

Events

Sunday, April 21 *Easter Sunday*

- 6:30 AM Sunrise Service
- 7:30 AM Sunrise Breakfast
served by Emmaus 4th Dayers
- 8:45 AM Sunday School
- 9:00 AM Adult Sunday School
- 10:00 AM Easter Worship Service

Monday, April 22

- 4:00 PM Intercessory Prayer
@Emerald Oaks
- 7:00 PM Dig In Bible Study in Narthex

Tuesday, April 23

- 9:30 AM Young at Heart in the Narthex

Wednesday, April 24

- 1:30 PM Upper Room Bible Study
@Emerald Oaks
- 3:30 PM 345 ALIVE
in Church basement
- 5:00 PM Jr/Sr UMYF
in Church basement
- 6:00 PM Bell Choir Practice
- 7:00 PM Emmaus 4th Day Group
in Narthex

Thursday, April 25

- 6:00 PM Intensified Prayer
@War Room

Friday, April 26

- *Office Closed
- 9:00 AM Men's Prayer Group
& Bible Study

Sunday, April 28

- 8:45 AM Sunday School
- 9:00 AM Adult Sunday School
- 10:00 AM Worship Service

Have A Blessed Easter!

Birthdays & *Anniversaries

- 21 Braxton Long
Darlene Moser
- 22 Cal Chrstensen
Vieginia Eldridge
Kyle Kassel
- 23 *Brian & Cheryl Garrels
- 24 Nick Leners
Judy Lentz
Scott Wirtz
*Nytasha & Ronald Moore
- 26 Rosie Argabright
Morgan Jamison
Jeri McKinney
Skylar McDevitt
- 27 Dawson Hatch
- 28 Ruth Hand

Attendance 4/14/19

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Empowering EFUMC Ministry - 3/17/19

General	\$ 2181.00
Trustees	\$ 38.00
Total	\$ 2319.00

Thank you for giving your time to volunteer.
Thank you for donating funds to help with the financial cost of ministry.

Thank you for praying for the ministry of First United Methodist Church.



Open Hearts. Open Minds. Open Doors.

Emmetsburg First United Methodist Church

Since February 12, 1872

Pastor Rev. Hojin Shin

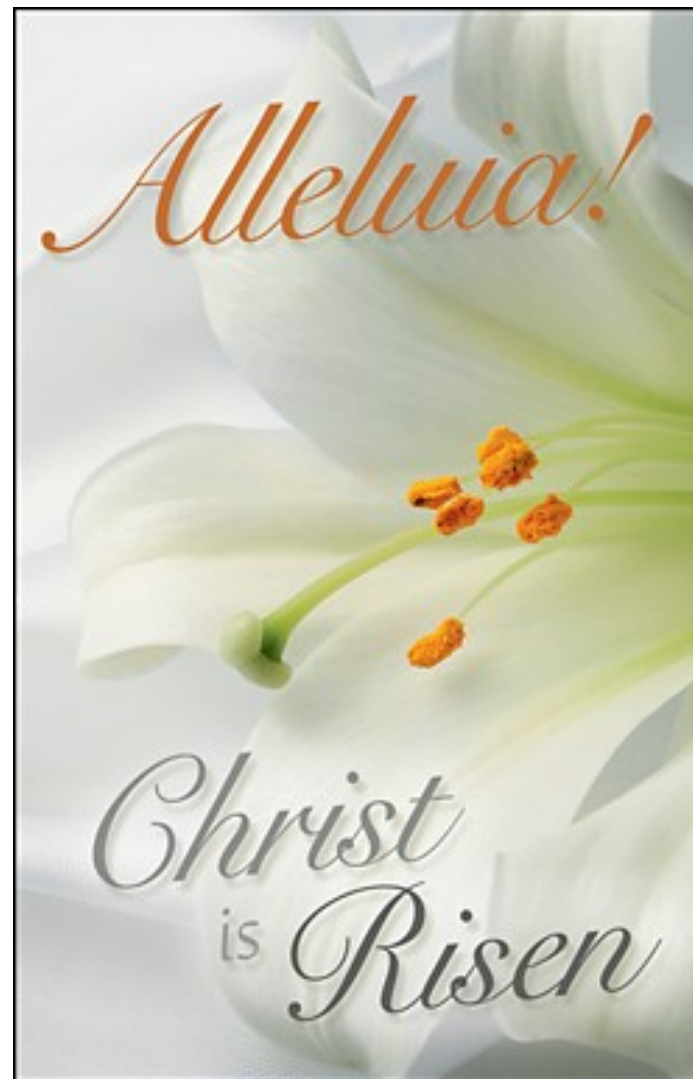
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Easter Sunday

April 21, 2019, 10:00AM



Welcome! We're glad you're here.

When you see the [*], people are invited to arise as able.

Hymns No. 57-734 are in the red hymnal (The United Methodist Hymnal),
2000's are in the black hymnal (The Faith We Sing).

Liturgist Marilyn Carlstrom
Organist Rosemary Matthews

Prelude

*** Call to Worship**

L: Alleluia! Christ is Risen!

P: CHRIST IS RISEN INDEED!

L: Darkness has been vanquished!

P: THE BRILLIANT LIGHT OF HOPE HAS COME!

L: Come let us worship and celebrate the Good News!

P: ALLELUIA! CHRIST IS RISEN! AMEN!!

*** Opening Hymn** 302 Christ the Lord Is Risen Today

*** Opening Prayer**

O God,
bless us this morning with resurrection rampage—
a rampage that summons us to shout yes
to the birth of new creation in our midst.
May we experience the birthquakes of new life
in our lives and in our congregation.
The Son is up!
And we are up with the Son,
despite all those things
that seek to pull us down to despair.
We are your Easter people. Amen.

Bell Choir

Children's Sermon

*** Praise & Worship**

"Celebrate, Jesus, Celebrate" by Gary Oliver

"Behold the Lamb" by Kristian Stanfill, Melodie Malone, Phil Wickham

Joys, Prayers, Concerns

*** Scripture Reading** 1 Corinthians 15:19-26

Message of Life Resurrection; Conquered Over the Power of Death

2019 District Conference



Sunday, April 28

3:00 pm to 5:00 pm.

Grace United Methodist Church
Spencer



Next meeting
April 23
7:00 PM

If you want to help,
we would love to have **YOU!**
Soon we will have a supplies list
of things we will need to make
VBS a success.
Watch for it!

VBS will June 24-28

Spring Fling

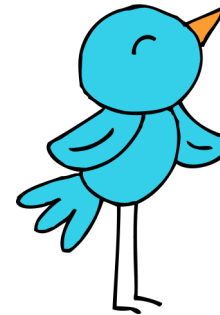
Ruthven United Methodist Women invite
you to our church for a

Ladies Night Out

May 1, 2019

7:00 PM

(Doors open at 6:30 PM)



Speaker: Sheila
Currans

Come and enjoy
the party...
Beautiful
tables...Prizes...
Cake, Ice Cream
Great Fellowship

Registration for camp is filling up fast!

Pick up your application and your
camperships at the camp table in the
Narthex!



Giving the Bread and Cup

Prayer after Receiving

**We thank you, God, for inviting us to this table
where we have known the presence of Christ
And have received all Christ's gifts.
Strengthen our faith,
increase our love for one another,
and let us show forth your praise in our lives;
through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.**

Offering

- * **Doxology** 95 Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow
- * **Closing Hymn** 322 Up From the Grave He Arose
- * **Benediction**
- * **Song of Sending Forth** 304 Easter People, Raise Your Voices (verse 1)

Christ Is Risen!



Doug & Michelle Schneider, Rosie Culbertson, John Strohmman, Deny & Brenda Gonzales, Florence Malm, Deb Weir, Rick Jones, Richard Henrichs, Vicki Ellis, Will Farlow, Irene Goff, Carol Ensley, Joyce Muller, Lincoln Coakley (grandson of Joann Coakley), Scott Sanne (Grandson of Pearl Whitmore), Philip Christenson (brother of Marge Solberg), Kort Freeman, Lois Lowman, Ted Strohmman, Jane Stevens, Vi Sampson, Marjorie Solberg, Deb Nissen (sister-in-law of Deb Wickman)

*Families who have lost their loved ones this past year including:

Gwen Carmichael, Bev Hankey, Vida Krough, Ethel DeJung, Shirley Weisbrod, Bernece Hersom, Bette Miller, Vicki Truog, Mary Helen Morling, Jim Coakley, Cindy Kassel, Betty Jo Priest, Orval Hankey, Ellen Saxton, and Luke Rouse.

*Those who have been hospitalized and our military members.

Holy Communion

* Invitation to Communion (Acts 10)

As we come to this table with the risen Jesus,
we are witnesses to the Resurrection!
Let us forsake all that holds us back from this joy
as we offer our confession.

* Communion Prayer (Acts 10)

**Jesus our Host,
we yearn for your Communion;
we yearn for the hope of new life;
we yearn to meet you here.
And yet, despite your invitation,
we find ourselves stumbling on our way.
Forgive us.
Hear now in silence
the confessions of your people.**
(Silence)

* Words of Assurance

Hear the good news!
"All the prophets testify about him
that everyone who believes in him
receives forgiveness of sins through his name!
In the name of the risen Christ,
you are forgiven! Glory to God!
Amen.

* Passing the Peace of Christ

As forgiven, freed, and risen people,
testify to the joy of resurrection
as you pass the peace of Christ.

* The Great Thanksgiving

The lord is with you!
And also with you!

Lift up your voices to speak of this great love!
We lift them up in joyful acclamation!

It is right and a good and joyful thing,
always and everywhere,
to give thanks to you, Living God.

Time after time,
you draw us here to inspire us,
feed us,
and save us.

Especially when our love fails,
you are here,
steadfast and true.

You created this world and called it good.
You created us to proclaim your good to all.
And so we raise our voices in praise:

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord,
God of power and might;
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest!**

We remember the life and ministry of Jesus:
how he healed the sick,
fed the hungry,
ate with sinners,
and preached forgiveness and peace.

It was at this table that he issued the invitation:
to gather together,
to share together,
to remember together,
and to go and do likewise in the world.

On the night in which he gave himself up for us,
he took bread, gave thanks to you, broke the bread,
gave it to his disciples, and said:
*“Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you.
Do this in remembrance of me.”*

When the supper was over, he took the cup,
gave thanks to you, gave it to his disciples, and said:
*“Drink from this, all of you;
this is my blood of the new covenant,
poured out for you and for many
for the forgiveness of sins.
Do this, as often as you drink it,
in remembrance of me.”*

And so, on this day of resurrection,
we raise our voices to proclaim this timeless truth:

Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again!

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us, your people,
and on these gifts of bread and cup.

Make us lovers and tellers of your word.
Make us healers and bestowers of your grace.
And make us one body in Jesus Christ.
All glory and honor is yours, Almighty God,
now and for all time!

Amen, amen, amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done
one 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.