



Merrill Hartz	05-Apr
Shirley Evans	06-Apr
Darrell & Kathie Sutton	08-Apr
Molly Hancock	09-Apr
Eileen Lyle	12-Apr
Phil Lycliston	14-Apr
Judith Gullett	14-Apr
Buddy & Diane Bonney	17-Apr
Fidel Tshiluka	18-Apr
Jackie Vincent	19-Apr
Merrill & Debi Hartz	22-Apr
Kathy Allen	27-Apr

**Lectionary Readings**

**April 14-21**

Mark 1:21-28  
Psalm 4

# Welcome to Worship



**CHRIST UNITED  
METHODIST CHURCH**

**April 14, 2024**

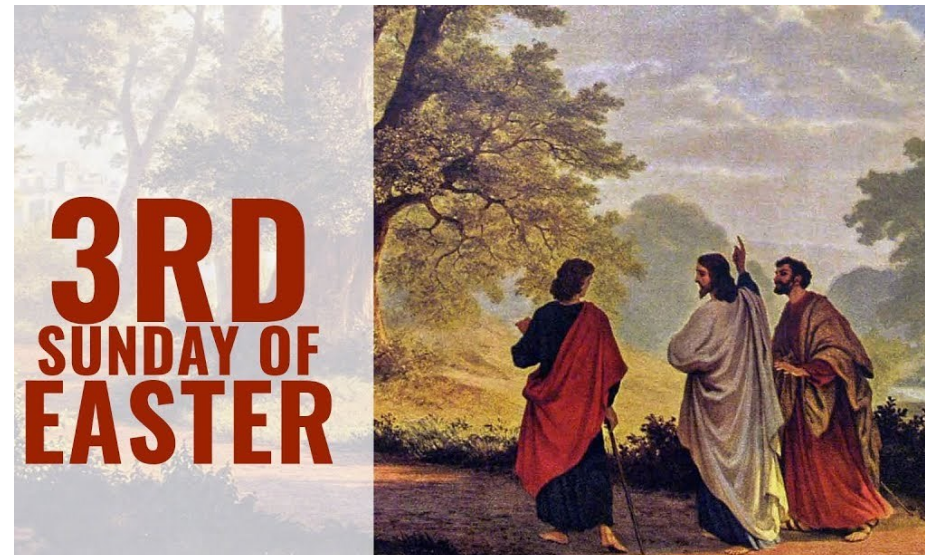
**Prayer Needs**

James Sulin—Debbie B.  
Son-in-Law  
The Barber/Milot Families  
Betty Rough  
Virginia Segar  
Earl Andrews  
Daisy Arias  
Debbie Gelner & her  
brother, Ken Shockley  
Merrill Hartz  
Judy Otto  
Jeff Yarborough  
Pastor Nancy  
Darrell Sutton  
Sue Gibson

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**Please review the Prayer Needs.**

If you would like to add a name or if you are listed and would like your name removed, fill out the attached Communication Card and place in the offering plate. Thank you.



**Happenings**

4/16 9:00-am	Quilters Carter Hall
4/18 9:30	Angel Wing Crafters Crafter's Room

**Greeter Schedule**

1st Sun. Bonnie Thompkins/Sandy Allen  
2nd Sun. Nathan Wilcox Joey Thompson  
3rd Sun. Bonnie Thompkins/Sandy Allen  
4th Sun. Sarah Hiemstra/Shirley Evans  
5th Sun TBD TBD

**Acolyte Schedule**

James Smith  
Sophia Funkhouser

**Usher Schedule**

1st Sunday Buddy Bonney/ Gene Gelner  
2nd Sunday Bill Ruskey/ Gene Gelner  
3rd Sunday Richard Allen/ Gene Gelner  
4th Sunday Mil Willis /Gene Gelner  
5th Sunday ..... TBD

**Liturgist Schedule**

Maila Policarpio  
Darrell Millner  
MaryLou Moseley  
Stacey Funkhouser

**Live stream @ [www.ChristLIVE.us](http://www.ChristLIVE.us)  
Audio only @ 518-906-1420**

# Communication Card

(Please Place in the Offering Plate)

Please complete the form below if you are a guest, would like to be contacted by the pastor, have a prayer request or have a suggestion:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred contact method:  
 Phone  E-mail  Mail

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home  Mobile  Work

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I would  like to hear from the Pastor because or  like to suggest:

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## GATHERING

### Assembling in the name of Jesus Christ

**Chimes**.....*Jane Whittington*

**Prelude**.....*Margaret Ann Johnson*

### Welcome & Passing the Peace

### Announcements

### \*Call to Worship

How shall we live when lavished with love?  
**We are God’s children, but it has not been revealed what we are to become in the future.**” (1 John 3:2)  
Just as in our origins, our future is tied to our planet.  
**Creator has given us partners for mutual flourishing.**  
Let us worship God, who makes all things new.

**\*Hymn...**”*The Strife is O’er, the Battle Done*” UMH #306

### Opening Prayer

God of Hope,  
We see your love  
poured out for us  
in all the world.  
Make us more like you.  
Teach us to live together  
as one community  
human and beyond-human,  
creature and created  
to your glory,  
so your love is known  
among all the living. Amen.

*\*Denotes Please stand in body or in spirit.*

Responsive Reading .....Psalm 4.....UMH #741  
PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE  
\*Hymn .....”*Glory Be To the Father*” UMH 70

### Children’s Message The Lord’s Prayer

**\*Hymn**.....”He Touched Me”..... UMH # 367

**\*Scripture Reading**.....*1 John 3: 1-7*  
**Sermon** ”*Can I Get A Witness?*” *Rev. Dr. Clarence Brown*

**\*Apostle’s Creed** .....UMH#881  
**Prayer of Thanksgiving**

Sharing our gifts through our offerings

**\*Offertory** .....*Doxology*”.....UMH #95  
**Prayers of the People**

**\*Hymn**.....”*Christ is Alive*”.....UMH # 318  
(Verses 1, 2 and 5)

### GOING FORTH Going forth to share the message of Jesus with the world

**\*Closing Hymn**.....”*Because He Lives*” .....UMH #364  
(*Chorus Only*)

*Go in peace*  
Postlude.....*Margaret Ann Johnson*