

## From the Pastor April 2022

Dear Covenant family,

I do not have the adequate words to convey to you how deeply I appreciate your prayers, love and support. As I have walked through this surgery journey from diagnosis to recovery, your prayers have sustained me and your meals have nourished me. I am so grateful.



As we anticipate Holy Week and Easter, I invite you to consider how God might be working to resurrect your mind, heart, and body to new life in Christ. Consider, also, how we at Covenant are called to resurrection power on behalf of others – to fight oppression, hunger, homelessness, and racism and to advocate for justice, equity, diversity, and inclusion in our neighborhoods, our families, and our church. For it is at this crossroads, empowered and called by the Holy Spirit to this mighty work, that resurrection and new life are found. This Easter season "... Let justice roll down like waters, and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream." Amos 5:24 quoted by Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr in *Letter From a Birmingham Jail* (1963).

I look forward to seeing you all again on Palm Sunday!

Pastor Laura