

Sunday, April 2, 2023

VISITOR INFORMATION

List the names of all those with you today (please list children's ages):

Address: _____

Best Phone: _____

Email: _____

I / We...

- First-time visitor
- Regularly attending
- Visiting Family / Friends
- Would like more information
- Request email Newsletter
- Interested in membership

Do **NOT** detach separately from this tear-off

MEMBER ATTENDANCE

Please list the name of all members in attendance:

Please contact the church office with all changes to contact information. (ie—phone, email, address)



April 2 - April 9

Sunday - Palm Sunday

- 9:30 AM Sunday School
- 10:00 AM Chancel Choir
- 10:45 AM Worship Service
- 5:00 PM First Youth

Monday

- Noon - 1PM Prayer & Lunch
- 6:00 PM The Chosen Study

Wednesday

- 5:00 PM Confirmation Class
- 5:30 PM Easter Egg Hunt & Hotdog Dinner
- 6:00 PM Chancel Choir
- 7:15 PM String Band

Thursday

- 6:00 PM Maundy Service

Sunday - Easter Sunday

- 7:30 AM Sunrise Service
- 10:45 AM Easter Worship Service

PRAYER REQUEST

SHORT TERM PRAYER

- The family of Charlotte Leach
- Rachel David
- Donna Jones
- Ruth Miller
- Cathy Smith
- Kenneth Hogue
- Will Hyberger
- Jill Ingram
- Sarah McLeod
- Steve Medley
- Eleanor Perkinson
- Tom Phillips

LONG TERM PRAYER

- Mary Helen Allen
- Patsy Barger
- The Boyd Family
- Margaret Dill
- Pat Dodd
- Darlene Gordon
- Sean Hale
- Ollie Hall
- Chaplain Norma Hill
- Jean Henderson
- Charlton Hedgcock
- Maureen Holden
- Carolyn Rogers
- Elizabeth Samuel
- Rick Scoggins
- Charlotte Shaver
- Bob Sneed
- Tom Southard
- Mildred Sparkman
- Stuart Switzer
- Janice Tate
- Joyce Wadkins
- Betty Watt
- Olivia Weatherford
- Jackson Yarber



As of 3/30/2023:

Receipts to Date \$115,004.28

Place your Tithes and Offerings in the collection plate on Sunday mornings

OR

Mail them to the church.

ATTENDANCE

		<u>In-Person</u>	<u>Online</u>	<u>Children</u>	<u>Youth</u>
3/19/2023	AM	178	31	15	--
	PM	--	--	--	16
3/22/2023	PM	--	--	20	13

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April 2, 2023 Palm Sunday

Gathering and Announcements

Special Music

Jesus In the Morning
He's Got the Whole World in His Hands
 Angel Choir, directed by Emma Ratcliff

Palm Parade

The Palms Jean-Baptiste Faure

Call to Worship

Hallelujah, Sing Hosanna! Glen Eernisse
 Joyful Noise Kids Choir

***Hymn of Praise**

Hosanna, Loud Hosannas UMH 278

***Affirmation of Faith**

"The Apostles' Creed" UMH 881

Old Testament Lesson

Zechariah 9:9

Prayer

Rev. Curtis McKee

Offertory

Jerusalem, Behold Your King Angerman, Barrett, and Adams

New Testament Lesson

Mark 11:1-10

Message

An Incredible Ride Rev. Curtis McKee

Invitation to Holy Communion

Communion Anthem *Thank You Jesus for the Blood Applied* Charity Gale

***Hymn**

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross UMH 298

Benediction

Rev. Curtis McKee

Benediction Response

Postlude

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

First United Methodist Church



4/3-4/7 **Passion Week Pause:**
Devotion, Prayer & light lunch
Noon-1pm Commons
4/6 - **Maundy Service** 6:00pm
4/9 - **Sunrise Service** 7:30am
Easter Worship 10:45am

The April 6th **Gadabouts** meeting will be joining with the Passion Week Pause Devotion, Prayer, and Light Lunch. Meet in the Commons at noon. Sue Ledford will be leading devotions. All are invited.



Easter Egg Hunt for kids 5th grade and under.
April 5th 5:30pm- 7:30pm
Hotdog dinner for the whole family, petting zoo, bounce house, games, and lots of fun!



SEASON 2
8-week
Bible Study

The Chosen Season 2
8-week Bible Study
Mondays
6:00-7:30pm
See Donna McKee for questions.

Easter Flower Cross - Fresh-cut or store bought flowers can be brought to the church on Friday 4/7 from 9am-noon; please place them in the white buckets in the refrigerator. Flowers can also be brought in on Easter Sunday at 9am. You can help decorate the Flower Cross on Easter Sunday from 9am-10:15am.



Volunteers Needed on Sunday mornings, Sunday nights, & Wednesday nights.
Scan the QR code or talk to Albion TODAY!

AN INCREDIBLE RIDE...

Zechariah 9:9 Mark 11:1-10

Saddle Up...Riding is fun...A King on a Donkey?
Zechariah's prophecy: The King-Comes in Righteousness,
Victorious...Lowly, on a Donkey.

Jesus' Incredible Ride...From Heaven...To Become a Human Fetus then a Baby Boy, then a Man...Imagine that.

That Glorious Day...Triumphal Entry...

-The Triumph would not be as expected.
The anticipation was of an earthly king.

-The "King" would resemble a Servant rather than Royalty.
"To seek and to save the lost," was his mission.

-The Ride would end at the Place of the Skull. (Golgotha)
There will always be those who wish to Destroy
the Gospel Message.

What we Learn from this Scene:

- The World always takes you for a Ride.
- To "Ride" with Jesus is not always what's expected.
- The Path through Death, Leads to Life.

His Incredible "Ride" has made a way
for us to have a Free Ride!

Remember In Prayer...

Please List:

Name: _____

Reason: _____

circle one

- Prayer List **Long-term / Short-term**
- Prayer Chain
- Both
- Neither

Person Making the Request:

Short-term requests are only
posted for two weeks.

NOTIFY THE CHURCH OFFICE TO ADD OR
REMOVE NAMES FROM
THE PRAYER LIST.

Wednesday Night Dinner

A free hotdog dinner
for the whole family
will be served on
Wednesday,
April 5th at 5:30pm.

Stick around for the
Easter Egg Hunt and
festivities!

