

First Presbyterian Church

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Phone 641-753-5929

9:00 a.m.

April 21, 2019



Happy Easter! What a joy to celebrate and affirm that goodness is stronger than evil, that love triumphs over fear and that life, not death, is the final word.

Large print bulletins are available, and **children's bulletins** are available on the table in the Narthex.

A nursery is available for infants up to 5 years-of-age.

- **Those who are able are invited to stand.**

PRELUDE *Jesus the King Medley* arr. Victor Labenske
 Marsha Bristley - piano

LIFE OF THE CONGREGATION

Moment of silence to prepare your hearts for worship

SONG OF DEVOTION (hymnal & screen) (**please remain seated**)

#372 *Our God Reigns*

LET US WORSHIP GOD TOGETHER THIS EASTER DAY

- **CALL TO WORSHIP** (Mark 16:1-7)

Leader: Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices so that they might go to anoint Jesus' body. Very early on the first day of the week, just after sunrise, they were on their way to the tomb.

People: But when they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had been rolled away. As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man dressed in a white robe sitting on the right side, and they were alarmed.

Leader: "Don't be alarmed," he said. "You are looking for Jesus the Nazarene, who was crucified. He has risen! He is not here. See the place where they laid Him.

People: But go, tell His disciples and Peter, 'He is going ahead of you into Galilee. There you will see Him, just as He told you.'"

- **INVOCATION**

Leader: Risen Lord. Come and fill us with Your resurrection power. Turn our old lives into new ones, so that we might offer You the praise You deserve. Drive all that is evil from our hearts and make us one with You so that we might glorify You. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

- **SONGS OF PRAISE** (hymnal & screen)

Because He Lives (Amen)

In Christ Alone

#349 *O How He Loves You and Me*

• **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *The Apostles' Creed*

Unison: 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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

• **GLORIA PATRI**

MORNING PRAYERS

Pastoral Prayer

Prayers for the People

The Lord's Prayer

• **SONG OF PRAISE** (hymnal & screen)

#10 *Majesty*

Children may come down for the children's sermon during the last verse of the hymn.

CHILDREN'S SERMON

OFFERING OUR GIFTS

The Call

Offertory *The Holy City*

Stephen Adams

- *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*

And Blessing (remain standing and join hands)

Blest Be the Tie That Binds (vs. 1)

*Blest be the tie that binds, our hearts in Christian love;
The fellowship of kindred minds, is like to that above.*

SCRIPTURE READING: Luke 8:1-3 NT pg. 1605

SPECIAL MUSIC *This Joyful Eastertide* arr. Jane McFadden
Bell Choir

SCRIPTURE READING: John 20:1-18 NT pg.1685

SERMON “Mary Magdalene” Rev. Dr. Richard A. King

LET US LIVE IN THE POWER OF THE RISEN CHRIST

- **HYMN OF DEDICATION** (hymnal & screen)
#358 Because He Lives
- **CHARGE & BENEDICTION**
- **ORGAN RESPONSE**
- **POSTLUDE**



Joys and Concerns

Continuing Joys and Concerns

- **Dean Baker**, at home doing well recuperating from surgery to relieve pressure on his brain
- **Hudson Boyd, grandson of Doug & Jinita Boyd**, all went well with his heart procedure and fully recovered with improvement in his future outlook. Hudson turns 8 years-old today.
- **Al Fienup**, recovering from Influenza H1N1
- **Virginia Sloat**, Brenda Severson's mother, at Grandview, Room 612, recovering from a broken femur
- **Angel**, in need of continued strength and courage
- **Missionaries** supported by First Presbyterian Church
- **Rev. David Githii**, his ministry
- **Nathalie Lynch**, at Oak Estates Nursing Home Rm. 305 in Conrad recuperating from a broken femur
- **Jeanne Brennecke**, in Room 115 at Accura Health Care; under Hospice care
- **Bette Etter**, at Westbrook Acres in Gladbrook
- **Connie Montover**, at Grandview Nursing Home
- **Karen Weiny**, Jeff Drummer's mother, at Southridge with MSA, a degenerative disease

Please pray for everyone on our list! Thank you for keeping us informed about joys and concerns. Remember, hospitalized members and friends don't always get on the list at the hospital. We'd rather get several calls than none!
Phone the church at 753-5929
or e-mail church@fpcmarshalltown.org
Please let us know if you'd like the **prayer chain** activated.

The Purpose Statement for First Presbyterian Church of Marshalltown

- G Growing in Christ through *worship*.
- R Reaching out in *fellowship*
- A Affirming faith through *discipleship*
- C Caring for the lost through *evangelism*.
- E Embracing others in mission and *ministry*.

Announcements April 21, 2019

Blessed is he who comes in the Name of the Lord and is a cheerful and joyful giver.

---Stewardship Committee

There will be NO coffee conversations on April 24.

Habitat for Humanity has opened more spots for **Thursday, 4/25 and Friday, 4/26. There are 25 general spots each day.** You can sign up at <http://iowahabitatforhumanity.volunteerlocal.com/volunteer/?id=35755>

You select your work group/project on the morning you arrive, so you can sign up with a friend or join people you know when you get there. Volunteers will get lunch and a t-shirt. Bring work gloves and a water bottle and wear long pants and close-toed shoes.

Lunch has been taken care of, but they welcome cookies or other treats for a mid-day snack for volunteers. If you would like to help in this way, please talk to Michelle.

Plan to attend the **Hymn Sing on Sunday, April 28** (note the change of date) at 6 p.m. **Jenn Pedersen**, an MHS music instructor and Music Director at First United Methodist Church, will present the program for the evening. Refreshments will follow the program.

The **First United Methodist Women's spring Salad Luncheon** will be held Thursday, April 25, from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. in their fellowship hall at 202 W. Main St. The cost of tickets is \$10 each and can be purchased at the door or from First UM Church's office.

The menu includes meat, vegetable, and fruit salads, deviled eggs, breads/muffins and beverages. All you can eat. This is a UMW fundraiser for local, regional and global missions.



Altar Flowers

Please sign up to **sponsor the altar flowers** on the flower sign-up sheet for 2019. The sheet is in Fellowship Hall on the table near the south door.

Please sign up on the clipboard to be a greeter, fellowship host, cup washer and to help in the nursery. Your help is needed.

Pray for **First Presbyterian Church, Waterloo, Iowa – Rev. Amy Wiles & Rev. Pat Geadelmann, Associate.**

The whole world lives in Your love, holy God, and we are Your people. Send us out in faith to tell Your story and to demonstrate Your truth to every race and nation, so that, won by Your powerful Word, the world may join together giving You praise, and living to serve You in Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

Altar Flowers: Easter Lilies.

Worship Leader today: Leah Mosher

Next Sunday: Jim Grimmus

Greeters today: Bill Eilers

Next Sunday: Pat & Nancy Kremer

Deacons today: Barb McBride & Marge Wolfe

Next Sunday: Jackie Hughes & Susan Lawyer

Fellowship Hosts: Dick & Barb McBride

Next Sunday: Bill & Susan Lawyer

Nursery today: Deb Williams, & Maria Estrada

Next Sunday: Deb Williams & Joyce Andereg

Cup Washers today: Roger Schoell

Next Sunday: _____

Donuts today: Gail & Janeen Boliver

Next Sunday: Dick & Barb McBride

AV Tech: 9:00 a.m.: Craig Henze

Next Sunday: 9:00 a.m.: Steve Anderson

If you need a ride to worship or church activities, contact any Deacon. The list is on the back of the bulletin.



Members in mission, making a difference

Pastor	Rev. Dr. Richard A. King
Pastoral Care Minister	Rev. Tom Bower
Youth & Young Families Director	Jon Rottink
Office Manager/Editor	Nancy Diggins
CE Coordinator	Michelle Wilkinson
Choir Director	Valerie King
Organist	Wynona Anderson
Assistant Organist	Marla Grossman
Pianist	Cindy Butler
Custodian	Debbie Armstrong
Assistant Custodian	Jan Faber

Session Elders

Wynona Anderson	Doug Bacon
Abra Banissan	Gail Boliver (one-year)
Lynne Bovenmyer	Jenny Buschbom
Don Feld	Case Hegeman
Lucas Johnson	Ron Kauffman
Pat Kremer	Julie Lynch
Richie Ritter	Heather Rottink
John Wise (one-year)	

Deacons

Joyce Anderegg	Roger & Donita Anders
Sue Bryant	Rhonda Buzbee (one-year)
Margaret Fehrle	Jackie Hughes
Susan Lawyer	Harlan & Marcia Quick
Barb Schrum (one-year)	Barb Vovos

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Calendar for This Week April 21, - April 28, 2019

SUNDAY

7:00 a.m.

8:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m.

10:15 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

9:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Easter

Sunrise Service – Pastor Rich’s New Home

Easter Breakfast – Fellowship Hall

Worship – Sanctuary - Bells

Gathering/Fellowship Time

Sunday school – All ages

Child care provided

MONDAY

5:00 p.m.

Newsletter Articles are Due

Girl Scout Meeting - GP

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

3:30 p.m.

6:15 p.m.

6:30 p.m.

6:30 p.m.

7:30 p.m.

8:30 p.m.

Wednesday Club – GP

Confirmation

Youth 101

Bells

Choir

Praise Team Practice

THURSDAY

8:30 a.m.

12:00 p.m.

12:00 p.m.

5:30 p.m.

Flapjacks – Fellowship Hall

Oasis – Fellowship Hall

Pastor’s Prayer Group

Tiger Cub Scouts Meeting - GP

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

NEXT SUNDAY

8:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m.

10:15 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

6:00 p.m.

Confirmation Sunday

Confirmation Breakfast w/Session Members

Worship – Chancel Choir

Gathering/Fellowship Time

Sunday school – All Ages

Hymn Sing – w/Jenn Pedersen - Sanctuary