

THE CHURCH IN WORSHIP AND CELEBRATION
Second Sunday of Easter

April 16, 2023

10:50 A.M.

Please place all cell-phones on silent or vibration mode.

THE CHIMES		Terry Hailey
ANNOUNCEMENTS		
WELCOME		Rev. Roger Shock
PRELUDE		Terry Hailey
LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES FOR WORSHIP		Acolyte
CALL TO WORSHIP	<i>"Christ Is Alive"</i>	Sanctuary Choir
OPENING WORDS		Rev. Roger Shock
	May the Holy Spirit breathe on you. <i>And also on you.</i>	
PSALM OF THE DAY	Psalm 16: 1-2	Mimi Jenkins
*HYMN	<i>"Lift High the Cross"</i>	MH #159
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH		
*GLORIA PATRI		MH# 70
CHILDREN'S TIME		Laura Oliver
SPECIAL MUSIC	<i>"We Are Twelve Disciples"</i>	Children's Choir
MORNING PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER		Rev. Roger Shock
*HYMN	<i>"Because He Lives"</i>	MH# 364

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory	<i>"All Hail The Power Of Jesus' Name"</i>	Norma Adams
Prayer		Rev. Roger Shock
*Doxology		MH# 95

*SCRIPTURE	John 14: 12-14	Rev. Roger Shock
SPECIAL MUSIC	<i>"God Paints The World With Love"</i>	Linda Harrelson
MESSAGE		Rev. Roger Shock
*HYMN	<i>"Jesus Shall Reign"</i>	MH# 157
*CARRYING GOD'S LIGHT INTO THE WORLD		Acolyte
*BENEDICTION		Rev. Roger Shock
POSTLUDE		Terry Hailey

**All who are able, please stand.*

Altar flowers are given today to the Glory of God and in Loving Honor of our children, Leigh and Bryan, our grandchildren, Sarah, Brad, and Kate, and in Loving Memory of Dave Schlager by Carolyn and Ron Bloebaum.

Pedestal flowers are given today to the Glory of God and in Loving Honor of Pat Wade by Gail Latimer

Some of the flowers in the arrangements today are lovingly donated to the Glory of God and in honor of the marriage of Chelsea and Beau Rogers by Jane and John Hale.

Our nursery is available for your use today serving children ages 4 and younger. Please take your children to our well-trained, fully staffed nursery. If you need assistance in locating the nursery, please speak with one of our ushers or greeters who will be happy to guide you there.

THOSE REQUESTING THE PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Ada Reed Rogers	Pat Wheeler
Anna Oliver	Ron Bloebaum
Edie Tanner	Skipper White
Sadie Bell	William T. Townes
Bill Barkley	Evan Smith
Roberta Hart	Al Childrey
Elizabeth Kendall	Larry Vernon
Grant Everage	Clay Hewett (<i>Linnie Frazier's brother</i>)
Hailey Jackson	Carla Cruce (<i>Bryant Cruce's mother</i>)
Hunter Winstead (<i>Pat Capps' grandson</i>)	Vivian Whitehead
Chuck Calhoun (<i>Pat Capps' brother</i>)	Ginger Odle
Beverly Carman (<i>Terry Caudle's cousin</i>)	Our Nation and World
Swanee Rice	Our Church Family and Our Youth
Jerry Wiggins	

Prayer is so important, and we welcome names of those you feel require extra prayer. Please let the church office know if someone needs to be added to our prayer list. We are doing our best to keep the list current and updated, so some names have rotated off. If a name has been inadvertently left off and needs to be added back to the list, please let the office know.

HOSPITALIZED, AT HOME, OR IN REHAB/NURSING FACILITIES

Home: Jim Suter, Rick Smith, Suzy Freeman
Etheridge House: no one at time of printing
Magnolia Place: Lenora Stephenson
OC Nursing Home: Janice Diane Stephens
UC Manor: Roberta Hart, Hal Jernigan

THOSE WHO GRIEVE

The family of Beverly Terrell

OUR MILITARY

Thomas Smith - Fort Huachuca, Arizona
Capt. Ian Garrigan, MD – Ft. Campbell, Kentucky
Lt. Commander McLean Panter – Bogota, Colombia
Lt. Colonel Bart Doyle – Miramar Beach, Florida
Maj. Marc Wuerdeman, Washington, D.C

Attendance: April 9nd - 294 (does not include those watching on Facebook)



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Linda Harrelson - Director of Music
Terry Hailey - Organist Norma Adams - Pianist

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