# **First United Methodist Church Of Avon Park**

Welcome to God's House. What a joy it is to have you worship with us. Join us as we come before our God in praise, worship, prayer and hearing God's

Word. May God's Spirit be with you as you worship.

April 14, 2024 Third Sunday Of Easter 10:45 a.m. At the sound of the chimes, let us turn our hearts and minds to the worship of Almighty God.

\*Congregation will please stand, if able

**PRELUDE:** (Lighting of the Candles)

HYMN OF PROCLAMATION: "He Is Lord" (2 times) #177 GREETING:

The grace and peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you. **And, also with you.** 

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
PROCLAMATION OF PRAISE
PASSING THE PEACE
OPENING PRAYER
CALL TO WORSHIP

\*HYMN: "Tell Me The Stories Of Jesus" Vs 1-3 #462

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: "The Apostles' Creed" #881
\*GLORIA PATRI #70

PASTORAL PRAYER / THE LORD'S PRAYER

PRAYER FOR THE OFFERING

\*\*ANTHEM The Chancel Choir \*DOXOLOGY: "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" #95

\*HYMN: "Open My Eyes That I May See" Vs 1-3 #454

**SCRIPTURE:** Luke 24:13-35 BSB) **MESSAGE:** "Stories Of Jesus"

\* CLOSING HYMN "Just A Closer Walk" (See Insert)

\*BENEDICTION

\*CHORAL BENEDICTION "He Lives" (Chorus Only)

\*POSTLUDE



# **CHURCH MEETINGS THIS WEEK:**

### **TUESDAY: 9:00 AM IN WESLEY HALL:**

Finance Committee Meeting

# **TUESDAY: 10:00 AM IN WESLEY HALL:**

Trustees' Meeting

#### **TUESDAY: 11:00 AM IN WESLEY HALL:**

**Church Council Meeting** 

# **OTHER OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK:**

**OPEN BEADING:** We have open beading every Friday in the Welcome Room from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. *Please park behind the church and come in the back way, thru the gates.* 

**SECOND BLESSINGS:** Saturday Morning from 10-1 is the time to come and browse and shop. You can find items for the home, Clothes to wear and fun things to enjoy. Come and see. \*SECOND BLESSINGS IS STILL LOOKING FOR HELP. Anyone interested in giving 3 hours out of their busy week to help keep our Second Blessings Ministry open and running, Please see Emma Lorey.

<u>CHURCH SERVICE CENTER:</u> Please feel free to bring Non-Parishable items for the Church Service Center any Sunday during the month. We deliver them to the center the first Tuesday of each month.

### In His Service Today

Leading Worship Pastor Peggy Moss Music Directors Suzan and Richard Wedig

Liturgist

Ushers Karen Nealis
Sound Tech Rev. David Borger
Video Tech Ty Borger

#### **Church Staff**

Pastor Peggy Moss 813-727-5658
Organist/Music Dir. Richard & Suzan Wedig 863-655-0364
Admin. Asst. Lorna Conlin Stone 863-319-1442
Building Mgr. Karl Cox 937-631-2655

# **Circle of Concern**

Pastor Peggy Moss Peggy & Tim Adams
Jackie Angevine Marge Beckner Vilma Callicoat
Isla & Tom Coburn Dawn Collins Lorna Conlin Stone
Betty Crowell Grace Golden Patrick Knapp Faith Palmer
Debbie Salazar Veronica Salazar Lois Trainor
Richard and Suzan Wedig

All military personnel and their families as well as Areas of war
Our Church and our Community
Missionaries serving at home and abroad
Christians who are being persecuted for their faith
Our President and all elected officials

# Worship

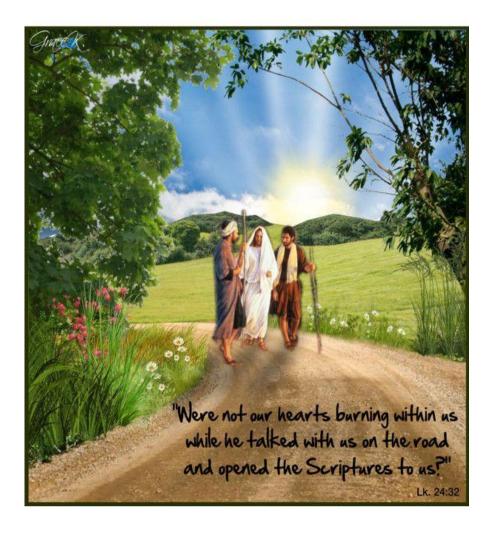
Last Week's Attendance 68

Budget YTD: \$ 31,196.34 Offering received YTD: \$29,708.37 Misc. receipts YTD: \$ 3,501.60

**OFFERINGS OF GIFTS, LIVES AND SERVICE:** Special gifts beyond your offering for the general fund should be indicated on your check. A reminder that the church continues to have ongoing expenses and these gifts are second mile giving.

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