

PINEHURST

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



April 19, 2026

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GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE

“Joyful, Joyful”

Beethoven/Dobrinski
Handbell Choir

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Joyful is the sound we make this morning!

People: For Easter liberates us from doubt and fear.

Leader: Thankful is the song we sing!

People: For Easter moves us past darkness and despair.

Leader: Hopeful is the prayer upon our lips!

People: For Easter awakens in us long-awaited new life.

Leader: Jesus said, “Where two or more are gathered
in my name, I am there among them.”

People: Christ lives here and now.

He is among us at this and every moment!

All: Let us worship the Lord!

***OPENING HYMN**

“He Lives”

UMH, 310

**Please stand as you are able.*

***OPENING PRAYER**

O God, whose presence is veiled from our eyes:
Grant that when we do not recognize you,
our hearts may burn within us,
and that when feeling is lost,
we may cling in faith to your Word
and the power of bread broken
in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, forever and ever. Amen.

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

***REGATHERING HYMN** *“Awesome God”* (words on screen)

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Genesis 18:1-15

Lay Readers: 8:15am – Cindy Nelson
11am – Cliff Roberts

RESPONSE

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God.
People: Thanks be to God.

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** The Apostle’s Creed UMH, 881

SPECIAL MUSIC *“Rejoice, All Ye Believers”* Ron Mallory
Handbell Choir

MINISTRY MOMENT Kairos Prison Ministry

GIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERING

OFFERTORY *“Meditation”* W. Metz

*PRESENTATION The Doxology UMH, 95

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD’S PRAYER UMH, 895

SCRIPTURE LESSON Luke 24:13-35

SERMON *“Easter Eyes in Emmaus”* Rev. Jabe Largen

SENDING FORTH TO SERVE

*FINAL HYMN *“Open My Eyes”* UMH, 454

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE *“Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise”* Robert J. Powell

*The altar flowers today are given to the glory of God
and in celebration of the marriage of Jacob & Steffey Wibbens
by Brian & Cathy Wibbens.*

WELCOME VISITORS

If you are visiting for the first time, stop by the Welcome Center near the front door and pick up a gift along with information about our church. Nursery care is available for children up to age 4 in Room 110. Restrooms are also down the same hallway as you leave the sanctuary.

THIS WEEK AT PUMC

OFFICE HOURS: Monday –Thursday 9am–4:30pm; Friday Closed

Sunday, Apr. 19

- 8:15am Traditional Service
- 9:30am Sunday School/kids/youth/adults
- 9:40am Contemporary Service
- 10:30am Sunday School/adults
- 11am Traditional Service
- 5pm Youth Fellowship/6th-12th grade/includes dinner

Monday, Apr. 20

- 7:30am Men's Breakfast Study/Sizzlin' Steak or Eggs
- 10am Once Upon a Pine Storytime/Seeds (birth-24 months)
- 12pm Howard Thurman Study/Pastor Jabe

Tuesday, Apr. 21

- 10am Once Upon a Pine Storytime/Sprouts (2-5 yrs)
- 1pm Yarns of Love/crochet & knitting/Debbie Schumm

Wednesday, Apr. 22

- 9:30am Pastor's Bible Study/Hosea
- 5pm Handbell Rehearsal/Darlene Skinner
- 6:30pm Worship Choir Rehearsal/James Brown

Thursday, Apr. 23

- 8am-1pm Apostles Build Workday/register with Habitat

Friday, Apr. 24

- 8am-1pm Apostles Build Workday/register with Habitat

Saturday, Apr. 25

- 8am-1pm Apostles Build Workday/register with Habitat

LOOKING FORWARD

Apr. 27-28 Family Promise Volunteer Dates/Sign Up Online

May 2 Family Day Camp (Rockfish)

May 3 Youth Fellowship End of Year Celebration (5pm)

May 17 Feed the Hunger Food Packing Event (9:30 & 10:45)

May 28 Contemporary Night of Worship (6pm)

For more details, visit pinehurstumc.org and view Weekly E-news!