## Today's Worship April 11, 2021

Pre-Service video
Opening Welcome

"Lift Him Up"

"Mourning into Dancing"
Greeting & Announcements
Prayer of Confession & Absolution
Apostles' Creed
Offertory – "My Very Best Friend"
Children's Message – Sandy Witte
Scripture Readings –
1 Corinthians 12:12-14
Matthew 16:18-19

"The Church's One Foundation"
Message – Pastor Ed

Prayers & The Lord's Prayer
Benediction
"Mourning into Dancing" (Reprise)

"The Only Family that Will Last Forever"

Prayer List

Rollie Otto – recovery
Patsy Dubrick – health issues
Mike Kipp – health issues
Bob Blair – health issues
Carmen Chow – cancer treatments
Marylin Bowery – recovery (lung transplant)
Melanie Lawrence – travel to Denver for tests
(daughter of Mike & Marylin Bowery)

*Homebound*: BJ Cline, Linnie Clark, Liz Johnston, Irene Stinson, Barbara White





## **Sunday Bible Class**

Join us on Zoom at 10:30 am to listen in on a Bible study for today.

Next Week, Pastor Ed resumes inperson Bible Class in Church House following worship at 10:15 am.



## Evening devotional Bible studies

Monday – Thursday at 6:30 pm on Zoom. Check website for link.

"love God. love others. and show it "

## THE ONLY FAMILY THAT WILL LAST FOREVER

•	"I'm writing to youso you will know how to live in the family of God. THAT FAMILY IS THE CHURCH of the living God, the support and foundation of the truth." 1 Timothy 3:14-15
•	"THE CHURCH IS COMPOSED OF & "Then those who believed were then baptized and they became part of the church—about three thousand people that day." Acts 2:41
•	"First they gave themselves to the Lord; and then, by God's will, they gave themselves to us as well." 2 Corinthians 8:5
	"In Christ's Body, each member belongs to all the others." Romans 12:5
•	THE CHURCH IS PREPARING OR OR
	"You are the church of God's children, whose names are registered in heaven, because you have come to God himselfand you have come to Jesus"  Hebrews 12:23
FIVE OF THE MANY BENEFITS OF BELONGING	
1.	IN GOD'S : <u>I LEARN MY TRUE IDENTITY</u>
	"You are members of God's very own familyand you belong in God's household with every other Christian." Ephesians 2:19
2.	"In God's: I'M SUPPORTED BY OTHERS  "In Christ the whole building is joined together and rises to become a holy temple in the Lord. And in him you too are being built together to become a dwelling in which God lives by his Spirit." Ephesians 2:21-22
3.	IN CHRIST'S: <u>I DISCOVER MY UNIQUE VALUE</u> "Just as there are many parts to our bodies, so it is with Christ's Body. We are all parts of it Romans 12:4
4.	IN GOD'S: <u>I RECEIVE PROTECTION</u> "Share each other's troubles and problems, and in this way obey the law of Christ." Galatians 6:2
5.	"A branch cannot produce fruit if it is severed from the vine, and you cannot be fruitful apart from me. I am the vine and you are the branches. Those who remain in me, and I in them, will produce much fruit. But apart from me you can do nothing." John 15:4-5

<u>ANSWERS:</u> family on earth, in heaven; saved, baptized believers; Jesus, each other; for heaven, Christ's return; family; temple; body; flock; garden