

BETHESDA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

8:30 a.m. Sunday 7 April 2024

Second Sunday of Easter

ENTRANCE

Lighting of candles and prelude

Praise Choruses: 2115 "Christ Has Risen"
2196 "We Walk by Faith"

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Prayer for illumination 321 "Sundays of Easter"

First lesson: Acts 4:32-35

Psalter: 850 Psalm 133

Second lesson: 1 John 1:1-2:2

Song: 420 "Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

Gospel: John 20:19-31

Sermon

Joys, concerns, prayers

THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION (Page 15ff
All are welcome)

SENDING FORTH

Song: 462 "'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"

Blessing: (Sing to tune 57) **Breathe on us, Lord, in this our day,
and these dry bones shall live;
Speak peace into our hearts, and say,
"The Holy Ghost receive!"**
(Charles Wesley, 1739)

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Postlude and extinguishing of candles

Going forth