

## Announcements

Finance Committee Meeting today at 5:00pm in the Fellowship Hall

Youth will meet in the youth house Wednesday, April 14, 6:00 - 7:30 PM in the youth house. Supper will be provided.

Summer 2021 youth mission trip is July 4-10. The cost is \$475 per youth member, plus some meals and spending money (details on the site). A non-refundable deposit of \$100 is due by April 30th, the remaining balance is due by June 4.

Church member and community Covid immunization shot clinic will be on April 14th from 5 PM to 6 PM in the social hall. Aged 16 and above will be eligible for these vaccinations. Please call the church office to reserve. The Pfizer vaccine will be given and we will have another vaccination day three weeks later for the second shot.

We are needing volunteers for Sunday School, Children's Church, and the nursery. My hope is to have a monthly rotation for each. If you are worried about teaching or curriculum, please know that there is a set curriculum and teaching will be following a leader guide and guiding the kids through different activities. We have really amazing kids in our church, and I pray that you would have the ability to serve them (and their parents!). Please prayerfully consider serving in the children's department and let me know if you can help. You can reach me email (lknight@gmail.com). Laura Little

In Person and Virtual Worship Service: 146  
Monthly Revenue Needed for April: \$52,533  
Received this month to Date 4-5-21: \$10,970

## THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

### Sunday, Apr. 11th

9:30am Worship Service  
10:40am Sunday School  
5:00pm Finance Committee Meeting

### Monday, Apr. 12th

9:30am Peter Bible Study  
2:00pm AA

### Tuesday, Apr. 13th

7:00pm Overcomers

### Wednesday Apr. 14th

6:30am Men's Bible Study  
5:00pm COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic  
6:00pm Youth  
6:30pm Choir Practice  
6:30pm Peter Bible Study

### Thursday, Apr. 15th

6:00pm AA

We highly recommend everyone in the worship service to wear a face mask. We also highly recommend you use hand sanitizer and refrain from greeting one another with touch. Please maintain social distancing. This is for everyone's safety.



**April 11th, 2021**  
**9:30 AM Worship**

## **From Fear to Fortitude**

In this world, there is much that challenges our sense of well-being. These challenges are not pleasant and the solutions to them are not always easy.

These early disciples of Jesus, in the days following his resurrection, were not sure what the truth was. Had the worst happened and been reversed? Was this a scam? Were those seeking to demean his work, trying to make fun of Jesus' followers?

Jesus meets the fear filled followers and greets them with his winsome and compassionate ways. He invites them to see the ugly reality of what he has been through. Then, he invites them to embrace the resurrection and the hope that goes with it.

He invites us to do the same. The church is part of this hope and what we exist for us to make this hope a reality in this world. Christ's Spirit keeps the reality of resurrection hope alive in us.

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*A Service of Word and Praise*  
*April 11, 2021, Second Sunday of Easter*  
*Liturgical Color: White*

{(\*) Please stand as you are able}

PRELUDE:

THE CALL TO WORSHIP                   “Joyful, Joyful”

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

\*HYMN:           “Crown Him with Many Crowns”                   p. 327 UMH

\*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH                   “*The Apostle’s Creed*”

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker 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, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God, the Father, Almighty; from thence he shall come again to judge the quick 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 the life everlasting.**

(\* The Church Universal)

THE GLORIA PATRI

**Gloria 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**

THE CHILDRENS SERMON                   Mrs. Robin Kern

\*HYMN           “*My Hope is Built on Nothing Less*”                   p. 368 UMH

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER (in unison)

**Our Father, who 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen**

THE CHORAL ANTHEM:                   “*Why Does My Savior Weep?*”

\*THE GOSPEL LESSON:                   John 20:19-31

THE SERMON:           “*Behind Closed Doors; From Fear to Faith*” Rev. Grantham

THE CLOSING HYMN:                   “*I Saw the Light*”

\*THE BENEDICTION AND SENDING FORTH

THE POSTLUDE

**I Saw the Light**

I saw the light, I saw the light  
No more darkness, no more night  
Now I’m so happy, no sorrow in sight  
Praise the Lord, I saw the light

(REFRAIN)

I wandered so aimless, my heart filled with sin  
I wouldn’t let my dear Savior in  
Then Jesus came like a stranger in the night  
Praise the Lord, I saw the light

REFRAIN

Just like a blind man I wandered alone  
Worries and fears, I claimed for my own  
Then like the blind man that God gave back his sight  
Praise the Lord, I saw the light

REFRAIN

I was a fool to wander and stray  
Straight is the gate and narrow the way  
Now I have traded the wrong for the right  
Praise the Lord, I saw the light

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