



United Methodist Church
Fourth Sunday in Easter
April 21st, 2024

Prelude **Behold the Lamb** *Barbara Shaw*

Welcoming the Holy Spirit *Acolyte(s)*

Greeting and Welcome *Rev. Peter Freytag*

*** Call to Worship**

One: Come children of God, let us join together as a family,
as Christ's family.

All: Come, Lord, join us this morning.

One: Lord, give us passion to be Your people.

**All: Lord, we come here to worship,
we come here to pray,
we come here to listen,
we come here to be challenged,
and we come to challenge one another.**

One: In steadfast love and faithfulness God has done marvelous things.

All: Lord, help us grow to be followers of Jesus Christ.

* Hymn **Every Time I Feel the Spirit** *Hymnal #404*

Scripture **Psalm 23** *Pew Bible O.T.#474-475*

One: The Word of the Lord

All: Thanks Be to God

Prayer Time – Sharing prayers of concern and celebration.

Unison Prayer

One: Lord God, hear our prayers.

**All: Guide us, O God,
Make us like trees,
planted by flowing streams of living water,
absorbing Your testimony,
living by Your truth.
Grant us now Your word and Your love,
that we may be Your faithful children,
Through Christ. Amen.**

Silent Prayer and Meditation

Pastoral Prayer

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

Offertory **Peace In The Midst Of The Storm** *Barbara Shaw*

* Scripture **John 10:11-18** *Pew Bible N.T.#97-98*

One: The Word of the Lord

All: Thanks Be to God

* Hymn **Guide Me, O Great Jehovah** *VBS Video*

Sermon **Sheep Hunt** *Rev. Peter Freytag*

* Hymn **Because He Lives** *Hymnal #364*

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 28, 2024

11:00 a.m.: English Worship Service

12:30 p.m.: Tongan Worship Service

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:

- Annie Crowder skin condition.
- Deb Gunther and family mourning the loss of her sister Kay Snow.
- Joe B. brother's young son Ryan with leukemia.
- Barb Stevens in hospital
- Carol D.'s brother Richard who fell and sister Jean with a broken hip.
- Brothers and sisters in war torn locations.
- Men and women serving and have served their country.

Live Streaming worship link: www.burnsmethodist.org

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The Good Shepherd

Cover: "The Good Shepherd" mosaic, 5th century
Mausoleum of Galla Placidia, Ravenna, Italy

Senior Pastor: *Peter Freytag*
Office Manager: *Paea Kelemen*
Lay Leader: *Mark Dockter*
Ad Council Chair: *Mike Sumrall*
Accompanist: *Barbara Shaw*

Tongan Pastor: *Atonio Toluta'u*
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Tongan Lay Leader: *Ngalu Kelemen*
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