



United Methodist Church

Easter Sunday

March 31th 2024

Prelude **Ode to Joy** *Barbara Shaw*
 Welcoming the Holy Spirit *Acolyte(s)*
 Greeting and Welcome *Rev. Peter Freytag*

* Call to Worship

One: This is the day that the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it!
All: Hallelujah! We celebrate Good News, Our Lord Jesus Christ has Risen!
 One: He is Risen!
All: Risen indeed!
 One: Come, let us join in music, prayer and in scripture.
All: Let us join in worship celebrating Jesus Christ our Lord on this blessed Easter Morning.

* Hymn **Christ the Lord is Risen Today** *Hymnal #302*
(Verses 1-4)

Scripture **Acts 10:37-43** *Pew Bible N.T.#121-122*
 One: The Word of the Lord
All: Thanks Be to God

Special Music **Alleluia, Christ the Lord is Risen** *Ensemble*

Prayer Time – Sharing prayers of concern and celebration.

Unison Prayer

One: Lord God, hear our prayers;
All: Lord God, we give You thanks for Your unfailing attention to our needs and our concerns. We know that You have heard our prayers raised aloud as well as the private prayers from close to our hearts.
 One: Lord, we humbly ask that You hear now Your people gathered in worship.
All: Hear Your people giving thanks for all that we receive from You each minute.
 One: Guide us and inspire us, Lord.
All: Show us the work You have called us to. Guide us to be faithful. Guide us to love. Amen.

Silent Prayer and Meditation

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (unison) *Hymnal #270*

Noisy Sunday Offering

Offertory **I Know That My Redeemer Lives** *Barbara Shaw*

* Scripture **Mark 16:1-8** *Pew Bible N.T.#51*
 One: The Word of the Lord
All: Thanks Be to God

* Hymn **Thankful** *VBS Video*

Sermon **Noisy Sunday** *Rev. Peter Freytag*

* Hymn **Great is the Lord** *FWS #2022*

Benediction **Go Now in Peace** *Congregation*

* Please stand if you are able

This Week's Calendar:

Office Hours:

Monday – Tuesday: Office open 9:00 a.m. – Noon

Wednesday – Office Closed

Thursday - Friday: Office open 9:00 a.m. – Noon

Next Sunday, April 7, 2024

11:00 a.m.: English Worship Service - Holy Communion

Vacation Bible School:

VBS this year will be June 17-21 from 9:00 am - 12:00pm.

This year's theme is **Scuba!** Donate materials for Vacation Bible School, the link below will take you to the Gift Registry. Thank you!
Stephanie

<https://giftregistry.group.com/?mrsearch=&mrrid=4167471>

Women of Faith:

Supports Aurora Interfaith Community Services by making up bags of personal items. Although AICS is a food bank these items are not generally donated.

Items needed: Gallon Ziplock bags, toothpaste, toothbrush, combs, body lotion, deodorant, shampoo, conditioner, soap, razors, toilet paper, small tissue packets, lip balm, medium/large prescription bottles (breakdown large bottles of shampoo, conditioner and lotion).

Prayers in our Church Family:

- Brothers and sisters in war torn locations.
- Men and women serving their country
- Wayne's friend Ben passed away
- All who need prayer.

Senior Pastor: *Peter Freytag*

Office Manager: *Paea Kelemeni*

Lay Leader: *Mark Dockter*

Ad Council Chair: *Mike Sumrall*

Accompanist: *Barbara Shaw*

Tongan Pastor: *Atonio Toluta'u*

Christian Ed: *Stephanie Iverson*

Tongan Lay Leader: *Ngalu Kelemeni*

Lay Delegate: *Melba Taylor*

Liturgist: *Debbie Burns*

Live Streaming worship link: www.burnsmethodist.org

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