

SAINT PAUL'S

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



April 5, 2026
Easter Sunday
8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

Order of Worship: Sunday, April 5, 2026

8:30 & 11:00 a.m. Services of Worship

Easter Sunday

*stand as you are able

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. MaryAnn Piccioni, Associate Pastor

Prelude

Now the Green Blade Riseth

arr. K. McChesney

Handbell Choir

***Call to Worship**

Gary Eggebraaten & People

Christ is risen!

He is risen indeed!

Sing for joy, O heavens, and exult, O earth; break forth, O mountains, into singing!

**For the Lord has comforted his people,
and will have compassion on his suffering ones**

Jesus said, "I am the resurrection and the life.

**Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live,
and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die."**

"Death has been swallowed up in victory."

***Processional Hymn**

Christ the Lord is Risen Today

UMH 302, vs 1-4

Lighting of the Candles

Acolytes

***Affirmation of Faith**

The Nicene Creed

UMH 880

Response

Glory Be to the Father

UMH 70

***Passing of the Peace**

(Please join in singing *He Is Lord*, UMH 177 as you return to your seat.)

Pastoral Prayer / The Lord's Prayer

Rev. Piccioni

Anthem (11:00)

Praise the Living King

L. Larson

Covenant Chancel Choir

Children's Chat

Rev. Piccioni

The Offering

Offering Prayer

Rev. Carolyn Williamson, Senior Pastor

Offertory

You Are!

A. Simon/M. McDonald

Se'lah

***Doxology**

UMH 94, *LASST UNS ERFREUEN*

Scripture

Luke 24:1-12

Gary Eggebraaten

Sermon

Rev. Carolyn Williamson

***Closing Hymn**

He Lives

UMH 310

***Sending Forth**

Rev. Williamson

Postlude

Lift High the Cross

arr. J. Shackley

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Unless otherwise noted, all music is shared with us through the talents of Gaye Herndon, and the choir's gifts under the direction of Cynthia Prescott.

Flowers On The Altar

The flowers on the altar today are given by
Jim and Elaine McConnaughay, to the glory of God and
in celebration of our community of faith at Saint Paul's.

ATTENDANCE PADS

In each pew you will find a black folder containing a sign-in. We would love for you to let us know you are here. You can also share your contact information, request info on various ministries, sign up for Wednesday night dinner or request a name tag.

Thank you for joining us in worship today! This QR code will take you to our webpage, where you may subscribe to our WEEKLY NOTES and give safely and securely online to support the ministries of Saint Paul's UMC.



THIS WEEK AT SAINT PAUL'S

Sunday, April 5 - Easter Sunday

Easter Sunrise Service, 7:00 a.m., Scout House Parking Lot
Worship, 8:30 & 11:00 a.m., Sanctuary
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.

Monday, April 6 - Chair Yoga Class, 11:00 a.m., Sanders Hall

Daisy Scouts, 6:00 p.m., Room 301

Tuesday, April 7 - Men's Reading Community, 8:30 a.m., Ology Northside

Alzheimer's Support Group, 11:00 a.m., Parlor
Girl Scout Troop 67, 6:00 p.m., Parlor
Covenant Chancel Choir, 6:15 p.m., Choir Room
Missions Lay Team Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Room 327
Selah, 7:30 p.m., Choir Room

Wednesday, April 8 - Prayer Meeting, 8:00 a.m., Zoom

PreSchool Music, 5:10 p.m., Room 200
Wednesday Night Dinner (Hot Subs), 5:15 p.m., Sanders Hall
Kids@Art, 6:00 p.m., Room 200
Contemplative Prayer Class, 6:00 p.m., Room 301
Wednesday Night Youth Rooted, 6:00 p.m., Parlor
Youth Choir, 7:00 p.m., Room 200

Thursday, April 9 - Alzheimer's Early Stage Support Group, 10:00 a.m., Rm 327

Yoga Class, 11:00 a.m., Sanders Hall

Friday, April 10 - Alzheimer's Respite, 9:00 a.m., Parlor

Saturday, April 11 - Church-Wide Dance, 6:00 p.m., Sanders Hall

Sunday, April 12 - Creation Care Sunday

Worship, 8:30 & 11:00 a.m., Sanctuary
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Starting Point Class, 9:45 a.m., Side Narthex
VBS Volunteer Pot Luck, 12:15 p.m., Parlor
Confirmation Class, 5:00 p.m., Parlor
Handbell Choir, 5:45 p.m., Sanctuary
Contemporary Worship, 6:00 p.m., Sanders Hall

LARGE PRINT HYMNALS

Large print hymnals are available to those who would like to use them during worship. Please ask an usher.

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