

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

TODAY, April 22

- 3:00 PM - "Spring into New Life" Music Festival (Sanctuary)
- 4:30 PM - Reception (Fellowship Hall)

MONDAY, April 23

- 2:30 PM - Women's Book Club (Overflow Area)

TUESDAY, April 24

- 11:00 AM - Volunteers pack for Food Bank
- 6:30 PM - Women's Prayer Group (Upstairs Chapel)
- 7:15 PM - Finance Committee Meeting (Upstairs Classroom)

WEDNESDAY, April 25

- 10-11:00 AM - Food Bank Distribution
- 6:45 PM - Choir Practice (Fellowship Hall)

THURSDAY, April 26

- 7:00 PM - Al-Anon (Fellowship Hall)

SATURDAY, April 28

- 9:00 AM - Lay Ministries School
- 9:00 AM - District UMW Spring Meeting (at Circleville UMC)

SUNDAY, April 29

- 8:30 AM - Early Service
- 9:30 AM - Sunday School
- 11:00 AM - Worship Service

RECORD OF OUR FAITHFULNESS

April 15, 2018

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| 8:30 Sunrise Service | 29 | Current Exp..... | \$ 2,882.05 |
| 11:00 AM Service | 58 | Connectional Appt. | <u>267.00</u> |
| S.S. Attendance..... | 33 | | \$ 3,149.05 |
| Weekly Avg..... | 102 | Sunday School Avg | 33 |
| Bldg. & Repair | 693.00 | Renovation Phase II | 950.00 |
| Missions..... | 210.00 | Rev Bev Welcome Lunch.. | 100.00 |

2018 Connectional Apportionment Asking - \$21,688
 Amount received as of 4/15/2018 - \$ 6039.99 (27.9%)
 Amount still due Conference - \$15,648.01

Renovation Fund Phase II Loan - \$60,000
 Amount still due Credit Union 3/31/2018 - \$40,899.30



April 22, 2018
8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

First United Methodist Church

"Growing, Loving & Serving in Christ's Name"

Rev. Jerrad R. Peterman, Pastor
Lori A. Klingensmith, Choir Director

LFUMC.org
Office: 724-845-8761
8:30 A.M.

Dave McDonald, Reader

Marilyn R. Oldfield, Pianist
Gail E. Varine, Organist

LFUMC251@comcast.net
Pastor's Cell: 724-833-3247
11:00 A.M.

Terry Snyder, Reader

As the music begins, be silent, be thoughtful, and be reverent, for this is the House of the Lord. Before the service, speak to the Lord. During the service, let the Lord speak to you. After the service, speak to one another.

- **PRAYER REQUEST CARDS** are in the pew racks and will be collected during the opening hymn.
- The **NURSERY** is available upstairs in the Educational Building for parents who feel the need to take their children there.
- **ACTIVITY BAGS** are available in the Overflow Area for those children who wish to remain in the service.
- **GUESTS** – Please fill out a visitor's card from the pew racks and place it in the offering plate so we may have a record of your visit. We hope you will join us again.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

EASTER AFFIRMATION

Christ IS Risen!

He Is Risen Indeed!

❖CALL TO WORSHIP

(Psalm 23)

L: Come, walk in green pastures.

P: We follow the Shepherd.

L: Come, lie down in green pastures.

P: We trust the Shepherd.

L: Come, dine at the table of abundance.

P: We are fed by the Shepherd.

L: Come, dwell in God's house.

P: We live in the Shepherd's care.

◇❖OPENING PRAISE

"More like Christ"

❖OPENING PRAYER (in unison)

Loving Shepherd, you know our names; you care for us. When we face darkness and death, walk beside us. When we hunger for your love, fill us with your presence. When we are fearful, feed us at your table. May we dwell in the house of goodness and mercy all the days of our lives. Amen.

FIRST READING

1 John 3:16-24

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◇CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Courtney Riffer

MORNING PRAYER (and The Lord's Prayer in unison)

◇ANTHEM

"Trust in the Lord and Do Good"

PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

❖HYMN

"I Am Thine, O Lord"

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SCRIPTURE READING

John 10:11-18

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MESSAGE:

"Living Life"

◇RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Luke 21:1-4

◇OFFERTORY

◇❖DOXOLOGY

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◇❖OFFERTORY PRAYER

❖HYMN

"Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"

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❖BENEDICTION

❖COMMUNITY BLESSING

"He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought" (vs.1)

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POSTLUDE

❖Congregation please stand, if able ~ ◇Denotes 11:00am service only

The **ALTAR FLOWERS** are given to the Glory of God and in celebration of our 5th Wedding Anniversary by Drew & Peggy Homko.

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Spring into New Life

Music Festival

3:00pm, Today, April 22



Kiski Valley Church Choirs & Music Ensembles will perform at First United Methodist Church
Reception to follow ~ Free will offering for P.A.T.H.