## Welcome to Homestead Park United Methodist Church

## Announcements ~ This Week ~



Easter Lillies 6"	\$ 10.00
Tulips 6"	\$ 8.00
Daffodils 6"	\$ 8.00

#### Orders are due by April 8th by noon!

The Homeless Ministry is in need of plastic shopping bags. Please place them in the bin in the Narthex.

#### **SCOUT UNIFORM DRIVE**



#### **DONATE** your clean lightly used uniforms & Scout gear to support a less fortunate Scout.

#### Help a Scout today!

## Have a child in K through 12<sup>th</sup> who is interested in scouting? Call or email us today! PGHScouting@gmail.com or 412-224-7302.

#### Tuesday 03/29/22 7 pm - *Tuesday in the Word* Women in the Bible - Esther (4th Fl Annex Hall)





Sunday 11 am Prayer Meeting (Prayer Room) Sunday 6 pm Girl Scouts (Fellowship Hall) Monday Creative Play and through Friday Begin-der-garten

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All are welcome! Please contact the office for more information.

#### Monday 9<sup>30</sup> am Tai Chi (Fellowship Hall) Monday 6<sup>30</sup> pm Cub Scouts (Fellowship Hall) Monday 7 pm Boy Scouts (4<sup>th</sup> Fl Annex Hall)



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# Tuesday10amLine Dancers (Fellowship Hall)Tuesday 7 pmJust Recovery (Fellowship Hall)Friday 10 amLine Dancers (Fellowship Hall)



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Saturdays<br/>and SundaysHomeless Ministry<br/>(Fellowship Hall)

## Announcements ~ Upcoming Events ~

### Thursday 04/07/22 11 am - *How to Read the Bible for All Its Worth Bible Study* (Sanctuary)

#### Easter Egg Hunt

APRIL 9 • 11 AM CHURCH FRONT LAWN

Join us for a very special Easter celebration! There will be storytelling, giveaways, and an egg-hunting activity for children! Please bring your own basket

Register for this event by calling the office today!

### Saturday 04/09/22 11 am -Easter Egg Hunt - Looking for donations of wrapped candy. Bags of eggs are in the Narthex



## Other Announcements





#### (Please stand as you are able)

#### Holy God, Creator of Life, you call us out of our dark places, offering us the grace of new life. When we see nothing but hopelessness, you surprise us

with the breath of your spirit. Call us out of our complacency and routines, set us free from our self-imposed bonds, and fill us with your spirit of life,

#### compassion, and peace. In the name of Jesus, your Anointed One, we pray. Amen.

## Call to Worship (Unison)

#### (Please stand as you are able)

#### Pastor: We live in the shelter of the Most High, in the shadow of God Almighty.

People: Our refuge and our fortress is God in whom we trust.

Pastor: The Lord will deliver us and protect us from our enemies. People: God will shelter us under his wings. God's faithfulness forms a shield around us.

Pastor: Because God watches over us, we have no reason to fear.

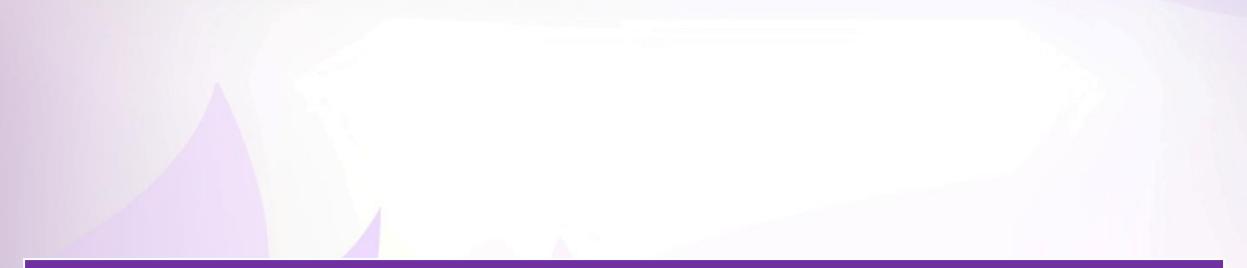
People: We trust in God's care and presence.

Pastor: God's angels stand guard around us, and God is always ready to help in times of trouble. **People: God's loving presence** is our sure defense. God's salvation is our joy!



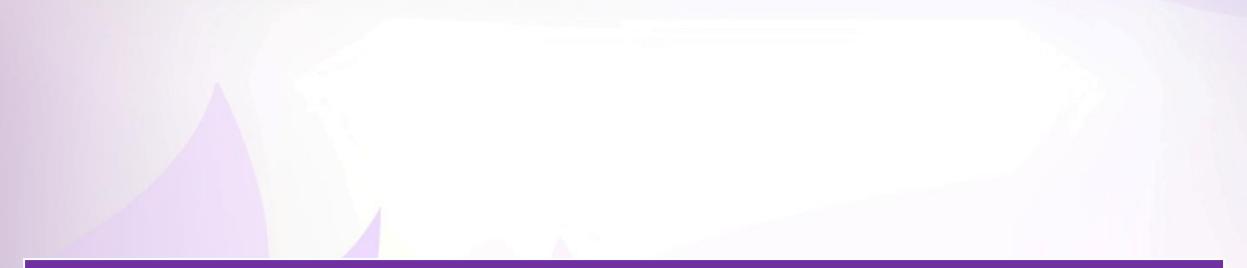
## Songs of Praise















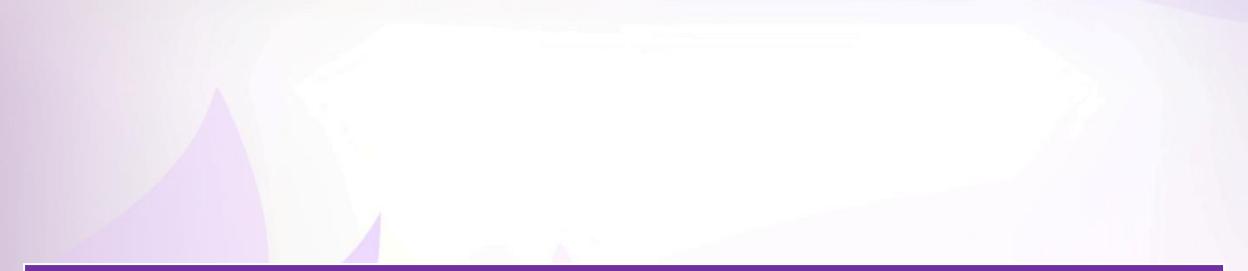
## Children's Message







#### Online Giving homesteadpark.churchcenter.com



## Doxology

#### (Please stand as you are able)

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye, heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## Prayer of Dedication

#### (Please stand as you are able)

## Our Time of Prayer



## Prayers & Praises



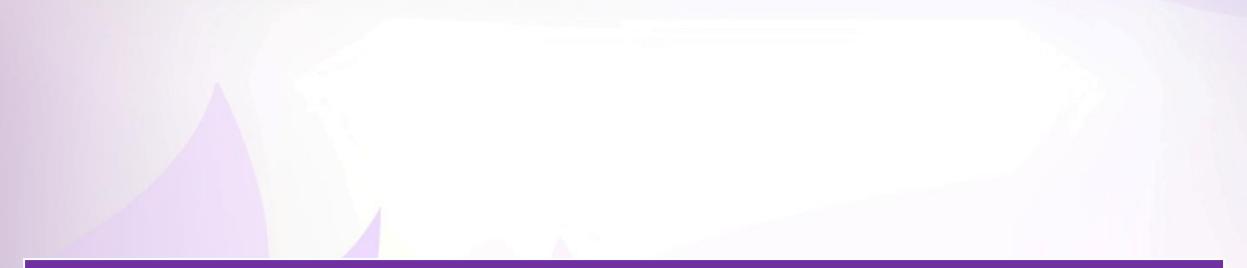
## The Lord's Prayer



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. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

# Song of Praise









## Our Scripture Psalm 91: 1-2, 9-15 NIV

<sup>1</sup>Whoever dwells in the shelter of the Most High will rest in the shadow of the Almighty.<sup>2</sup> will say of the LORD, "He is my refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust."

<sup>9</sup> If you say, "The LORD is my refuge," and you make the Most High your dwelling, <sup>10</sup> no harm will overtake you, no disaster will come near your tent. <sup>11</sup> For he will command

his angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways; <sup>12</sup> they will lift you up in their hands, so that you will not strike your foot against a stone. <sup>13</sup> You will tread on the lion

and the cobra; you will trample the great lion and the serpent. 14 "Because he loves me," says the LORD, "I will rescue him; I will protect him, for he acknowledges my name. <sup>15</sup> He

will call on me, and I will answer him; I will be with him in trouble, I will deliver him and honor him.

### Message

### The Best Place to Live?

### Pastor Don Kephart

### Hymn # 377 It is Well With My Soul

When peace, like a river, attendeth my way, when sorrows like sea billows roll; whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say, It is well, it is well with my soul.

# It is well with my soul, it is well, it is well, it is well with my soul.

#### Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come, let this blest assurance control,

### that Christ has regarded my helpless estate, and hath shed his own blood for my soul.

# It is well with my soul, it is well, it is well, it is well with my soul.

#### My sin, oh, the bliss of this glorious thought! My sin, not in part but the whole,

### is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more, praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!

# It is well with my soul, it is well, it is well, it is well with my soul.

#### And, Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight, the clouds be rolled back as a scroll;



the trump shall resound, and the Lord shall descend, even so, it is well with my soul.

# It is well with my soul, it is well, it is well, it is well with my soul.



### Benediction



# Thank you for joining us in worship!