# SOUTHSIDE FELLOWSHIP

Creating brave spaces that nurture and inspire the human spirit

Second Sunday of Easter

April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Whether your faith is that there is a God or that there is not a God, if you don't have any doubts, you are either kidding yourself or asleep. Doubts are the ants in the pants of faith. They keep it awake and moving. ~ Frederick Buechner

## <u>GATHERING</u>

Welcome

**Centering music** 

**Call to Worship** 

Hymn God Is Here Among Us VT 62

### LISTENING FOR THE WORD

- Poem Narrative theology # 2 Padraig O Tuama
- Offering
- Scripture John 20:19-31
- Hymn We Walk By Faith VT 588
- Poem Doubt Norman Shirk
- Sermon Human Handprints Debbie Bledsoe

#### **RESPONDING TO THE WORD**

Hymn Ask the Complicated Questions VT 440

Communion

Sharing our lives and our prayers

Praying in the Way of Jesus

## THE WORD IN THE WORLD

Hymn Go, My Friends, in Peace (verse B) VT 839

**Benediction** 



The Incredulity of Saint Thomas, Tabernacle of Cherves, Charente, France, ca. 1220–30.

Southside Fellowship is an inclusive Anabaptist/Mennonite congregation that understands faith as a journey. At the core of our community is the boundless love of God, the justice-centered life of Jesus, and the mystery of the Spirit. We welcome all people to join us, including those who have been excluded elsewhere because of gender identity, sexual orientation, race, ethnicity, ability, economic status, marital status, age, or religious uncertainty.