

The United Methodist Church in  
**Wayne**



**EASTER SUNDAY AND HOLY COMMUNION**

**April 9, 2023**

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PRELUDE

*You Alone*

Parish Drive

## GREETINGS AND NEWS

### OPENING SCRIPTURE Matthew 28:1-6

After the sabbath, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. And suddenly there was a great earthquake; for an angel of the Lord, descending from heaven, came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. For fear of him the guards shook and became like dead men.

But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified.

He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said.

INTROIT

*Lift High the Cross*

Jubilation Ringers

### INVITATION TO WORSHIP

Reader 1: In love Christ became empty.

**All: and obedient to death on a cross.**

Reader 2: But Christ is risen!

**All: Christ is risen indeed!**

Reader 1&2: Christ is raised from the dead by the love of God!

**All: The Crucified One is risen!**

Reader 1: Christ has conquered by the cross!

**All: All our hope is in him! Alleluia!**

Reader 2: The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not,

Reader 1&2: will not, can not overcome it.

Reader 1: Alleluia!

Reader 2: Alleluia!

Both: Alleluia!

**All: Alleluia! ALLELUIA!**

**\*OPENING HYMN:** *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today* Vs. 1,2,4 UMH #302

**PRAYER** *written by Steve Garnaas-Holmes*

**God of Love, you have changed death into life. You have changed our fear into courage. You have changed despair into hope. Change our hearts, that being raised with Christ we may live brand new lives, in the mystery and the power of your love. Amen.**

**SCRIPTURE READING** Matthew 28:5-10

But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples, 'He has been raised from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him.' This is my message for you." So they left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples.

Suddenly Jesus met them and said, "Greetings!" And they came to him, took hold of his feet, and worshiped him.

Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me."

**ANTHEM**

*He Is Risen*

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**MESSAGE**

*Do Not Be Afraid!*

**PRAYER OF GOD'S PEOPLE**

**PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

The peace of Christ is with you.

**And also with you.**

## **WORSHIPING GOD THROUGH OUR GIVING**

**OFFERTORY**

*Glorious*

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### *Doxology*

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
praise God, all creatures here below;  
praise God above, ye heavenly host;  
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.  
Amen.*

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION** *written by Carol Penner*

**God of great gifts, this morning we give you praise, we give you glory, we give you thanks! With resurrection humming in our hearts, our minds are tuned to your song of peace! We joyfully present these gifts to you, a tangible chorus of thanksgiving, a harmony of hope for your kingdom come! Amen.**

## **THE GREAT THANKSGIVING UMH #15 WORD & TABLE III**

*After our servers come forward to receive the gifts of bread and grape juice you will be invited by our ushers to receive Holy Communion either being served in your seat or coming forward to receive by intinction at the Altar. After receiving we invite you to reflect upon your communion with Christ.*

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

RECEIVING THE BREAD AND THE CUP  
PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

**\*CLOSING HYMN**

*He Lives*

UMH #310

**BLESSING AND SENDING FORTH**

**POSTLUDE**

*Unstoppable God*

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**EASTER EGG HUNT**

Join us after worship for an exciting hunt!

Find as many eggs as you can and turn them in for a sweet treat or an opportunity to learn Karate with Sensei Lee!

***Thank you, everyone, who made our Soup Sale a success!  
We raised \$1,000 for our General Fund!***

***Thank you for financially supporting our ministry.  
We offer many ways to give:***

*In the sanctuary or by mail.*

Online at [www.umcwayne.org](http://www.umcwayne.org)

<https://giving.ncsservices.org/app/giving/umcwgiving>

Text "GIVING" to 973-447-3223

QR Code:



## EASTER FLOWERS



*The following people have honored and  
remembered their loved ones  
through the gift of Easter Flowers*



Don & Marilyn Creamer - 1 Daffodil, 1 Tulip & 2 Hyacinths  
*In memory of Jim & Dot Creamer  
In memory of Paul & Dottie Atherton  
In honor of our grandsons, Sean & Aidan Creamer*

Don & Pat Matthews- 1 Daffodil & 1 Tulip  
*In Memory of our Parents*

Jason Snyder- 1 Easter Lily & 1 Tulip  
*In honor of June Snyder*

John & Dianne DeVos -1 Tulip  
*In honor of our sons, Robert & Michael*

Susan Drastal- 1 Daffodils  
*In honor of The Batta Family*

Janice Fredericks – 1 Tulip, 1 Daffodil & 1 Hyacinth  
*In memory of Esther Fredricks Domes, Joseph Fredricks &  
Henry Domes*

Lori, Alex & Dylan Ingerman - 1 Easter Lily, 1 Tulip, & 2 Hyacinths  
*In memory of Beloved Father and Bapa, Charlie Mougalian,  
In memory of David Ingerman, Beloved Husband and Father*

Richard T. Jackson – 2 Easter Lilies  
*In memory of Ralph & Millie Jackson*  
*In memory of Wayne & Jane Shortman*

Robert & Nancy Kinch – 2 Daffodils  
*In memory of loved ones*

Margaret Krum – 2 Tulips  
*In memory of Mom & Dad, Etta & John Smith*

Ken & Pastor Ninabeth Metcalf- 2 Easter Lilies  
*In memory of loved ones*

Janine Batta- 1 Tulip  
*In honor of the Glory of God*

Dawn & Bruce Monroe – 1 Easter Lily, 1 Tulip  
*In honor of Emma and Dylan Monroe*

Michelle Monroe- 1 Easter Lily and 1 Tulip  
*In memory of Mackenzie Rae Jennings*

Lois Mougalian – 1 Daffodil, 1 Tulip, & 1 Hyacinth  
*In memory of Charles Mougalian*  
*In memory of David Ingerman*  
*In memory of Mr. & Mrs. VanDyke Tyndall*  
*In memory of Mr. & Mrs. George Mougalian*

Linda Penin –1 Daffodil & 1 Tulip  
*In memory of Santos & Dorothea Penin*  
*In memory of Gladys Jacobus*



Jennifer Schiffrin –2 Daffodils & 2 Tulips  
*In memory of family and friends*  
*In honor of family and friends*

Elizabeth & Joseph Tible – 1 Daffodil  
*In memory of Jane Fikslin*  
*In memory of Paul & Elinor Fikslin*  
*In memory of Shirley & Joe Tible*

Patty & Jeff Hassler – 1 Tulip  
*In memory of our parents*

Janet Malone- 1 Hyacinth  
*In memory of loved ones*

Michael & Linda Lakner- 2 Daffodils, 2 Tulips  
*In memory of our parents:*  
*John & Tillie Lakner and Jim & Doris Robinson*

The Gaines Family- 1 Easter Lily and 1 Hyacinth  
*In memory of loved ones*

Deborah & Pat Sparks- 2 Daffodils  
*In memory of Jane & John Blair*

The Slevin Family- 1 Tulip & 1 Hyacinth  
*In memory of loved ones*



## **ANNOUNCEMENTS April 9, 2023**

### **CALENDAR OF EVENTS April 10<sup>th</sup> – April 16<sup>th</sup>**

#### **Monday April 10<sup>th</sup>**

AA mtg @ 7:30pm in Fellowship Hall (Room 8)

#### **Tuesday April 11<sup>th</sup>**

Karate @ 4pm in the underground

Adult Spiritual Formation @ 7pm “In the Footsteps of the Savior”

#### **Wednesday April 12<sup>th</sup>**

Karate @ 4pm in the underground

Grace Café @ 6:30pm in Fellowship Hall (Room 8)

#### **Thursday April 13<sup>th</sup>**

Karate @ 4pm in the underground

#### **Friday April 14<sup>th</sup>**

Prayer & Devotion @ 7am on Facebook with Pastor Ninabeth

Boy Scouts @ 7:30pm in the Underground

#### **Sunday April 16<sup>th</sup>**

Choir meeting with Peter Candela @ 9:15am

Worship @ 10am

Book Club after worship

### **CALLING ALL SINGERS!**

Join Peter Candela on Sunday morning April 16<sup>th</sup> at 9:15am for a meet, greet, and planning time. Bring your hopes, your favorite hymns, and your willingness to make a joyful noise!

**Book Club meets next Sunday after worship**

“What Happens in Paradise” & “Trouble in Paradise”  
We will meet in the French Chapel.

**Celebrating Maureen!**

There will be a reception after church on Sunday, April 16th to celebrate and thank Maureen for her faithful 10 years as our church administrator. If you will be attending, please RSVP to Nancy Kinch at [nkinch@aol.com](mailto:nkinch@aol.com) or 973-694-2603. If you have any questions, please call Valerie Batta at 973-227-2938(no texting as this is a landline).

**Prayer and Devotion on Friday Mornings**  
**at 7am on Facebook.**

**Our Facebook page is: UMC.Wayne**

Join Pastor Ninabeth for this 30 minute gathering.  
You do not have to be a Facebook user to participate.

**Attention High School Graduating Seniors**

The United Methodist Women Scholarship applications can be picked up in the church office and must be returned by May 15th. \*\* Applicants must be an active member of the UMC in Wayne\*\*  
Any questions contact Nancy Kinch. (973) 694-2603 or [nkinch@aol.com](mailto:nkinch@aol.com)

**WEBSITE NEWS!**

Our Website has moved but the name remains the same

[UMCWAYNE.ORG](http://UMCWAYNE.ORG)

It will be fully up to date soon. Our weekly bulletin and announcements and our monthly Messenger are available for viewing or downloading.

Any comments relating to the website can be sent

to [tech@umcwayne.org](mailto:tech@umcwayne.org)

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