

First United Methodist Church

4th Sunday of Easter
May 8, 2022



*Welcome! We pray that worship here at First United Methodist is a blessing for you, even as your presence blesses us. The Church newsletter, large print hymnals, name tags, and refreshments are available in the welcoming area. Children are **always welcome** in worship, and we embrace their presence, their joy, and the fun things they often do and say as we worship God. In the welcoming area we have crayons and children's bulletins available. Please fill out the clipboard at the end of your row to register your attendance and tell us a little more about you.*

"This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it!"

ORDER OF WORSHIP

4th Sunday of Easter

May 8, 2022

10:30 AM

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lee Anne Strickland

(At this time please register your in-person attendance on the clipboards placed on each pew; or if you are watching on-line register at www.1umcm.com and continue sending us your comments via Facebook, Twitter, email, etc.)

“May the Peace of Christ be with you. . . . **and also with you.**”

TRINITY CHIMES

✠ CALL TO WORSHIP “Jesus, Name Above All Names” Screen

✠ WORDS OF INVITATION

L: In the beginning, at creation, the Spirit hovered over the waters of the deep.

P: In the waters of the flood, God cleansed the earth and humankind.

L: God caused the waters to part so that Israel could cross from slavery to liberation.

P: God formed Jesus in the waters of Mary’s womb.

L: Jesus taught us how to live by washing his disciples’ feet in water.

P: Drinking water from a well, Jesus met a Samaritan woman, the first person to recognize that he was the Christ.

L: Today we celebrate the baptism of Jesus, the Christ.

P: God meant for Jesus to be the firstborn in a large family. Praise be to God!

HYMN “To God Be the Glory” Page #98/Screen

✠ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH A Modern Affirmation Page #885/Screen

✠ GLORIA PATRI Page # 70/Screen

MOVIE MOMENT “The Lion King” Screen

PRAISES & PRAYER REQUESTS Chris Black

PASTORAL PRAYER Chris Black

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

HYMN "Open My Eyes, That I May See" Page #454/Screen

CHILDREN'S MOMENT Chris Black

INVITATION TO OFFERING

During this time we worship by the giving of our gifts and offerings for the work of the church in ministry and mission. For those who are watching online, you may mail your gifts to First United Methodist Church, P O Box 157, Madisonville, TN 37354, or go to our website: tithing.1umcm.com for directions and other options.

OFFERTORY "Baptized in Water" Chancel Choir

DOXOLOGY Page # 94/Screen

SCRIPTURE **John 1: 19-34**
Leader: The Word of God, for the People of God
People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON "Remember..." Chris Black

✠ **CLOSING HYMN** "Spirit Song" Page #347/Screen

✠ **BENEDICTION** Chris Black

✠ **BENEDICTION RESPONSE** "Surely the Presence of the Lord" Page #328/Screen

✠ **TRINITY CHIMES**

POSTLUDE

✠ *Please stand as you are able.*
Serve the Lord this week where you are able!





**Prayer Requests for
May 8**

NEW PRAYER REQUESTS

The Family of Freida Naylor
Farmers
Students in Finals Week
Jeff Smith
The family of Irene Hicks Norman
The family of Faye Watson
The people of the Ukraine
Unspoken Requests

**CONTINUING PRAYER
REQUESTS**

Ronnie Gay
Veronica Venable
Joseph Certo
Marilyn DePew & family
Shelbie Nelson
Unspoken Request by
Dora Nelson
Bruce and Judy Christopher
Sam Grubb
United Methodist Clergy and
District Superintendents
Mary Margaret & Richard Mason

Margaret & Chad Chester
Pat Harvey
Military personnel

In most instances, names will remain on the continuing prayer list for two weeks.

Pastor's Community

Assistance Fund

Results

Late Monday afternoon a young father, "D" stopped by our office. He had worked odd jobs all day, and was tired BUT yet had managed to earn enough to feed his family. Still, he couldn't bridge one gap when it came to buying diapers for his baby daughter, so he turned to 1st UMC for help.

Because of YOUR generosity to the Pastor's Community Assistance Fund (and a quick trip to Walgreens), our Church was able to fill a gap in this young family's life for that day. Our Church made an important difference for them.

Dedicated envelopes are in the pews for your donations.

Attendance and Giving Last Sunday

In-Person Attendance 75

Online Attendance 10

In-Person Tithing \$ 6,642

Online Tithing \$ 335 Designated \$ 50

In-Person Building Fund \$ 655

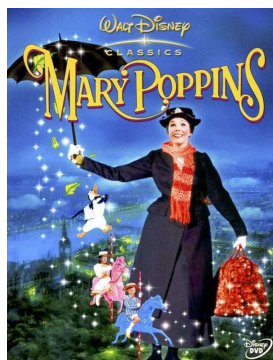
Online Building Fund \$ 85

Memorials \$ 0

“First UMC at the Movies”

We hope you found our first installment of “First UMC at the Movies” featuring “Star Wars IV - A New Hope” to be enlightening with its comparison to the scriptural story of David & Goliath. We heard many positive comments!

This week, our cinematic vehicle for examining scripture is the Disney favorite “The Lion King.” We can’t wait to hear from you on what you got out of this Sunday’s installment!



Next Week: Mary Poppins



Coffee with the Pastor for our visitors

Rev. Chris Black invites all those who have been visiting our church in worship, or those who have thought about becoming members, to join him for a coffee (or tea, soda or even water!) and conversation in our church conference room at 9 a.m. on Sunday, May 22nd. This will be an informal time where you may chat with Chris to learn more about our church, its ministries, our mission, and what it means to become a member. Even if you aren’t ready to join yet, this will be a wonderful time where you can learn more about our unique United Methodist faith community, and ask Chris any questions you may have. If you want more information about this conversation feel free to email Chris—cblack@firstumcmadisonville.org

Check Out the Event Announcements Listed Below!!

Happy Mother's Day!!!!

- **Cub Scouts**, Monday, 6 PM, Downstairs, **Scouts BSA**, 7 PM, Community Room
- **Trustees**, Monday, 6 PM, Conference Room
- **Finance Committee**, Tuesday, 6 PM, Fellowship Hall
- **United Methodist Youth Fellowship** meets each Wednesday evening at 6:00 PM in our Youth Center downstairs. Contact Jerry or Vanessa Barr for more information.
- The **Chancel Choir** practices Wednesday evening at 6:00 PM in the sanctuary.
- **Alcoholics Anonymous** Friday, 5:30 PM, Community Room
- **Next Sunday: Service for Faye Watson**, 1 PM - Receiving Family & Friends; 2 PM - Service; 3 PM - Meal in the Fellowship Hall.

Trustee for this month is Bob Marshall.

Coffee bar hosts are Jennifer & Carol McKenzie

Altar Flowers provided by Barbara Pennington
in memory of Bob Pennington



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