

Community Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), Richardson, Texas

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 28, 2024 at 10:50 a.m. in person and via Facebook

An asterisk () indicates that the congregation rises in body or spirit.*

Prelude

Marla Casey–Nelson

Greeting and Announcements

Teresa Gafford

Ring of the Chimes

*Opening Hymn: *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!*

Chalice Hymnal #4

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Teresa Gafford

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Dr. Stephen Sprinkle

Hymn of Preparation: *Open My Eyes That I May See*

Chalice Hymnal #586

Scripture Readings: Acts 9:1–9 and Philippians 3:7–11

Rev. Dr. Sprinkle

Sermon

Rev. Dr. Sprinkle

Hymn: *I Am Thine, O Lord*

Chalice Hymnal #601

Offering Invitation

Teresa Gafford

Sharing of Offerings, Tithes, and Pledges

**Easter Doxology*

Praise God from whom all bless-ings flow; praise him, all crea-tures here be -
low: Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia! Praise him a - bove, ye heav'n-ly
host, praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost: al - le - lu - ia, al - le -
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Offering Prayer

Teresa Gafford

Invitation to Communion

Teresa Gafford

Communion Hymn: *The Disciples Knew the Lord Jesus*

Aaron sings the refrain; the congregation repeats and again after each verse

The dis - ci - ples knew the Lord Je - sus in the break - ing of the bread.

(1) The bread which we break, alleluia, is the communion of the body of Christ.

(2) One body are we, alleluia, for though many we share one bread.

Words of Institution

Rev. Dr. Sprinkle

Prayer for Bread and Cup

Teresa Gafford

Lord's Prayer *(using debts and debtors)*

Communion

Invitation

*Closing Hymn: *Go, My Children, with My Blessing*

*Benediction

*Dismissal

One: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

All: **The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

One: Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Remember the poor.

All: **Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**

*Postlude

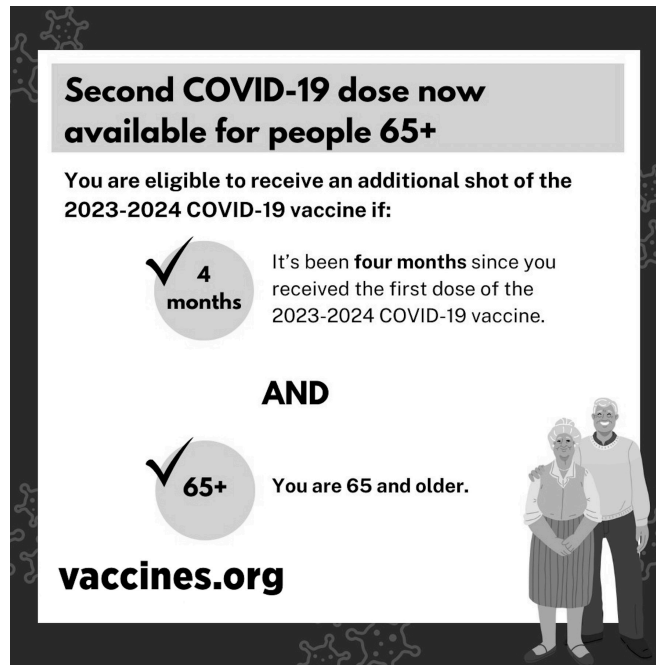
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Chalice Hymnal #431

Rev. Dr. Sprinkle

Teresa Gafford



2024-2025 NOMINATIONS FORM

Please use this form to nominate individuals for leadership during the 2024–2025 church year. You can also submit nominations via the internet using the link in your email. You may submit multiple nominations but do not nominate a person for the same position more than once.

Voting members of the congregation may nominate. According to the Article I, Section 3 of the Bylaws, active members and active participants are eligible to vote. According to Article IV, Section 3 of the Bylaws, a nominee must be an active member or active participant of the congregation. Active is defined by virtual or in-person attendance, giving, and/or service.

Nominations for the following positions are open:

Chair _____

Vice Chair _____

Secretary _____

Treasurer _____

At Large Board Members (2) _____

Elders (4) _____

Deacons (10) _____

Please fold this form before placing it in the offering plate.