

# NEW DORP MORAVIAN CHURCH

Sunday, May 4, 2025

Third Sunday of Easter

Pastor

Rev. Walter Bishop

**\*Indicates everyone who is able is invited to stand**

**PREPARATION:** As you share in quiet conversation, please be aware that others around you may be preparing for worship in moments of silence and prayer.

**WELCOME:** We are glad that you are here to worship. If you are visiting with us today, please complete a Visitor Card (located in the pew racks) so that we may send you a letter of welcome and some information about our congregation.

If you have a prayer request to be shared during the service, please complete a Prayer Request Card (located in the pew racks.)

**PLEASE NOTE:** All worship materials are provided on-screen. Hymn numbers and page numbers are provided herein if you would prefer to follow along in the Moravian Book of Worship and/or the pew Bible.

*Please remember to silence your cell phone.*

## GREETINGS AND WELCOME

### WATCHWORD FOR THE WEEK:

*“Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!”*

Revelation 5:12

### A PRAYER TO PREPARE:

*“Loving God, help us to recognize pride in our thoughts and willfulness in our actions. Let the strength and might you offer lead us gently to the world, where we may dwell safely and love our neighbors fully. Amen.”*

*(2025 Moravian Daily Texts)*

### PRELUDE

*There Is a Balm in Gilead*

**\*HYMN** *For the Fruit of All Creation*

**MBW #449**

**\*LITURGY** *Discipleship*

**MBW p. 37**

### READINGS FROM THE SCRIPTURE

First Scripture Lesson **Acts 9:1–6 (7–20)**

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Second Scripture Lesson **Revelation 5:11–14**

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Gospel Lesson **John 21:1–19**

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### CHILDREN’S TIME

**CHORAL ANTHEM** *In Christ Alone*

**NDMC Choir**

### THE MESSAGE

**Rev. Bishop**

**\*HYMN** *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us*

**MBW #731**

### PRAYERS AND PRAISES

Response: *Hear Our Prayer, O Lord*

**MBW #825**

### PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

Offertory Invitation

\*Offertory Response Prayer *Praise God*

**MBW #817**

**\*HYMN** *Alleluia! Sing to Jesus*

**MBW #373**

### THE SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

*In Celebration of the Resurrection*

**MBW p. 209**

**Omit hymn p. 211**

**Substitute hymn p.220, with On Screen Hymn**

### \*BENEDICTION

### POSTLUDE

*Ji-Yong Kim*

**Following worship please join us in the Conference Center**

**(located behind the sanctuary)**

**for a time of refreshments and fellowship.**

**Please scan the QR code for offering gifts on-line.**

