

Prelude

2nd Sunday of Easter **April 23, 2017** 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

We Gather to Celebrate **New Life in Christ**



"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus" arr. Lloyd Larson

Service of Light Jesus said, "I am the Light of the World."

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Though darkness seems to envelop us,

Jesus breaks through with a word of peace.

Fears are banished!

Hope is more than restored.

Rejoice! The Lord is with us!

We rejoice in the peace and blessings he brings. AMEN.

(8:30) Opening Hymn UMH No. 310

"He Lives"

(11:00) Praise Songs

"Revelation Song", "Christ is Risen"

Opening Prayer

Greet One Another As Christ Has Greeted You

Good News for Children

"Jesus Wants Me for a Sunbeam"

(please sing as the Children come forward)

A sunbeam, a sunbeam - Jesus wants me for a sunbeam.

A sunbeam, a sunbeam - I'll be a sunbeam for Him.

Change Jar for Burlington United Methodist Family Services which provides foster care. adoption services, and residential group homes here in West Virginia (Children age $2 - 3^{rd}$ grade leave for COOL Kids)

Choir Anthem

"Because He Lives"

Gaither/arr. Jack Schrader

Joys, Concerns, and Prayers Our Lord's Prayer No. 895

Offering Back to God

Offertory

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

Gail Smith

Offertory Response

Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One, give thanks because he's given Jesus Christ his Son. And now let the weak say, "I am strong"; let the poor say, "I am rich because of what the Lord has done for us." Give thanks!

Scripture

John 20:19-31

Words to Live By

"Leave No Doubt Behind" Jeremy Daniels

(11:00) Confirmation and Baptisms UMH No. 33

Anna Caldwell Lillian Haught J.R. Newman

Alex Dorsey Olivia Haught Cameron McClanahan

Audrey Hall Reed Houston

Christopher Hall Katy Limanen

(8:30) Closing Hymn UMH No. 462

"'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus" "This is Amazing Grace"

(11:00) Praise Song

Service of Light

Jesus said, "You are the Light of the World."

"Let There Be Peace on Earth" Benediction

Postlude "Crown Him With Many Crowns" arr. Anna Laura Page

We Scatter to Witness and Serve, Using the Gifts God Gave Us

Remember in Your Thoughts and Prayers (as of 4/18/17)

Davis Antis, Debbie Bias, Joy Manson Browne, Catherine Clark, Rev. George Clay, Norma Cooper, Leigh Ann Cutlip, Evelyn Easter, Emma Louise Farrow, Carole Gatewood, Gertrude Graham, Edgar Grey (Joe Ann Gyke's brother), Arlene Hale, Dick Hinshaw, Phil Hyre, Nancy Jepson, Jack McGinnis, Wanda Mumford (Susan Caldwell's mother). Bob Neumeyer. Densil Neumeyer. Steve Neumeyer. Andrew Parks. Robbie Parsons, Douglas Robertson, Lynn Simmons, Keith Smith, Cathy Stevens, David Stull, Jean Sutherland, Jack Wilson, Construction safety & progress

Cleveland Clinic: Barry Whitten (A.C. & Kay Chapman's son)

Bellaire at Devonshire: Allen Harrah

Braley Care Home: Phyllis Blankenship (Bob Blankenship's mother)

Broadmore Assisted Living: Ruth Alford, Clarice Bayliss

Cabell Health Care: Rayman Herman

Genesis Putnam Center: David Conley (Penny Bailey's father), Betty McKnight

Midland Meadows: Della Patterson

Rolling Meadows Plc: Lynn O'Brien (Debbie Ayers' mother), Rev. Billy Reed Wickline

Our Service Personnel: Chris Brown, Kris Cutlip, Will Dempsey, Jason Ellis, Ty Foster, Elliott Giles (Steve & Rosemary Cook's son-in-law), Jon Hansen, Jacob Hudnall (Jeanie Jarvis' nephew), R. Travis Hughes (Leslie St. Clair's nephew), Donnie Jacobs, Aaron Lane, Mike McClure (Dwight & Becky Williams' son-in-law), Dane Meadows, Zach Meadows, Bobby Menear, Steven Miller II, Julian Skinner (Joe Ann Gyke's grandson), Jessica Varian, Cameron Wilkinson



Christian Community Cupboard: Please pick up Spaghetti and Spaghetti Sauce, Canned Fruits, Macaroni and Cheese, Hamburger Heart Helper, Pancake Mix, Syrup, and Oatmeal. Place donations in the cart in the Narthex. Volunteers are needed at the Cupboard on

Tuesdays and Fridays in May (Forrest Burdette's month to serve) and on the 3rd Saturday of each month, 9:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m. The sign up board for May is in the Narthex. A sign up sheet for Saturday volunteers is at the Connection Center.

BackPack Buddies: We provide breakfast, lunch, and snacks to 95 local school children each weekend and over the holiday breaks during the 2016-17 school year. Please add a few nonperishable food items to your grocery list so we can stock the shelves. Monetary donations are accepted. Food items and your clean, plastic grocery bags can be placed in the grey cart in the Narthex. The packing sign-up is located at the Connection Center. Thanks for being the hands and feet of Christ to these children!

National Day of Prayer, Putnam County Courthouse, Old Courthouse, Room 207, May 4, 10:30 a.m.—noon.

Habitat for Humanity Work Day: Saturday, May 6, 2017. We will depart from the church at 7:15 a.m. and work until approximately 3:00 p.m. Bring a brown bag lunch and drinks. There is a sign-up sheet at the Connection Center. Please also register online at HFHKP.org under volunteer, then May 6 Forrest Burdette UMC. For additional information, contact Ruel Elliott @ 304.757.7449 or Beth Krall @ 304.389.0052.

Summer Camp: Spring Heights is the camping and outdoor facility of the West Virginia Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church, located just north of Spencer. The summer 2017 camp schedule and registration form are available online at: www.springheights.org. Forrest Burdette will pay 1/2 of the camp fees.

One pound bags of pecans are available for \$10 per bag. Smaller bags of cinnamon pecans are also available, \$10. Contact the church office during the week if interested.

Online Giving: Did you realize that you can give online to the general, building, or any designated church fund, using your credit, debit, or bank account? Go to the church website forrestburdette.com, and follow the directions on the "Give Now" tab.

Get connected/Stay connected with Forrest Burdette:

- If you are a visitor today, please fill out a Pew Information Card and place it in the offering plate.
- Check out the website: www.forrestburdette.com
- Sign up for the weekly "E-Connection" and the "Visions" newsletter. Email office@forrestburdette.com
- Like our Facebook page: "Forrest Burdette United Methodist Church".

Table Talk Sunday School Class invites you to join us as we return to exploring the New Testament starting with The Gospel according to Matthew. The format is open discussion around the table. Table Talk was formed originally as an internal outreach for people who did not have a Sunday School Class and for those new to the church as a way to connect through discussion-based exploration of the bible. We are returning to those roots and invite others to join us. Questions? Contact Tony Anders at tandersr838@gmail.com or 304-993-3165.



Midland South District Youth Event: Forrest Burdette Memorial UMC Uth is hosting the first 2017 District Youth Event **THIS FRIDAY**, April 28. We will have a "Napoleon Dynamite Movie Night" complete with themed food, games, look-a-like contest, etc. This event begins at 7:00 p.m., downstairs; we will be kicking things off with youth from around the Midland South

Church League Softball begins soon. Coach J.B. Marinacci is looking for players. Give him a call or text 304-767-1172.

2017 College and High School Graduates: Please contact the church office with your name, school, and degree (or future school if in high school): 304-562-5903 or office@forrestburdette.com.

You are invited to a Baby Shower Tea Party for Meg Cunningham Barker (daughter of John & Debby Cunningham), Sunday, May 7, 2:00 p.m., at Forrest Burdette. The couple is registered at Target and Amazon. RSVP to Catherine Hansen (304-206-7067 or chansenslp@gmail.com).

Vacation Bible School volunteers are now being organized! We need morning (June 26-30, 9-11 a.m.) and evening (June 25-29, 6-8 p.m.) teams for the COM and Community sessions; sign up for the session that best fits your schedule, at the Connection Center or at the COOL Kids table in the Narthex.

April 26 is the last night of this session of small groups! Groups begin at 6:30 p.m.

- Chris Clark—Back to Basics IV—Eschatology
- Ellis & Julie Conley—The Shack (chapters 13-17)
- Debby Cunningham—God Heard Their Cry DVD study—Everyone is welcome!
- Ron Delph—Using Your Spiritual Gifts
- Don Gatewood—No class until May 17, "Daniel"
- Uth—Middle School (6-8th grades)
- COOL Kids—age 2 through 5th graders; nursery provided for under 2's

Wednesday fellowship dinner is served from 5:15-6:00 p.m. The menu for April 26 is baked steak, green beans, mashed potatoes, rolls, and desserts. Make your reservation today by signing up at the Connection Center, or call the church office at 304-562-5903 by noon on Monday, April 24. Cost is \$6 adults, \$5 children under 12. No family pays more than \$20.



Construction This week the construction team continued to work on electrical, plumbing, and the rubber roof. They are continuing to put up studs and starting to focus on the upstairs.

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April 16, 2017 Attendance Last Sunday: 8:30 a.m. Worship 270 Sunday School 130 11:00 a.m. Worship 338 Gifts Last Sunday: Weekly Budget Needed \$13,604 Deposits for Operating Budget \$17,509 Deposits for Building Fund \$5,132 Other Deposits \$1,590 Maundy Thursday Offering for C.O.M.E. \$553

Good Friday Offering for the Good Samaritan Fund

"I will support the church with my presence and gifts."

Sermon Notes

John 20:19-31 "Leave No Doubt Behind"

Assisting in Worship Today:

Praise Band: Jeremy Daniels, Jeff Elkins, Chad Halstead, Jayné Kirk, John Martin, Lauren Milton, Aaron Persinger, John Stewart, Rachel Ward Media Technician: J.D. Philyaw Sound Technician: (8:30): Jeff Harbour (11:00): Dan Kennedy Ushers: (8:30): Gary & Sam Robson, Joe Grady, John Simmons (11:00): Chris Clark, Christopher Clark, Virginia Clark, Jason Haught (11:00): Nita DeBord, Ruel & Patsy Elliott Acolytes:(8:30): Campbell Bartkowski, (11:00): Olivia Haught (11:00): Nita DeBord, Ruel & Patsy Elliott FB COOL Kiddies (Preschool): Rebecca Richmond FB COOL Kids (K-3):(8:30): Leslie St. Clair, (11:00): Beth Sauvageot Infant Nursery: (8:30 & 9:45): Torie Meadows (11:00): Torie Meadows, Erica Pomerov Parking Lot Greeter Team 4: Bryan Larch, Scott Ramey, Gary Newman, Brad Sergent

Birthdays:

- 4/20 Jay Tyler Holdren (omitted last week)
- 4/23 Jean Kirk, Zeke Perry, Lee Simmons
- 4/24 Linda Keener, Trey Smith
- 4/25 Harold Payne, Judy Smith
- 4/26 Sherman Burlingame, Spencer Davis, Oliver Johnson, Joe Kirk, Steve Neumeyer, Bree Ogle, Jennifer Stover
- 4/27 Barry Armstrong, Blake Brown, Chad Johnson, Jon McCoy
- 4/28 Deloris Arthur, Jonathan Edwards, Diana Harkins, Samuel Totten
- Jeannie Adams, Chesney Daugherty, Priscilla Deskins, Emma Ferguson, Taylor Hazelett, Emma Holley, Grace Holley, Brian McCann, Chris Meadows, Sam Robson, Linda Swan

Anniversaries:

4/28 Gay & Priscilla Deskins 4/28 Jeff & Natalie Elkins

Welcome to Forrest Burdette Memorial United Methodist Church!

- ... You may wish to take your birth to age 2 children into our nursery which is warm, nurturing, and well-supervised. The nursery is located off the narthex on the right. After "Good News for Children" age 3 to third graders may leave to attend "COOL Club"
- ... Take advantage of the sermon outline in the bulletin. You may find it easier to follow the sermon.
- ... Please keep cellular phones off during the service and set your beepers to nonaudible notification.
- ... As United Methodists, we celebrate "open Communion"; everyone is always welcome at the Lord's Table.
- ... Be sure to sign a pew card and check "first time" visitor.
- ... The restrooms are located to the right at entrance to Fellowship Hall and at the end of the ramp and to the left.
- ... Please do not bring coffee, tea, or soft drinks into the Sanctuary.
- ... At the close of worship, our tradition is to reach for your neighbor's hand as we sing together "Let There Be Peace on Earth".

THE MISSION OF FORREST BURDETTE U.M.C.

Minister to people where they are • Strengthen and empower disciples on the journey • Glorify God in all things

Sunday, April 23

8:30 A.M. Worship

9:45 A.M. Sunday School

11:00 A.M. Worship

2:00 P.M. District Lead Team Visitation -111

5:00 P.M. Hand Bells -Choir Rm

6:00 P.M. Men's Group –111

6:00 P.M. Worship -Chapel 6:30 P.M. High School Uth -Basement

Monday, April 24

9:30 A.M. Preventicare –FH

6:00 P.M. Emmaus Men's Group –111

6:00 P.M. Emmaus Women's Reunion -Little Narthex

6:30 P.M. COM Board Meeting –201

6:30 P.M. Boy Scouts 236 –VA House

7:00 P.M. Putnam Piece Makers –FH

7:00 P.M. Cub Scouts 236 –Basement /111 8:00 P.M. AA Meeting –308

Tuesday, April 25

9:30 A.M. Y.A.H. Quilters –111

10:00 A.M. Community Cupboard

4:00 P.M. Cupboard Board Mtg -111

6:30 P.M. Hooks & Needles –201 7:00 P.M. Civic Chorus –Sanctuary

Wednesday, April 26

9:30 A.M. Preventicare –FH

10:45 A.M. Midweek Bible Study –111

5:15 P.M. Fellowship Dinner –FH

6:30 P.M. Small Groups

Clark—308 Conley—Fellowship Hall

Cunningham—111

Delph—Choir Room

Gatewood—No Meeting

6:30 P.M. Middle School Uth -Basement

6:30 P.M. COOL Kids -Sanctuary/FH

7:30 P.M. Praise Band Practice -Sanctuary

Thursday, April 27

3-6:00 P.M. COM Parent/Teacher Conferences -201, 110, 111

7:00 P.M. Choir Practice – Sanctuary

Friday, April 28

9:30 A.M. Preventicare –FH

10:00 A.M. Community Cupboard

7:00 P.M. District Youth Event:

Napoleon Dynamite Movie

Night -Basement

Saturday, April 29

7:30 A.M. Emmaus Prayer Group -110 3:00 P.M. Baby Shower (T. Powers) -FH

Sunday, April 30

3rd Sunday of Easter

Native American Ministries Sunday

Luke 24:13-35

"When Jesus Drops In"

8:30 A.M. Worship

9:45 A.M. Sunday School

11:00 A.M. Worship

3:00 P.M. Midland District Conference

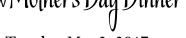
& COME (Celebration of Mission Event), -Morris Memorial UMC, 4615 MacCorkle

Ave SE, Charleston

5:00 P.M. Hand Bells -Choir Rm 6:00 P.M. Men's Group -111

6:00 P.M. Worship -Chapel

имw Mother's Day Dinner



Tuesday, May 2, 2017

Dinner served: 6:00 pm Forrest Burdette Fellowship Hall

Catered by Shonet's Country Café (Baked Steak/Chicken & Dumplings)

Madison Gospel Quartet, Entertainment

Tickets are available on Sundays in the Narthex or in the Church Office during the week.

• Adult: \$10 • Child 6-12: \$5

• Child 5 & under: free

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