

May 14, 2017

ENTRANCE

Announcements

Liturgist

Gathering / Prelude "Prelude on 2 American Hymn Tunes"

Hugh Livingston, Jr.

***Call to Worship:**

L: The eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him, on those whose hope is in his unfailing love.

P: We wait in hope for the Lord; he is our help and our shield. In him our hearts rejoice, for we trust in his holy name.

L: May your unfailing love rest upon us, O Lord, for we put our trust in you.

P: Thanks be to God

***Opening Prayer:**

God of the resurrection, we gather this morning as a community of believers. We come with joy to greet one another and to tell again and again the amazing news: Christ is risen! Love is victorious over death! You have given us new life in the name of your Son! May our singing, praying, listening, and proclaiming be a testimony to the power of your love to make us a new creation as a community of faith. We pray in the name of the risen Christ. Amen.

***Opening Hymn:** "How Firm a Foundation" Page 529

***Psalter:** Psalm 31 Page 764

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Epistle Reading: Acts 7:55-60 Liturgist

***Gospel Reading:** John 14:1-14 Ken

Message: "Mother of All Living" Ken

***Affirmation of Faith** Page 881

Hymn: "Dear Lord and Father of Mankind" Page 358

Concerns and Prayers (Please record your attendance on the pew pads.)

Prayer Concerns

In Care Centers: Marge Paik, Audrey Brock, Dwight Lufkin, Betty Remmers

Health & Other Issues: Shirley Alger, Vince & Edna Clarke, Dan Aplin, Frank Sanusky, Janet Bell, Ann Jancosek, Robert Wiles, Stephanie Carper, Page Martin, Mary Davis, Ray & Grace Wolfram, Gail Harper, Richard Strossner, Barb Price, Hugh Buie, John Wright, Judy Thrasher, Lillian Barton, Walter & Ethel Berkholtz, Lorri Schaffer, Marion Flemming, Nathan Jackson, Sherry Olin, Joan Lenhard, Robert Mills, Bev Wolf, Gary Wilson, Ron Aplin, Flora Sulerud, Malcolm Pollard, Sonny Gerringer, Ethan Landers, Liela Gozdecki, Nathanel Harden, Anna Senior, Kathy Vassaur, Ernie Lewis, Al Comen, Jessie Edwards, Pat Buchmeyer, Anna Senior, Louise

For Guidance: The World, Our Nation's Leaders, Horseshoe Bend United Methodist Church, Kim Zehr, Mathew Smith, Rev. J.J. Galloway, Bishop Mueller, Michael J. Chaidma, Laura Umphies

Military: Rob Lane, Andy Eliassen, Aaron Swick, Justin Weller, Lidia & Adam Fox, McCale

The Lord's Prayer

Offertory "Serenata" George Blake

***Doxology:** ***"Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen."***

***Hymn of Commitment:** "Victory in Jesus" Page 370

***Closing Prayer and Benediction**

Benediction "Three Fold Amen"

Postlude

**Those who are able, please stand.*

Church Calendar

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| Monday, May 15 th | 10:00 am | Church Council Meeting |
| Sunday, May 21 st | 9:00 am | Bible Study |
| Acts 17:22-31 | 10:00 am | Coffee & Fellowship |
| Psalms 66:8-20 | 10:30 am | Worship Service |
| 1 Peter 3:13-22 | John 14:15-21 | |

Joys

Birthdays

Today: Stafford Martin

Anniversaries

Saturday: Chuck & Barb Price



Church Council Meeting

Monday, May 15th at 10:00 a.m.
Anyone & Everyone can attend!

Food for Thought!

Stop worrying about the financial situation of your children and grandchildren, and don't feel bad spending your money on yourself. You've taken care of them for many years, and you've taught them what you could. You gave them an education, food, shelter and support. The responsibility is now theirs to earn their own money.



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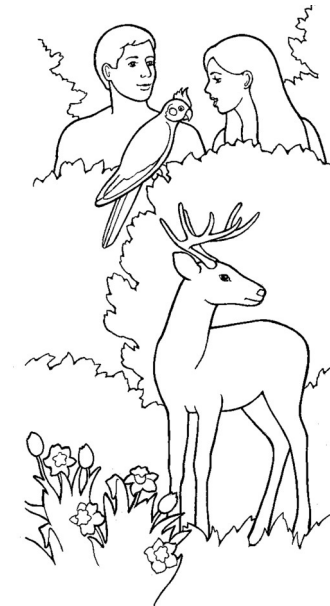
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5th Sunday of Easter



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Custodian – Linda Landrum

Choir Director – Mary Blankenship

Organist – Hugh Buie

Worship Volunteers

Liturgist – Carole Homolka

Ushers – John Zehr & Annette Aplin

Offering Assistants – Gary Wilson & Pete Landrum