



Highlands United Methodist Church
Order of Online Worship
April 11, 2021 at 10:30 AM
The Second Sunday in Easter

Preaching – The Reverend Henry Gibson

Liturgist – Reggie Holder

Lay Readers – Mary Elizabeth Neal, Drake Roberts

Choirmaster and Organist – Richard Phillips

Voluntary	Chorale Prelude on <i>O filii et filiae</i> (O Sons and Daughters, Let Us Sing) Opus 49, No. 2	Alexandr� Guilman (1837-1911)
Call to Worship	<i>Alleluia! Christ is risen! The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!</i>	Rev. Henry Gibson
Hymn	Easter People, Raise Your Voices	REGENT SQUARE Organ Improvisation: Noel Rasthorne
Children’s Moment		Reggie Holder
Psalter	Psalm 133	Anglican Chant: Henry Smart (1813-1879)
	¹ Oh, how good and pleasant it is, when brethren live together in unity! ² It is like fine oil upon the head that runs down upon the beard, ³ Upon the beard of Aaron, and runs down upon the collar of his robe. ⁴ It is like the dew of Hermon that falls upon the hills of Zion. ⁵ For there the Lord has ordained the blessing: life for evermore. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.	
Epistle Lesson		Acts 4:32-35 May these words reveal Christ to us. Thanks be to God.
Anthem	The Stife Is O’re The Handbell Choir Kathy Burdette, Director Amy Allen, Naomi Archer, Leslie Davis, Linda Gaffney, Lynn Hairston	Arranged by Sondra K. Tucker (b.1963)
The Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer		Henry Gibson

Offertory Anthem

O Sons and Daughters

*O sons and daughters let us sing! The King of Heav'n the glorious King,
O'er death today rose triumphing. Alleluia! Alleluia!
When Thomas first the tidings heard, how they had seen the risen Lord,
He doubted the disciples' word. Alleluia! Alleluia!
"My pierced side, O Thomas, see: My hands, my feet, I show to thee;
Not faithless but believing be." Alleluia! Alleluia!
No longer Thomas then denied, He saw the feet, the hands, the side:
"Thou art my Lord and God," he cried. Alleluia! Alleluia!*

15th Century French arranged by Robert Shaw and Alice Parker

Text, Jean Tisserand (1494)

The Gospel Lesson

John 20:19-31

The Homily

The Reverend Henry Gibson

Announcements and Blessing

Reggie Holder

Voluntary

Toccata

Charles Marie Widor (1844-1937)

from Symphony for Organ No. 5

Opus 42. No. 1