

**“Serving today April 23, 2023
Third Sunday of Easter
Holy Communion**

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WORD

First Reading Acts 2:14a, 36-41
Psalm 116:1-4, 12-19 **Bold read by all**
1 I love the Lord, who has heard my voice,
And listened to my supplication,
2 for the Lord has given ear to me
Whenever I Called.

3 The cords of death entangled me;
The anguish of the grave came upon me;
I came to grief and sorrow.

4 Then I called upon the name of the Lord:
“O Lord, I pray you, save my life.”

12 How shall I repay the Lord
For all the good things God has done for me?

13 I will lift the cup of salvation
And call on the name of the Lord.

14 I will fulfill my vows to the Lord
In the presence of all God’s people.

15 Precious in your sight, O Lord,
Is the death of your servants.

16 O Lord, truly I am your servant;
**I am your servant, the child of your handmaid;
You have freed me from my bonds.**

17 I will offer you the sacrifice of thanksgiving
And call upon the name of the Lord.

18 I will fulfill my vows to the Lord
In the presence of all God’s people,

