

AT HOME WORSHIP SERVICE

April 11, 2021

Lighting of the Candles

Place a Bible, a cross and candles on a table if you have them. Invite everyone in your house to gather. Light the candles, or turn on a small light, to acknowledge the presence of the Holy Spirit. Follow the links below from your computer, phone, or pad.

CALL TO WORSHIP: 1 John 1:3 *Read together or out loud even if you are alone.*

We declare to you what we have seen and heard so that you also may have fellowship with us; and truly our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son Jesus Christ.

SCRIPTURE READING: John 20:19-31

- *Other scripture readings specifically for this date can be found at <https://lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu/>*

SERMON – https://youtu.be/GbBNSoO9_tA

SONG – [\(50\) We've a Story to Tell to the Nations \(8:45 am, digital mix\) - YouTube](#)

GIVING - *Our Special Mission this Month is CASA - Court Appointed Special Advocates for Children*
[New Mexico CASA Association | Change a Child's Story](#)

Thank You to all who continue to send in your donations. If you are able to do so, place your offering in a jar and hope for the day when we can meet again, or place your check in an envelope addressed to

Bernalillo UMC

136 West Calle Don Andres

Bernalillo, NM 87004

PRAYER OF THE DAY – from ibelieve.com

Dear God, we ask that you would fill us with your Spirit of love and unity. We ask for your help to set aside our differences and look to the greater cause, the cause of Christ. We need your unity and your love to stir our hearts and give direction to our days. We need your wisdom to guide us, we need your Spirit to lead us, to live out godly lives that would bring honor first to you. We thank you that you are always with us; and give us great purpose and hope. In Jesus' Name, AMEN!

Close with the Lord's Prayer and/or a short prayer of your own, giving thanks to the Lord, and praying for all those in need.

BENEDICTION - 2 Corinthians 13:11

To end this time of worship, say this blessing out loud together.

Finally, brothers, rejoice. Aim for restoration, comfort one another, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. AMEN!

Be sure to call and check on someone today!

**based upon A Short Order for Worshiping at Home, by Rev. Amy Wilson Feltz, St Paul's UMC, El Paso*

***BONUS** - [\(50\) Out of India - Life & Teachings of Doubting Thomas ~ Documentary - YouTube](#)

About an hour long, part travelogue, and part documentary exploring the influence of St Thomas in India. I do not agree with everything, but it is interesting.

PASS IT ON! INVITE PEOPLE TO WORSHIP THE LORD!