

April 5, 2015



THE RESURRECTION

Mission Statement:

Tipton First United Methodist Church

“To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.”

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

10:30 am Service

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Paul E. Frederiksen - Pastor

Greg Brown - Director of Xn Chaos

Karis Horstmann - Administrative Ministries Coordinator

Don Griffith - Custodian

Alice Ann Gallagher - Chancel Choir Director

Denise Cartwright - Choir Kids Director

Sylvia Gould - Accompanist

Jamie Bahr - Xn Chaos Keyboard

Dee Wallace - Choir Kids Accompanist

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Chapter 27 of THE STORY

10:30 A.M.

“The Resurrection”

Welcome Sisters and Brothers in Christ; friends, neighbors and strangers to worship the God of Incarnation! All worshippers are invited to record your name on the insert. Also read, pray and respond to the ministry opportunities on the back. Use this insert as one of your offerings.

*Children are welcome in worship but we do offer a **Staffed Nursery** during worship for pre-school children. There are children’s activity bags at the back of the sanctuary on the coat tree, and children’s bulletins on the table.*

The () invites persons to rise as able for this act of worship.*

Numbers in the 2,000’s are in the small, black song book - The Faith We Sing, Otherwise numbers are from The Hymnal, the red, hardbound song book. (CCLI License# 3112810)

PRELUDE

Lighting of the Candles

Ringling of the Bell

HYMN

“Were You There”

(vss. 4 & 5) No. 288

LIGHT in the DARKNESS

John 20:1-18

INTROIT

“Alleluia”

Chancel Choir

TRUMPET FANFARE

“An Easter Fanfare”

* Singing Together

“Christ the Lord Is Risen Today”

(vss. 1-4) No. 302

* PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

(Written by Dusty Johnson)

Forgiving God,

we forget the transforming power of the resurrection.

Forgive our complacencies;

Forgive our obsession with the commercialization

that minimizes your awesome plan for salvation.

We desire to live a life that is worthy of Christ’s sacrifice. Amen.

* According to the Early Scribes

L: This is the Word of our Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

A Time for YOUNG DISCIPLES

Pastor Paul

(Pocket change collected in the copper kettles each week is given to missions.)

ACT OF PRAISE

“Hymn of Gladness”

Chancel Choir

MESSAGE

“Some Things Are Too Big to Talk About”

Mark 16:1-8

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

“Setting A” Hymnal p.17

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.

In the name of Christ, all persons are invited to participate in the meal! If you’re not able to come forward, please ask a person near you to inform the servers; or a neighbor can bring bread and a cup to you. Please bring your offering with you when you come, and place it in the plate, located on the outside end of the front pew.

As the serving begins, the chancel Choir will sing “Time Now to Gather.”

* PRAYER OF COMMITMENT (unison)

Holy God, we do not doubt that Jesus, the Messiah, lives again. Yet, even this day, our thoughts are cluttered with finite, insignificant activities and agendas. Fill us and focus of your abundance that we might ward off the temptations of scarcity. As we have received abundant grace at this your Table, may we be encouraged to live, sharing grace abundantly. Amen.

* THE BLESSING & DISMISSAL

L: We are

P: EASTER PEOPLE!

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L: Go, Easter People. Make a difference in the world – for Christ’s sake.

* SONG

“Thine Be the Glory”

No. 308

ANNOUNCEMENTS: How We’ll Each Put Hands & Feet To The Gospel This Week

Always use a microphone so everyone may be included. Thank you.

* POSTLUDE

Today's Sunday Servants:

Liturgist: Kris Clark; Acolytes: Volunteers; Power Point: Brian Heil Create & Run: Nursery: Bob Young 10:30; Ushers: Bob & Barb Rickard, Max & Judy Keller: Fellowship Coffee: None: Greeters: Bob & Becky Young: Children's Lesson: Pastor Paul

April 12 Sunday Servants:

Liturgists: Barb Rickard: Acolytes: Kayla & Mack Walter: Power Point: Melinda Stonebraker Create & Run: Nursery: Jennifer & Zoe Comstock; Ushers: Bob & Barb Rickard, Max & Judy Keller: Fellowship Coffee: Bob & Barb Rickard, Larry & Berrie Glick, Bob & Becky Young; Greeters: Wally & Judy Reidel; Children's Lesson: Dusty Johnson

PRAYERS

Hospitalized/Procedures:

Keith Wood @ St. Luke's

Jerry Gallagher @ UIHC

Erica Shumaker @ UIHC

Healing: Phyllis Behrens, Wanda Berner, Joe Cheshareck (G.Fleming's bro-in-law,) Darlene (Marjorie Stonerook's sister), Jerry Ferguson, Berrie Glick, Jean Heil (Brian's mom), Arlene Hein, Rex Idlewine, Calvin Kuehl, Ted Licht, Erma Lyle, Kiaya Rickard-Urban, Jim Shontz, Ray Steinberg, Gary Taylor, Carolyn Wiggins (S. Gould's sis), Mindy Salmonson and others under care or treatment.

Prayers for those in Life Transitions:

Bobbi Lieser's family on the death of her grandmother, Fern Stubbs. Funeral was Tuesday.

Griffin Tauke & family; his teacher Carrie Glick and 2nd grade classmates as Griffin deals with terminal cancer

Persons/people persecuted for religious convictions

Persons uprooted due to "natural" and/or "human" disaster; and those who are called to help.

Families struggling with the impact of drug and alcohol abuse or other addiction.

Couples/Families searching for the way forward.

Persons & families of incarceration;

Persons in employment limbo;

In Treatment: Wally Reidel, Barb Knack (B. Cummin's sis), Melissa Bliss (wife of D. Cartwright's nephew),

Hospice/Palliative Care: Esther Burns (Patti Seydel's mom), Wayne Eisele (Mike's father, in W'loo), Elmer Flory, Mabel Lamp, Henry Wiskus,

Armed Services: Thomas Brown (Seydel's son-in-law), Sean Hannes, Kyle Marchik, Corey Ormsby

Attendance: Worship - 176; Sunday School - 87. General Fund \$2071.24, Apportionments \$10.00, Shared Blessings \$7.00, Youth Event \$13.00, Easter Pool \$920.00, Copper Kettle \$55.83, Grand Total \$3,077.07

This Week:

Sun. 4/5: Easter Sunday 7:00am Sunrise Easter Service, 7:45 Easter Breakfast, 9:00am Sunday School (All Ages), 10:30 Worship, 3:00pm Cedar Manor Service

Wed 4/8: 10:00am Pastor @ Bible Study, 1:30pm Bible Study (WR) 6:00pm G.I.G. (Johnson's), 6:00pm G.I.G (WR), 7:00pm Leadership Council

Thurs 4/9: 9:30 am Communion @ Cedar Manor, 10:00am G.I.G. (Rm 113), 10:00am Senior Park Program, 12:00pm Pastor @ TMA, 6:30pm XnChaos

Sat 4/11: 11:00am Shared Blessings Meal

Sun 4/12: 8:30am Choir Kids (Sanctuary), 9:00am Sunday School (All Ages), 10:30am Worship, 2:30 KFC (DR), 6:00pm Dominoes (DR)