Faith United Methodist Church April 23, 2017

The asterisk(*) indicates those times in worship when those who are able are invited to stand.

PRELUDE

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

We come to worship the risen Lord.

We see him with eyes of faith and believe in him with joyful hearts.

We come to celebrate the new life Christ brings.

Praise God who lifts up each of us in grace!

*HYMN "The Day of Resurrection" UMH 303

*OPENING PRAYER UMH 321

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH UMH 888

SHARING OF JOYS, CONCERNS and GOD MOMENTS

HYMN "He is Lord" UMH 177 Sing twice

SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

HYMN "Fairest Lord Jesus" UMH 189

SCRIPTURE LESSON John 20: 24-31

MESSAGE "Having the Faith to Wait"

THE RECEIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY UMH 95

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

O God, we stand before you as people of faith, investing our lives and treasures for the glory of your kingdom. Bless these gifts and those who have given them, in the name of Jesus, our risen Savior. Amen.

*HYMN "Up from the Grave He Arose" UMH 322

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Our mission: making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

CARE CENTER FUN

Please join the FUMC musicians as they perform at the SV Care Center/Assisted Living on Monday, April 24, 6:15 - 7:00 pm. You don't have to be a musician to come along and sing hymns. But for those who are musicians, please feel free to bring your instrument and/or voice.

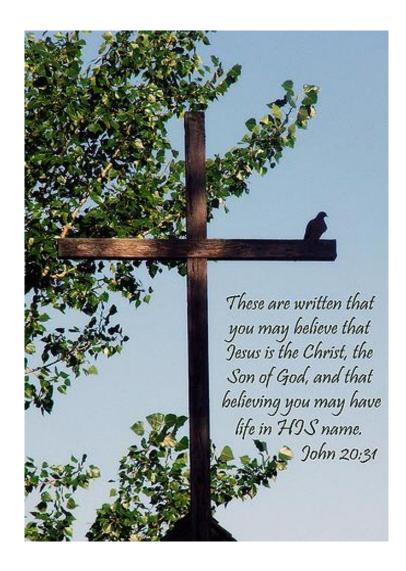
PRE-SUMMER FUN

Faith UMC is having a cookout - please join us for some presummer fun on Sunday, April 30th from 10:30-12:30 p.m. Serving grilled hamburgers, hotdogs and fixins, baked potato and fixins, salad, brownie ice cream sundaes, and beverages. The cost is \$8 for adults and \$4 for youth to go to apportionments.

FOUNTAIN CONCERT

5th Annual Cowboy Church Musicians Concert and Jam will be held on April 30th at 3 p.m. at the Fountain Community Center, sponsored by Fountain United Methodist Church. Featuring Country, Bluegrass and Gospel music. Freewill offering to be divided between church projects and a new Fountain Community Veterans Memorial. Refreshments will be sold by the Fountain UMC Women.

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER - The ecumenical National Day of Prayer service will be held on Thursday, May 4th at 7:00 p.m. Prior to the service, a lite dinner will be held beginning at 6:00 p.m. The service will focus around our nation's need for prayer (i.e. government, business, family, churches and the nation as a whole) intermixed with music. Everyone is welcome; bring a friend!



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