will have the world judged in righteousness by a man whom he has appointed, and of this he has given assurance to all by raising him from the dead.”

*Reader:* Hear what the Spirit is saying to God’s people.

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

## Psalm 66:7-9, 12, 14-15, 17-18

*Reader:* Let us recite Psalm 66 responsively by half verse

- <sup>7</sup> Bless our God, you peoples; \*  
**make the voice of his praise to be heard;**
- <sup>8</sup> Who holds our souls in life, \*  
**and will not allow our feet to slip.**
- <sup>9</sup> For you, O God, have proved us; \*  
**you have tried us just as silver is tried.**
- <sup>12</sup> I will enter your house with burnt-offerings  
and will pay you my vows, \*  
**which I promised with my lips  
and spoke with my mouth when I was in trouble.**
- <sup>14</sup> Come and listen, all you who fear God, \*  
**and I will tell you what he has done for me.**
- <sup>15</sup> I called out to him with my mouth, \*  
**and his praise was on my tongue.**
- <sup>17</sup> In truth God has heard me; \*  
**he has attended to the voice of my prayer.**
- <sup>18</sup> Blessed be God, who has not rejected my prayer, \*  
**nor withheld his love from me.**

**Gospel Acclamation:** "Eastertide Gospel Acclamation"

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*(please stand as you are able)*

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, Je - sus, ris - en Lord of life!

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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## **The Holy Gospel: John 14:15-21**

*Deacon:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

*People:* **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said, "If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

"I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them."

*Deacon:* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People:* **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

## **The Gospel Acclamation (10AM Service)**

*Repeat Gospel Acclamation Refrain once (page 3)*

## **The Message (please be seated)**

## **The Prayers of the People (please stand as you are able)**

*Leader:* God in your love for us.

*People:* **Hear our prayer.**

## **The Peace**

*Presider:* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

*Let us take a moment to turn and share a sign of peace with those around us. If you do not wish to shake hands, simply fold your hands in front of you and say, "Peace be with you." We will then pray together the Prayer of St. Francis.*

## **The Prayer of St. Francis**

*Presider and People:*

**Lord, make us instruments of your peace.**

**Where there is hatred, let us sow love;**

**where there is injury, pardon;**

**where there is discord, union;**

**where there is doubt, faith;**

**where there is despair, hope;**

**where there is darkness, light;**

**where there is sadness, joy.**

**Grant that we may not so much seek to be consoled as to console;**

**to be understood as to understand;**

**to be loved as to love.**

**For it is in giving that we receive;**

**it is in pardoning that we are pardoned;**

**and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.**

*(please be seated)*

## **The Announcements**

### **Our Sunday Offerings:**

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### **The Offertory Anthem:**

*(10AM Service)*

**"Shower The People"**

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**James Taylor**



# THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

*(please stand as you are able)*

## **The Great Thanksgiving**

*Presider:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

*Presider:* Lift up your hearts.

*People:* **We lift them to the Lord.**

*Presider:* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People:* **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

*The Presider continues with the Eucharistic Prayer.*

## **The Words of Praise**

*Presider and People:*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

*The Presider continues with the Eucharistic Prayer.*

## **The Memorial Acclamation**

*Presider & People:*

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

*The Presider continues with the Eucharistic Prayer.*

## **The Lord's Prayer**

*Presider and People:*

**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,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

### **The Breaking of the Bread**

*Presider:* We who break this bread, share in the Body of Christ.

*People:* **We who are many are one body in Christ.**

### **Communion**

*All are invited to receive communion, no exceptions. Please come to the front of the church as directed by the hospitality minister. To receive the communion bread, please extend your hands, one on top of the other, with your palms up. To receive from the communion cup you may dip the communion wafer into the wine in the cup or take the cup into your hands and drink from it. The response to receiving communion is "Amen". If you need to have communion brought to you, please inform the hospitality minister. Gluten free wafers are available. If you would like a gluten free wafer, please inform the priest when you come up for communion.*

*(please be seated after receiving communion)*

**Communion Song:**  
*(10AM Service)*

**"If You Love Me"**

*(see page 10)*

**The Prayer after Communion** *(please stand as you are able)*

*Presider:* Together let us pray.

*Presider and People:*

**God of unbounded love and compassion,  
you have united us with Christ and one another;  
and have made us one  
with all your people in heaven and on earth.  
May this time of worship transform our hearts,  
as we go forth to proclaim in word and deed  
your message of love;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

### **The Blessing**

#### **Dismissal**

*People's Response:* **Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

**The Concluding Song:**  
*(10AM Service)*

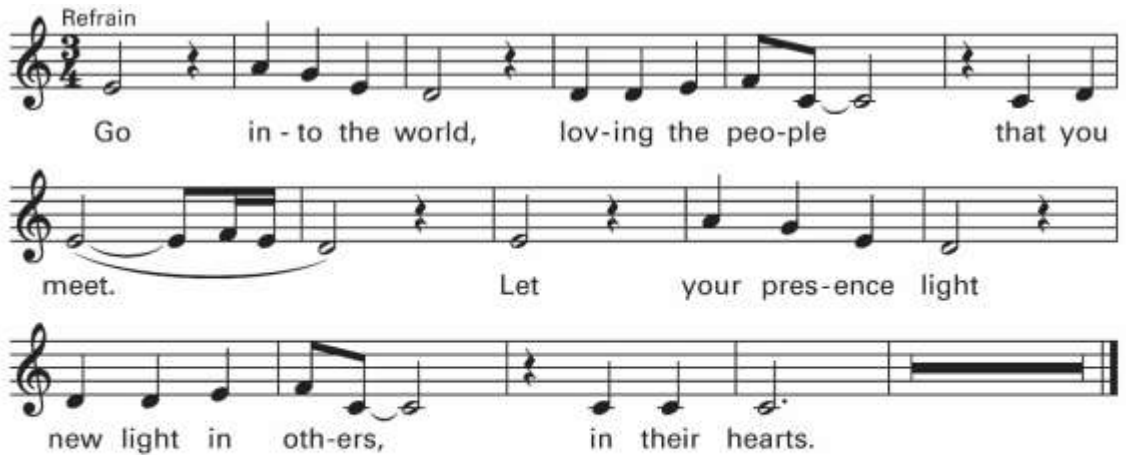
**"Go Into The World"**

*(see page 8)*

# “Go Into The World”

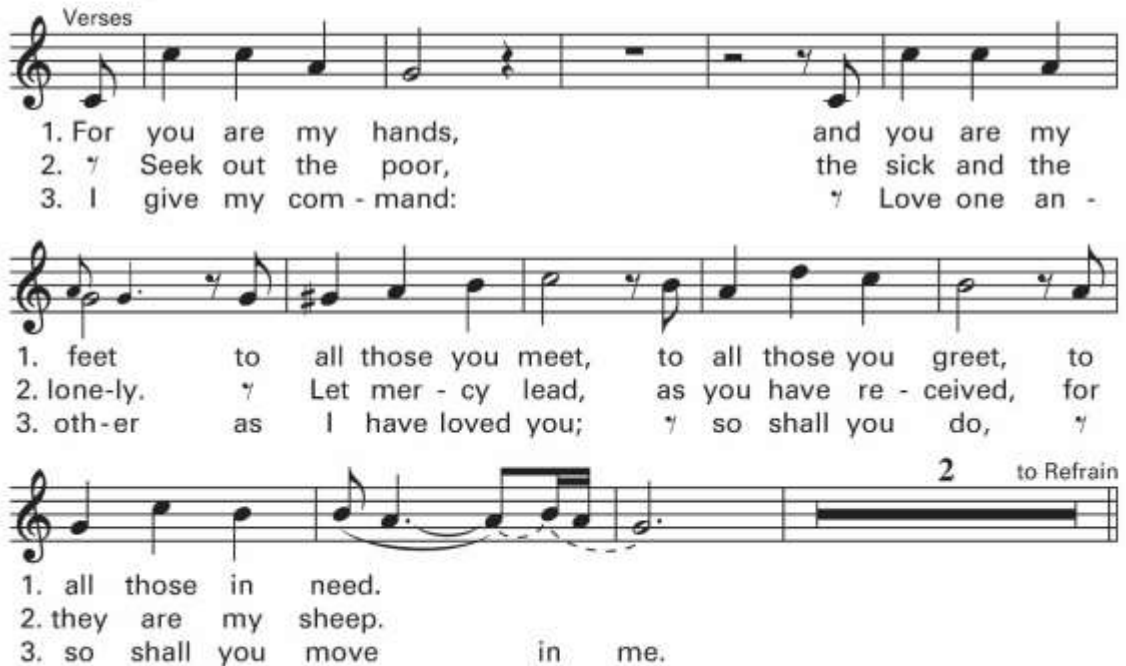
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Refrain



Go in - to the world, lov - ing the peo - ple that you  
meet. Let your pres - ence light  
new light in oth - ers, in their hearts.

Verses

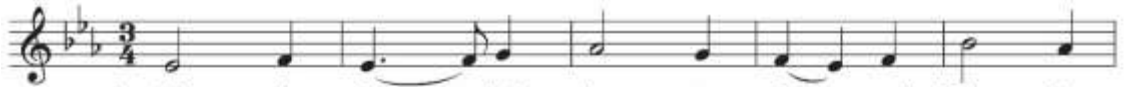


1. For you are my hands, and you are my  
2. ʔ Seek out the poor, the sick and the  
3. I give my com - mand: ʔ Love one an -  
1. feet to all those you meet, to all those you greet, to  
2. lone-ly. ʔ Let mer - cy lead, as you have re - ceived, for  
3. oth - er as I have loved you; ʔ so shall you do, ʔ  
2 to Refrain  
1. all those in need.  
2. they are my sheep.  
3. so shall you move in me.

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“Alleluia, Sing to Jesus”

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1. Al - le - lu - ia! sing to Je - sus! His the  
 2. Al - le - lu - ia! not as or - phans Are we  
 3. Al - le - lu - ia! Bread of An - gels, Here on the  
 4. Al - le - lu - ia! King e - ter - nal, You the



scep - ter, his the throne; Al - le - lu - ia!  
 left in sor - row now; Al - le - lu - ia!  
 earth our food, our stay! Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Lord of lords we own; Al - le - lu - ia!



his the tri - umph, His the vic - to - ry a - lone;  
 he is near us, Faith be - lieves, nor ques - tions how;  
 here the sin - ful Flee to you from day to day:  
 born of Mar - y, Earth your foot - stool, heav'n your throne:



Hark! the songs of peace - ful Zi - on Thun - der  
 Though the cloud from sight re - ceived him, When the  
 In - ter - ces - sor, friend of sin - ners, Earth's re -  
 You, with - in the veil, have en - tered, Robed in



like a might - y flood; Je - sus out of  
 for - ty days were o'er, Shall our hearts for -  
 deem - er, plead for me, Where the songs of  
 flesh, our great high priest; Here on earth both



ev - 'ry na - tion Has re - deemed us by his love.  
 get his prom - ise, "I am with you ev - er - more"?  
 all the sin - less Sweep a - cross the crys - tal sea.  
 priest and vic - tim In the eu - cha - ris - tic feast.

# "If You Love Me"

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## REFRAIN



If you love me, keep my com-mand-ments. Love one an-oth-er as I've



loved you. Live in the love that flows from the heart of God.



Live in the love that flows from the heart of God. \_\_\_\_\_

## Verses



- |                |                         |  |     |
|----------------|-------------------------|--|-----|
| 1. Live in me, | and I will live in you. | I will call you my dis - ci - ple.     | Be- |
| 2. Live in me, | and I will live in you. | I will give you liv - ing wa - ter.    | Be- |
| 3. Live in me, | and I will live in you. | I am food for ev - 'ry hun - ger.      | Be- |
| 4. Live in me, | and I will live in you. | I will give my life to save you.       | Be- |
| 5. Live in me, | and I will live in you. | I will send you forth as wit - ness.   | Be- |
| 6. Live in me, | and I will live in you. | I will ne - ver leave you or - phaned. | Be- |
| 7. Live in me, | and I will live in you. | I will raise you on the last day.      | Be- |



- |                |     |          |            |      |           |
|----------------|-----|----------|------------|------|-----------|
| 1. lieve in me | and | speak    | the Word   | of   | Life!     |
| 2. lieve in me | and | nev - er | thirst     | a -  | gain!     |
| 3. lieve in me | and | I        | will be    | your | bread!    |
| 4. lieve in me | and | know     | that I     | am   | God!      |
| 5. lieve in me | and | I        | will be    | your | strength! |
| 6. lieve in me | and | I        | will bring | you  | home!     |
| 7. lieve in me | and | have     | e - ter -  | nal  | life!     |



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