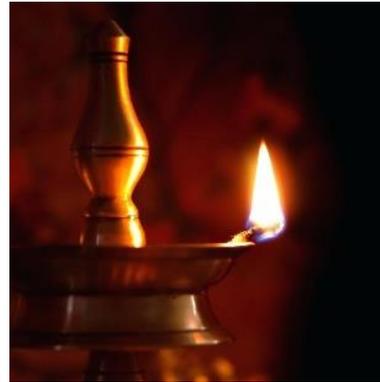


**Arvada Presbyterian Church**  
Order of Worship  
May 13, 2018  
Seventh Sunday of Easter



**Prelude**

**Call to Worship** (responsive)

Elder Elaine Valente

We are witnesses to the love God has poured into us.

**We are witnesses of God's love, sharing it with each person we meet.**

We are witnesses to everyone we encounter, little children like us,

**and sisters and brothers in God's family.**

We are witnesses; let us worship God.

**\*Hymn Arise, Your Light Is Come!**  
(Projected)

**\*Opening Prayer** (responsive)

Elder Elaine Valente

For those times when we move in the shadow, unaware or unwilling to be aware of how our actions affect others,

**we come together, in the light, to find our joy in God.**

For those times when we deceive ourselves—not revealing to ourselves or others the true nature of our vulnerabilities and fears,

**we come together, in the truth, to find forgiveness in fellowship.**

For those times when life has been revealed, and we have ignored or denied it,

**we come together to touch grace in the presence of the Spirit of Christ.**

In the name of the Risen Christ, who brings light to the world, we pray.

**Amen.**

**\*Music in Response** *As the Deer*  
(Projected)

**\*Passing of the Peace**

Rev. gretchen N. Sausville

**First Lesson and Time for Children**

The Parable of the Lamp on a Stand

Matthew 5:14-15 NT 4

Jan Lytton

**Choral Anthem** Voice of the Spirit  
*Just a Closer Walk with Thee* -Lojeski

**Second Scripture Lesson**

Matthew 25:14-30 NT 28

Elder Ann DeMers

(over)

**Sermon**      ***Faithfully, Foolishly Wise***

A.J. Perea

Elder Carl Kantner

Rev. gretchen N. Sausville

(After each person speaks we will sing a  
verse of ***This Little Light of Mine.***)

**\*Song**            ***This Little Light of Mine***

(Projected)

**Announcements**      Elder Ann DeMers

**Offering**

**Offertory** ***You Are the Salt of the Earth***

(from *Godspell*)

**\*Doxology**

***Praise God, from Whom All***

***Blessings Flow*** (Projected)

**\*Prayer of Dedication** (responsive)

Bless the Lord my soul

**and all that is in me bless God's  
Holy name.**

We are blessed to be a blessing.

**We are Your hands and feet.**

May all that we are and all that we  
bring

**be pleasing to You our God.**

In the name of the risen Christ we  
pray. Amen.

**Prayers of the People**

Elder Ann DeMers and

Rev. gretchen N. Sausville

**The Lord's Prayer**

**\*Closing Hymn**

***We Are Marching in the Light of God***

(Projected)

**\*Charge and Benediction**

**Postlude**

\*Please Stand if you're comfortable doing so.

**Bold signifies congregational participation**

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GG – Glory to God Hymnal

