

## Message Notes:

**Scripture Lesson:** April 12, John 20:19-31 Easter 2

**MSG:** As I Was Sent

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### Questions for reflection

- + The disciples had heard Mary's testimony that morning and still locked themselves in a room that evening. Why do you think hearing the good news did not immediately move them past their fear? When has that been true for you?
- + Jesus shows his disciples his wounds before he commissions them. Why do you think the wounds matter to the sending? What does it mean to be sent by someone who still carries the marks of what it cost?
- + "As the Father sent me, I am sending you." The Father sent Jesus fully into the world - not safely, not from a distance. What would it look like for you to be sent that way into your neighborhood, your work place, your family?

### Looking Ahead:

April 19 Acts 9:1-19a Easter 3  
April 26 Acts 16:16-34 Easter 4  
May 3 Acts 17:16-31 Easter 5

### Ways To Give:

Offering stations  
[waverlynumc.org/donate](http://waverlynumc.org/donate)



### Office Hours

Mon-Friday 10 – 3:00pm

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**CONNECTING PEOPLE TO GOD & ONE ANOTHER**

WAVERLY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



**Welcome!** We are glad that you have joined us for worship. Today, like every Sunday, we invite you to live a life as a disciple, that knows, loves, and lives a life like Jesus.

**Order of Worship: April 12, 2026**

**+ Centering** (Responsive)

**+ Song:** *Majesty* **UMH 176**

**+ Song:** *Constantly Abiding*

**Welcome & Announcements**

**Offering Prayer** (All)

**+ Song:** *Doxology* **UMH 94**

**+Song:** *We Believe In One God* (Affirmation of Faith)

**Prayers for Others & Ourselves**

**Lord's Prayer** (All)

**A Call to Renewal**

**Song:** *Come Just As You Are* (Confession Invitation)

**Words of Grace:** (Responsive)

**The Peace** (Responsive)

**Song:** *Hungry*

**WUMC Kid's Moment**

**Prayer of Illumination**

**Scripture Lesson:** John 20.19-31

**Message:** As I Was Sent

**Responding To God's Love**

**+ Song:** *Here I Am Lord* **UMH 593**

**Prayer of Thanksgiving**

**+ Song:** *Send Us Out In The Power Of Your Spirit*

**+Blessing:** Blessed to be a Blessing

**+ Go In Peace:** Connecting People to God & One Another. **Amen**

**+ Please stand if you're able**

**UMH:** United Methodist Hymnal - blue book

**TFWS:** The Faith We Sing - black book

During Holy Communion you will see many people put cash on the chancel rail, this offering is for our Good Neighbor Ministry. Our Good Neighbor Ministry helps those coming to the church seeking help financially.

**Our Prayers:** We lift them up to the Lord.

Ann Marrs

Nina Kramer

Laura Fowlkes

Lanier Simpson

Larry Williams

Carolyn Miller

Doug & JoAnn Pate

Laura Hooper

Richard Horner

Becky Warren

Robert Charnock

Tammy Daniel

Sandra Gann

Shirley Link

Marcia Simpson

Jim Papadakis

Steve Trimble

Lisa Clark

Jess "Cooter" Bowen

Darlene Wheeler

*You may communicate prayer concerns to the office.*

**Announcements & Upcoming Event**

**+ Blessing Box Ministry** | For April, we are collecting **Pasta & Sauce**. No glass jars please. Please bring your donations to the main lobby. Thank you for supporting our ministry and helping our neighbors!

**+ Church Council Meeting** | If you are a committee chair or a church council member, plan on attending this meeting. Monday April 13<sup>th</sup> @ 5pm.

**Looking Ahead**

**+ April 13<sup>th</sup> | Church Council Meeting @ 5pm**

**+ April 14<sup>th</sup> | Stephen Ministry @ 6pm**

**+ April 16<sup>th</sup> | Prayer Shawl Ministry @ 1pm**

**+ April 20<sup>th</sup> | Trustees Meeting @ 5pm**

**+ April 27<sup>th</sup> | Methodist Men's Meeting @ 6pm**

**Save the Date**

**+ May 2<sup>nd</sup> | Parsonage Work Day**

**+ May 16<sup>th</sup> | Methodist Men's Fish Fry @ 11-2pm**

**Community Events At The Church**

**+ April 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> | Arts Council Variety Show Dessert Theater**  
6 pm & 2 pm Tickets \$25.00

**+ April 17<sup>th</sup> | WOVE @ 9-2pm**

**+ April 23<sup>rd</sup> | Scouts Fundraising Event @ 6pm**

**+ April 28<sup>th</sup> | Quilts 4 Kids @ 10-2pm**