

GATHERING

PRELUDE

WORDS OF GREETING

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INTROIT

Go to Dark Gethsemane

***Early hasten to the tomb Where they laid His breathless clay;
All is solitude and gloom. Who has taken Him away?
Christ is risen! He meets our eyes. Savior, teach us so to rise***

*CALL TO WORSHIP

O Christ, in your resurrection,
The heavens and the earth rejoice. Alleluia!
By your resurrection you broke open the gates of hell,
and destroyed sin and death.

Keep us victorious over sin.

By your resurrection you raised the dead,
and brought us from death to life.

Guide us in the way of eternal life.

By your resurrection you confounded your guards and executioners,
and filled the disciples with joy.

Give us joy in your service.

By your resurrection you proclaimed good news
to the women and apostles, and brought salvation to the whole world.

Direct our lives as your new creation.

God of mercy, we no longer look for Jesus among the dead, for he is
alive and has become the Lord of life. From the waters of death you raise
us with him and renew your gift of life within us. Increase in our minds
and hearts the risen life we share with Christ, and help us to grow as your
people toward the fullness of eternal life with you, through Christ our
Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now
and forever. ***Amen***

*HYMN

Jesus Christ is Risen Today

PH 123

EASTER PRAYER (in unison)

***God of grace, you cause the sun to rise and chase away
the shadows of death. Each day you promise resurrection
that we might be born afresh to the new life you offer.
We no longer look for Jesus among the dead, for he is alive
and has become the Lord of life. Increase in our minds and hearts
an understanding of the risen life we share with Christ,
and help us to grow as your people
toward the fullness of eternal life with you,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.***

EASTER RESPONSE

Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks

PH 106

***Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.
Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to his name.***

Spread the good news o'er all the earth: Jesus has died and risen.

***Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.
Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to his name.***

*PASSING THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

THE WORD

A TIME WITH CHILDREN

GOSPEL LESSON

Luke 23:50-24:12

ANTHEM

Rob Button

SERMON

Resurrection and Remembrance

Rev. Phil Butin

HYMN

The Day of Resurrection

PH 118

*AN EASTER AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

***This is the good news which we have received, in which we stand,
and by which we are saved, if we hold it fast:
that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures,
that he was buried; that he was raised the third day;
and that he appeared first to the women,
then to Peter, and to the Twelve,
and then to many faithful witnesses.
We believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the Living God.
Jesus Christ is the first and the last, the beginning and the end;
he is our Lord and our God. Amen.***

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS
AND ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING OFFERING

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY

Doxology with Alleluias

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Alleluia, Alleluia!
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Alleluia, Alleluia! Alleluia, Alleluia! ALLELUIA!***

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

(See Insert)

SENDING

*HYMN

We Know that Christ is Raised

PH 495

*STATEMENT OF MISSION (unison)

***Called to be a light on the hill,
We boldly proclaim and serve Christ,
The Hope of our changing world.***

*EASTER BENEDICTION

Now may the God of peace, who brought back from the dead
our Lord Jesus Christ, the great Shepherd of the sheep,
make you complete in everything good so that you may do God's will.
***Work in us that which is pleasing in your sight, through Jesus Christ,
to whom is the glory forever and ever. Amen.***

*CHORAL BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

* Please stand, as you are able.

WELCOME VISITORS, we pray that our worship together will strengthen and nurture our
faith. If you are seeking a church home, please feel free to learn more about First United
Presbyterian Church by speaking to a minister, a staff member, or a member of Session.
**MEMBERSHIP IN FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (www.fupcfay.org)—All are
invited** to unite with the church by profession of faith, reaffirmation of faith, or transfer
of church letter. If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact one of the
pastors or the church office (442-4411)
CHILDREN'S WORSHIP PACKETS are available in the Narthex. These include activity sheets,
crayons and bookmarks.
PROFESSIONAL NURSERY CARE is provided in lower level Calvin.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

One Great Hour of Sharing: Today, we will take up the One Great Hour of Sharing Offering. Our gifts support PCUSA ministries around the world.

Wonderful Wednesdays: If you plan to be at Wonderful Wednesday this week, please put your reservation slip in the box in the Narthex this morning. **Deadline for this Wednesday is Noon, Mon., April 5** by calling the office 442-4411. The meal this week is from Whole Hog BBQ. The program: *The Gospel According to Andy For Adults and Children*—One of the most popular shows in television history, The Andy Griffith Show brought us great memories, especially between Andy Griffith and his son Opie (Ron Howard). The show ran from 1960 - 1968, and is still on television most evenings in the United States. Tom Verdery will host this event, sharing an episode highlighting the importance of trust and having faith in others, followed with a fun and inspiring activity for the adults, youth, and children. Cost for meal is \$5.00 per person, \$20.00 maximum (children 3 and under - gratis).

Project Linus: Tuesday, April 6, 9:30 am—2:30 pm, Activity Center. Bring your lunch, scissors, cutting or ironing board, fabric or sewing machine, irons or rulers, and help create snuggle coverings to comfort children. Sara Koenig (443-2740, sarakoe@cox.net) and Judy Marino (444-6994, candjmarino@cox.net) are taking fabric donations and coordinating the Linus team. Project Linus is comprised of hundreds of local chapters and thousands of volunteers across the United States working together to “provide love, a sense of security, warmth and comfort to children who are seriously ill, traumatized, or otherwise in need through the gifts of new, handmade blankets and afghans, lovingly created by volunteer ‘blanketeers.’” More than three million blankets have been distributed to children in need since the project’s inception in 1995. Come for the whole day or drop in when you can.

First Fellowship: Thursday, April 8, 11:30 pm. Join us at the Butterfield Trail Village Lodge, located south of the main building. For lunch, we’ll have sandwiches and 2 side dishes catered by the BTV catering service. Cost for the meal will be \$6.00. Then, we’ll be treated to a program provided by our co-pastors, Revs. Jan and Phil Butin. Remember to make your reservation by noon, Monday, April 5 with your caller, or by contacting the church office 442-4411.

Do you want to PAINT? We need youth and adults to come start painting the VBS scenery and backdrops. Come Friday April 9 from 5-?, and/or Saturday April 10 from 9-5 in the fellowship hall. We will have the outlines drawn, we just need people to fill in the paint. No experience necessary! Email Katie if you can come so I can have enough food/snacks ready. wwscribner@yahoo.com THANK YOU!

UPY Schedule for April 9-11: Friday April 9, 4:00 pm—Depart from church for Senior High Youthquake; return to church from Senior High Youthquake on Sunday, April 11, 4:00 pm. Youth who are not attending SHYQ are invited to a bowling outing on April 11 2:00 pm-3:30pm with drop off and pick up at Ozark Lanes. Youth Bells rehearsal will be at 5:00 pm.

New Date of Departure for April Mission Trip to the Gulf Coast: Departure is **Monday, April 19** with return on Saturday, April 24. FUPC provides transportation and housing. The funding is there, we need people. We want to fill the van heading for New Orleans to work with Presbyterian Disaster Assistance. Jim Harter and Ron Talbert will lead this group. Enjoy fellowship on the road and share meaningful, rewarding work with other Presbyterians in New Orleans. For more information or to volunteer, please contact Melanie in the church office 442-4411.

Acolytes to Collect Friendship Pad Pages: The acolytes gather completed Friendship Pad pages during the offering. When everyone on the pew has signed the page, we ask that the person sitting at end of the pew tear it out and have it ready for collection. The acolytes will follow the ushers back up the aisles while offering is being received.

You will find the latest additions to the prayer concerns here.

A complete list of all prayer concerns can be found in the narthex and on Weekend Update.

Prayer Concerns: Helen Jablonski, John Gareth Whitlatch, Marty Sturm, Catherine Fohl, Juanice Settle (mother of Jennifer Brown, Mrs. Woody Brown), Rob Button and Family (death of grandmother), Bill Dill and Family (death of mother), Billie Jo McGuire, Mary Jo Harvey, Vernon and Marilyn Anderson

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, APRIL 4 EASTER SUNDAY

Worship Services*: Sanctuary:
7:30 am (Sunrise service in courtyard), 11:00 am (Communion)
One Great Hour of Sharing Offering
Easter Breakfast: 8:30 am — 10:30 am, Fellowship Hall
Chinese School: 1:30-5:00 pm, Campus-Wide
NO Youth Bells
NO UPY

WEEKDAY CALENDAR

MONDAY, APRIL 5

PW Circle 4: 1:30 pm
Stephen Ministry: 6:30 pm, Calvin 202
Boy Scouts: 7:00 pm

TUESDAY, APRIL 6

First School Chapel: 8:45
Staff Meeting: 9:00 am, Commons
Project Linus: 9:30 am—2:30 pm, Activity Center
Communion at BTV: 4:00 pm
Girls Chorus: 5:45, Fellowship Hall
Adult Handbells: 6:30 pm, Sanctuary
GA Mtg.: 7:00 pm, Lower Witherspoon

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7

Men’s Breakfast: 6:30 am, Village Inn
First School Chapel: 8:45
Bulletin Announcements Due for April 11: Noon, Church Office
Wonderful Wednesday: 5:30 pm,

Fellowship Hall

Chancel Choir Rehearsal: 7:15 pm, Music Room

THURSDAY, APRIL 8

Intercessory Prayer Group: 3:30 pm, BTV Library
Everyone Can Sing: 7:00 pm, Activity Center

FRIDAY, APRIL 9

Hooks and Needles: 10:00 am, Activity Center
7-Hills Community Meals: 8:30 am, Kitchen
UPY: Depart for Youthquake, 4:00 pm, from Church
VBS Painting Props: 5:00 pm, Fellowship Hall

SATURDAY, APRIL 10

VBS Painting Props: 9:00 am, Fellowship Hall
AA Meeting: 6:00 pm, Activity Center

SUNDAY, APRIL 11

Worship Services*: Sanctuary: 8:30 am (Communion),
CEO Offering
Pre-school & Elementary Sunday School: 9:30 am, Upper and Lower Knox
2nd and 3rd grade chimes: (after Sunday School) 10:25-10:45 am, Lower Knox
4th and 5th grade chimes: (before Sunday School) 9:30-9:50 am, Lower Knox
Confirmation Class for 6th and 7th grade: Lower Knox
8th- 12th grade Sunday School: Recreation Room
Adult Sunday School Assembly: 9:30 am, Fellowship Hall
Adult Sunday School: 9:45 am, assigned space
PW Covenant: 12:30 pm, Activity Center
Chinese School: 1:30-5:00 pm, Campus-Wide
UPY Bowling Party: 2:00-3:30 pm, drop off and pick up at Ozark Lanes
UPY: Return of Youthquake participants: 4:00 pm, Church
Youth Bells: 5:00 pm, Sanctuary

*Indicates that professional childcare is provided for these events.

Indicates that reservations are requested for these events.

First United Presbyterian Church Fayetteville, Arkansas



Empty Tomb

Dr. Hi Qi

*SUNRISE SERVICE
FOR
THE LORD’S DAY*

*EASTER
APRIL 4, 2010*

Please call the church office, 442-4411,
during the week with prayer concerns, joys or hospital information.