

Fourth Sunday of Easter

May 12, 2019

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONGREGATIONAL CONCERNS AND THANKSGIVINGS

PRELUDE

OPENING PRAYER AND LORD’S PRAYER Rev. Powers and Congregation

CALL TO WORSHIPPastor and Congregation

PASTOR: I will praise you my God and King and bless your name for ever and ever.

PEOPLE: Everyday I will bless you and praise your name for ever and ever.

PASTOR: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised; his greatness is unsearchable.

PEOPLE: The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

PASTOR: All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord, and all your faithful shall bless you.

ALL: My mouth will speak the praise of the Lord, and all flesh will bless his holy name for ever and ever.

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP ... “How Majestic Is Your Name”326

SCRIPTURE LESSON ... Acts 13:1-3Reggie Jackson
Now in the church at Antioch there were prophets and teachers: Barnabas, Simeon, Lucius of Cyrene, Manaen a member of the court of Herod the ruler, and Saul. ²While they were worshiping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, “Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them.” ³Then after fasting and praying they laid their hands on them and sent them off.

HYMN ... “Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens, Adore Him”335

CHILDREN’S MESSAGERebecca Blake

PRAYER OF CONFESSION... from Psalm 51Pastor and Congregation

Have mercy on us, O God, according to your steadfast love;
according to your abundant mercy, blot out our transgressions.
Wash us thoroughly from our iniquity, and cleanse us from our sin.
For we know our transgressions, and our sin is ever before us.
Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us.
Restore to us the joy of your salvation. Amen

Hear the Good News, in the name of Jesus, you are forgiven.
In the name of Jesus, you are forgiven.

MORNING PRAYER.....Pastor

OFFERTORY HYMN... “To God Be the Glory” ... vs. 1 and 3349

OFFERTORY PRAYER.....Usher

OFFERTORY

SCRIPTURE ... Acts 14:8-18.....Molly Abbott

⁸ In Lystra there was a man sitting who could not use his feet and had never walked, for he had been crippled from birth. ⁹ He listened to Paul as he was speaking. And Paul, looking at him intently and seeing that he had faith to be healed, ¹⁰ said in a loud voice, “Stand upright on your feet.” And the man sprang up and began to walk. ¹¹ When the crowds saw what Paul had done, they shouted in the Lycaonian language, “The gods have come down to us in human form!” ¹² Barnabas they called Zeus, and Paul they called Hermes, because he was the chief speaker. ¹³ The priest of Zeus, whose temple was just outside the city, brought oxen and garlands to the gates; he and the crowds wanted to offer sacrifice. ¹⁴ When the apostles Barnabas and Paul heard of it, they tore their clothes and rushed out into the crowd, shouting, ¹⁵ “Friends, why are you doing this? We are mortals just like you, and we bring you good news, that you should turn from these worthless things to the living God, who made the heaven and the earth and the sea and all that is in them. ¹⁶ In past generations he allowed all the nations to follow their own ways; ¹⁷ yet he has not left himself without a witness in doing good—giving you rains from heaven and fruitful seasons, and filling you with food and your hearts with joy.” ¹⁸ Even with these words, they scarcely restrained the crowds from offering sacrifice to them.

ANTHEM ... “Solid Rock Medley”Choir

SERMON.....Pastor

CLOSING HYMN... “Open My Eyes, That I May See” ... vs. 1 and 3395

BENEDICTIONPastor

SHARING LOVE AND PEACE

POSTLUDE

CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY

6:00 p.m. Supper ... **Italian Night**
6:45 p.m. Bible Study, Children and Youth Activities
7:30 p.m.Finance Meeting

THURSDAY

11:00 a.m. Community Meal

FRIDAY

6:00 p.m. **Operation Inasmuch Dinner** ... please bring a side or a dessert

SATURDAY

8:00 a.m. OPERATION INASMUCH!

USHERS

TODAY Dwight Saunders’ Team
NEXT SUNDAY Nancy Ruppert’s Team

CHILDREN’S CHURCH

TODAY Angel, Courtney Robinson and Alisa Beard
NEXT SUNDAY Nichole, Walker Smith and Sylvia McAlister

PRAYER LIST

<i>Church family:</i> Wayne Abbott, Eddie and Sharon Reynolds, Katelyn Reynolds, Linda McNeill, Karen Dailey, Barbara Lynthacum, Florence Cagle, Thelma Hussey, Ernest Dailey, Janet Maness			Mary James	Benny McBride	friend
				Bob Moore	nephew
				Pam, Ken Morgan	niece, nephew
			Candy/Rodney Loflin	Don Britt	nephew
				John Covington	brother
				Curtis Holt	friend
				Wesley Culler	friend
				Lois Loflin	mother
			Max/Jane Luquire	Jo Brooks	friend
			Barbara Lynthacum	J.D. Thompson	nephew
				Melissa Green	daughter
			Jean Maness	Carol Luther	friend
			Sylvia McAlister	Tammy Parker	friend
			Pat/Bob Morgan	Jesse Wallace	friend
			Nancy Ruppert	Marie Spoon	sister
			Barbara Smith	Laura Wilson	friend
				Doris Hinson	friend
			Angie McCaskill ... wife of Don McCaskill		
			<i>Service Personnel:</i> Seth Spivey, Chris Stuart		
<i>At Home:</i> Helen Greene, Irene Warner					
<i>Friends and Relatives of:</i>					
Molly/Wayne Abbott	Monnie Jenkins	friend			
	Tony Lawson	friend			
	Toni Atchison	sister			
	Tammy Laprade	sister			
Sheila Capel	Ada Capel	mother			
Jane Covington	Faye Thomas	sister			
	Pete Thomas	brother-in-law			
	Lee Kasik	grandson-in-law			
Ernest , Karen Dailey	Judy and Estella	daughters			
Mildred Grey	Ernestine Stevenson	friend			
Ray, Frances Hudson		daughter			
Thelma Hussey	Harold Johnson	brother			
	Mildred Hunsucker	friend			

FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekly budget needs ...	\$2,398.00	Monthly budget needs	\$10,393.00
Last week’s offering	\$2,391.00	April offering	\$ 7, 383.00