

Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church



**April 8, 2018
2nd Sunday of Easter**

The Order of Worship of God

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April 8, 2018 at 10:30AM



Prelude "Improvisation on 'Rejoice the Lord is King'" Callahan

* Call to Worship:

O sing to God a new song.

For God has done marvelous things.

Because of God's steadfast love to Israel,

All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.

For now Christ has risen from the dead!

Make a joyful noise unto God, all the earth.

Break forth into joyous songs and praises.

**For God will rule the earth with righteousness. Nothing in all creation
can separate us from the love of God in Jesus our risen Christ. Amen.**

* Processional Hymn "Crown Him with Many Crowns" UMH 327

First Lesson Acts of the Apostles 4: 32-35 Marv Jones

Epistle Lesson 1 John 1: 1-22 Marv Jones

* Prayer for the Day (Unison)

God of endless possibility, we confess that we do not always perceive the opportunities you place before us. Caught up in our own hopes, plans, and fantasies, and crushed when they disappoint us, we are slow to see the open pathways you set before us. Open our eyes that we may accept the new life you offer us, and thus show forth the resurrection of Jesus Christ. Amen.

One Minute Message Rev. Alan Williams

Anthem "Easter Canticle" Beck

Call to Prayer "I Need Thee Every Hour" UMH 397, v. 1

Prayers of the People
The Lord's Prayer

Prayer Response "You Are Here"

Hymn of Preparation	“He Lives”	UMH 310
* Gospel	John 20: 19-31	Rev. Terry Deane
Sermon	“Living in the Light of Resurrection”	Rev. Terry Deane
Invitation to Christian Discipleship		
Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts to God		
Offertory	“Meditation on ‘I Know That My Redeemer Liveth’”	Handel, arr. Young
* Doxology	“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”	UMH 95
* Prayer of Dedication		
*Hymn	“Christ Is Risen”	UMH 307
* Benediction		
* Choral Response	“Bless the Lord”	TFWS 2013 sing twice
* Postlude	“Postlude on <i>DARWELL’S 148th</i> ”	Callahan

Participating in Today’s Service

Lector: Marv Jones

Usher Coordinator: Jim Daniel, Jr.

Head Ushers: Lee Oxley, Frank Hanshaw

Ushers: Marv Jones, Bill Kosto, Selby Litton, Brad Leshner,
Charles Shelton, Scott & Jean Ramsey, Alan Simmons,
Tom Thompson, Charles & Gale Williams

Media: Andy Turnbull, Betsy Horton, Jennifer Gerst, Fred Herr

Altar Flowers: are in loving memory of F. Emerson Wood and in loving honor of B. J. Wood
by Dick and Betty Hannan.

Call to Worship and Prayer for the Day: *Bread for the Journey*, edited by Ruth C. Duck

Welcome!

Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church is a Reconciling Ministries Congregation that seeks to be welcoming and affirming to all people. We are excited to have you worshipping with us today, and love that you have chosen to be a part of the Johnson Memorial family, if only for today. **Welcome!**

Our Vision

The Vision of Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church is to be a covenant community, transformed by God's grace to share the love of Christ with the world.

Our Mission

The Mission of Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church is to bring others to Christ, embrace them with love, nurture everyone in faith, worship God joyfully, and reach out in service to the world.

Our Gifts & Presence for Week of April 1, 2018

Maundy Thursday - 36
Tenebrae - 90

Sunday School - 58
Morning Worship - 186

Offering	\$7,884.00
Sunday School Offering	60.00
Easter Offering	1,020.00
Misc. Income	100.00
"It's Time" Meal	180.00
Children's home of WV	128.00
<u>Easter Flowers</u>	<u>8.50</u>
TOTAL	\$9,380.50

Our Prayers

Virginia Ramsey
Lillian Byrd
Bruce Ratcliff
Jane Kincaid

Braxton Hammond
Sara Staats
Estelee Wyatt
Gil Ratcliff

Week of April 8, 2018

Today, April 8

9:30 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship

Monday, April 9

7:00 PM Boy Scouts
7:00 PM CMC meeting in classroom A

Tuesday, April 10

12:15 PM Chair Yoga
6:30 PM MAG Rehearsal
7:00 PM Great Decisions

Wednesday, April 11

7:00 PM Andrew's Brothers
5:15 PM "It's Time" Dinner
6:00 PM Devotion and painting time
6:00 PM Bell Choir Rehearsal
7:00 PM Sanctuary Choir rehearsal

Thursday, April 12

12:15 PM Chair Yoga
6:00 PM Common Grounds

Saturday April 14

7:30 AM Troop 20 Pancake Festival &
Surplus Sale in Fellowship Hall

Upcoming Special Events

For the next three weeks after the "It's Time" dinner there will be a chance for you to explore your creative side, discover hidden talents, and relax and enjoy the fellowship through a devotion and a coloring/painting time led by Pastor Terry. Children have always enjoyed coloring but recently it has been rediscovered as a wonderful way for adults to relax and get their creative juices flowing.

Sunday, April 22, directly following the morning worship service, the Youth will host a Lasagna Luncheon. It is a fund raiser to support the summer activities they have planned. Please mark your calendar and plan to join us for fun, fellowship, good food, and support for our growing youth program. Just think, you won't have to cook!

Back Pack Update

Since the schools were on Spring Break last week, there was no Back Pack activity. We will resume this week with Kay Lewis and Becky Sturm packing, and Jean and Scott Ramsey delivering. Next week Margaret and Steve Williams will pack and deliver. Thanks to all!

Join us for
Young @ Heart

Johnson Memorial UMC

513 10th Street

April 19, 2018

12:00 Noon



Gerald W. Sutphin
"World of The River"

\$8

Menu:

Call Scott for
reservations;
304-634-8536

Ham Loaf/ Horseradish Sauce
Baked Yams
Mixed Vegetables
Cofetti Coleslaw, Rolls
Carrot Cupcakes

Reminder

Annual Pancake



Festival



All the Pancakes you can eat
plus 2 sausage or bacon and a beverage

April 14, 2018
7:30 AM – 1:30 PM

At

Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church
Corner of 10th Street and 5th Ave

Sponsored by

Troop 20

Boy Scouts of America

Please Help the Boys in Troop 20 Earn Money To Go To Summer Camp and Purchase Equipment for the Troop.

Adults: \$5.00 Children under 12: \$3.00 Family: \$15.00

Carryout Available – Public Welcome

Tickets available from any Troop 20 scout or at the door.

We hope to see you there!

Also – Church & Office Surplus Sale in church Social Hall. (Eagle Project Fund Raiser)



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