

First CRC Worship at Home

May 24, 2020 – Sixth Sunday of Eastertide

Prelude: Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

-based on Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 1

Call to Worship: Steve and Marian L.

This is the good news—the grave is empty; Christ is risen.

Hallelujah!

This is the good news—the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness can never put it out.

Hallelujah!

This is the good news—once we were no people; now we are God’s people.

Hallelujah!

Christ is our peace, the indestructible peace we now share with each other.

Hallelujah!

Welcome and God’s Greeting

Song of Praise: O Love of God, How Strong and True

Call to Confession: Romans 8:33-34

Prayer of Confession:

Merciful God, for the things we have done that we regret,

forgive us;

for the things we have failed to do that we regret,

forgive us;

for all the times we have acted without love,

forgive us;

for all the times we have reacted without thought,

forgive us;

for all the times we have withdrawn care,

forgive us;

for all the times we have failed to forgive,

forgive us.

For hurtful words said and helpful words unsaid, for unfinished tasks and unfulfilled hopes,

God of all time, forgive us and help us to lay down our burden of regret.

Amen.

Words of Assurance: Romans 8:1-2

Song of Preparation: Here is Love, Vast as the Ocean

Scripture Reading: Romans 8:33-39

Sermon: *More Than Conquerors*

Prayer of God’s People

Song: Cornerstone

God’s Blessing

Doxology: Marc G.