

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

*Our Father which art in Heaven, Hallowed be thy name,
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.*

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song Jack Brooks

***DOXOLOGY #607**

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise Christ, all people here below;
Praise Holy Spirit evermore; Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.*

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

—Sending—

***HYMN # 634** To God Be the Glory

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

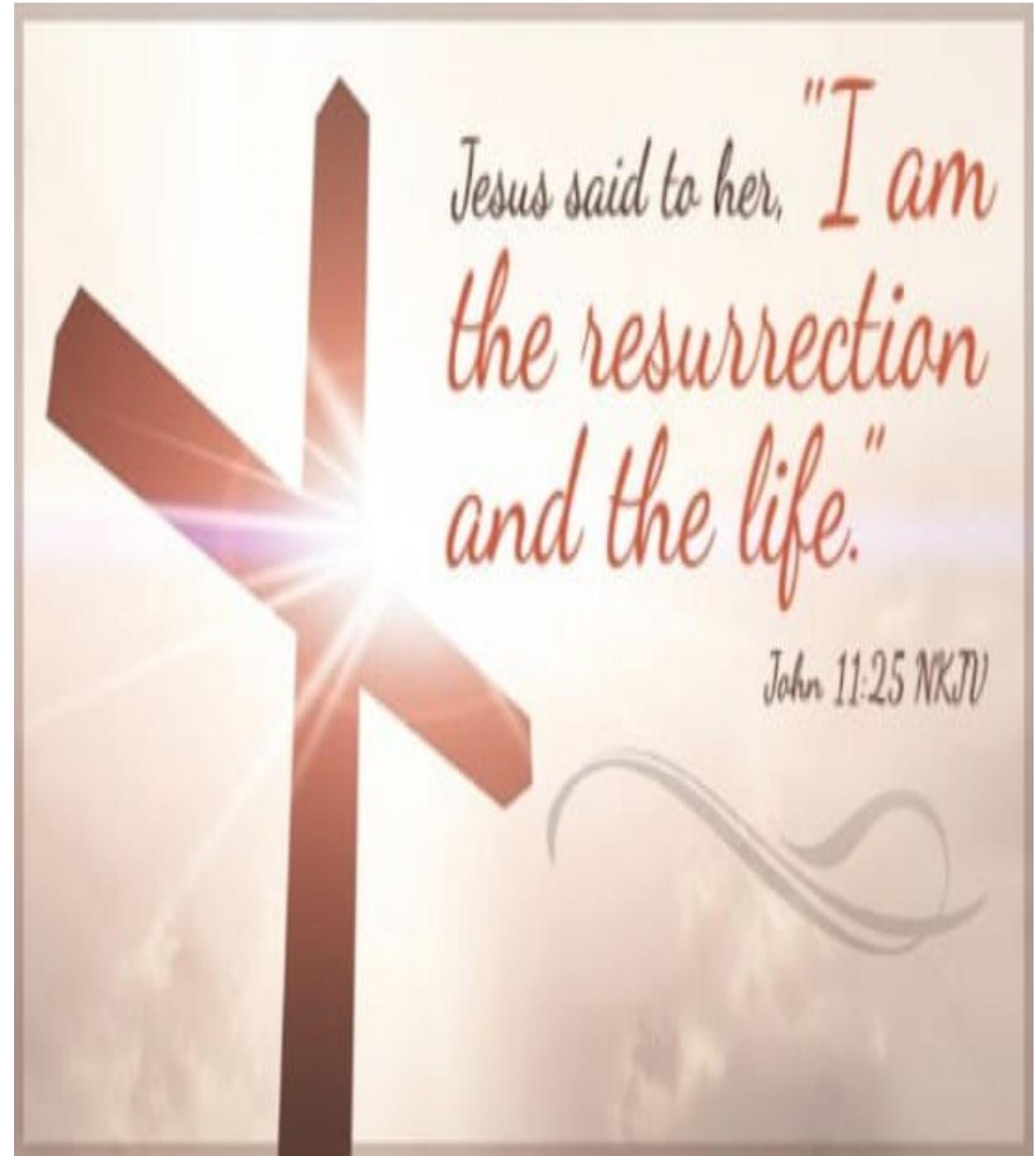
POSTLUDE Go in Grace Jack Brooks

You may be seated after the light passes you in the aisle.



Debbi Ricci.....Administrative Assistant
Jack BrooksGuest Organist

*Serving God,
Honoring Creation,
Embracing Differences*



(*) Please rise in body or in spirit
Bold Italic Letters indicate congregational response

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, HENDERSON, TX

5th Sunday in Lent
March 22, 2026

—Gathering—

Chorale Prelude

Jack Brooks

Liturgist: Louise Cochran

PRELUDE

WELCOME

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 130)

Out of the depths we call to you, O Lord.

Let your ears hear our supplication.

We wait for you, O God. In your word is our hope.

We wait for you, O Lord, for with you there is mercy.

Come. Let us worship God.

*HYMN# 250

In the Bulb, There is a Flower

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God, we are a busy people. We become pre-occupied with the demands of work, our relationships, and our communities. We tend to focus on our own needs and fail to see the needs of those around us. We do that which we should not and fail to do that which we should. We ask for your forgiveness and for your guidance in following the path you have set before us. Hear us now as we humbly come before you silently and privately to confess our sin.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI #581

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen, amen.*

—Word—

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST READING

Ezekiel 37:1-14

Bible p. 759, Lg p. 987-988

SECOND READING

Romans 8:6-11

Bible p. 147, LG p. 191

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL READING

John 11:1-45

Bible p. 98-99, LG p. 127-129

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Healing Breath

Rev. Jim Dees

—Response—

*HYMN # 286

Breathe on Me, Breath of God

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (Apostles' Creed)

*I believe in God, the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.*

*I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.*