

6th Sunday of Easter

May 17, 2020



Paul on the Areopagus

Anton Dietrich (1833–1904) [Public domain]

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

WORDS OF WELCOME

Pastor Sooyoun Kim

CALL TO WORSHIP

God made the world and everyone in it.

Our life and breath come from God.

God made all nations under heaven.

We are all God's offspring.

Search for God in our time of worship.

When we search, we find God near.

HYMN

"Blessed Assurance"

[HYMN 369](#)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Sometimes, O God, your ways are a mystery to us.
When we cry out in desperation,
 we don't really expect you to hear our prayers.
When we suffer for doing the right thing,
 it just seems like par for the course.
When we deny or doubt your presence,
 forgive us, O God.
Make your presence known to us,
 and receive our prayers and praise,
 as those who long to feel your presence.
 Amen.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

The Spirit of truth abides with you and will be with you.
Because the Lord lives, you also will live.
Love God and receive God's abiding love.

OFFERING

There's a Spirit of Love in This Place

Hwang Heo

OFFERTORY

PROCLAIMING THE WORD TOGETHER

SCRIPTURE LESSON

*Paul in the Areopagus
Suffering for Doing Right*

[Acts 17:22-31](#)
[1Peter 3:13-22](#)

SERMON

"With Gentleness and Reverence"

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RESPONDING TO THE WORD PROCLAIMED

HYMN

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

[HYMN 384](#)

BENEDICTION

- May God be with you till we meet again -



AFTER SUNDAY WORSHIP, JOIN US FOR

COFFEE HOUR

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