

UNIONVILLE EPC WORSHIP SERVICE
April 11th, 2021 - 9:30 AM

Welcome and Announcements

Pastoral Call to Worship/Prayer of Invocation

Apostle's Creed

Gloria Patri

Prayer of Confession (In Unison)

Heavenly Father, we confess that we too often want proof for everything. We want proof that someone loves us; we want evidence that we can trust others; we want tangible proof that everything will turn out all right for us. It's easy for us to point our finger at Thomas who was honest about his doubts. He had seen so much healing and hope. But his hope seems to have been dashed when Jesus died. Even the news of Christ's Resurrection did not fully lift the darkness from his life. Lord, forgive our unbelief and deepen our faith! Forgive the many times when we speak and act in hurtful ways. By Your grace, heal our wounds; bind up our spirits in the cords of Your compassion. Help us to fully place our trust in You, with our whole hearts, minds, spirits and souls. We ask these things, in Jesus' blessed Name - Lord, in Your mercy, hear our prayer.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Doxology

Scripture Reading: John 20: 19 - 29

Sermon – *Jesus Christ, Crucified and Risen,
Is Able to Vanquish Our Every Doubt*

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Closing Hymn -

Breathe on Me, Breath of God

Breathe on me, Breath of God,
Fill me with life anew,
That I may love what Thou dost love,
And do what Thou wouldst do.

Breathe on me, Breath of God,
Until my heart is pure,
Until with Thee I will one will,
To do and to endure.

Breathe on me, Breath of God,
Till I am wholly Thine,
Until this earthly part of me
Glow with Thy fire divine.

Breathe on me, Breath of God,
So shall I never die,
But live with Thee the perfect life
Of Thine eternity.

Benediction