

WARREN FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

April 3, 2022

PRELUDE

(8:00 AM)

“How Deep the Father’s Love for Us”
“The Power of your Love”

arr. Tornquist
arr. Labenske

PRELUDE

(10:00 AM)

“Adagio Sostenuto”
“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”
“Were You There?”
“The Old Rugged Cross”

Haydn
arr. Kim
arr. Torans
arr. Cynthia Dobrinski

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

*HYMN No. 430

“O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee”

Maryton

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: God has set this day before us,

People: A day set apart, a day of rest and praise.

Leader: God has set our lives before us,

People: A span of years in which we love, and learn, and serve.

Leader: God has set God’s seal upon our hearts,

People: So that we might live fully in deep love. Together let us worship God!

ANTHEM

“O Sacred, Wondrous Love”

arr. Heather Sorenson

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH THE NICENE CREED No. 880

*GLORIA PATRI No. 71

CONCERNS AND PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD

Lead Me, Lord

Lead me, Lord, lead me in thy righteousness;
make thy way plain before my face. For it is thou, Lord,
thou, Lord only, that makest me dwell in safety.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (using sins)

*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 sins, as we forgive those who sin 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.*

ANTHEM "The Day the Cross Held Up The Sky" Douglas Nolan

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

(10:00 AM only)

*Doxology

*Offertory Prayer

SCRIPTURE "Matthew 4:18-25" Pew Bible Pages 879-880

MESSAGE "No Fishing" Rev. Dr. Mark E. Hecht

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

***HYMN No. 589** "The Church of Christ, in Every Age" Dickinson College

BENEDICTION

BEARING OF LIGHT

(10:00 AM only)

POSTLUDE "Worthy is the Lamb" arr. Tornquist
(8:00 AM)

POSTLUDE "Postlude on Schmucke dich" Cruger
(10:00 AM)

*** Indicates Please Stand if Able**

MUSIC today is provided by Michele Sandberg, organist, our Chancel Choir, and the Epworth Handbells. The 8:00 AM pianist is Cathy Peterson.

LITURGISTS today are Mary Jo Zubrod and Madalyn Nobles.

ACOLYTES today are Holden Demers and David Huffman.

USHERS today are team 1, Ed Rickerson and Bill Hannold.

ALTAR FLOWERS today are in memory of Michael and Nathan Park, given by the Jack Park Family.

PRAYER CONCERNS can be found in our weekly email Newsletter.
Offering plates **WILL NOT** be passed during worship but
instead will be available at the door.

WEEKLY COMMUNION ~ Beginning today, we will be offering Communion at the 8:00 AM Sunday Worship Service each week.

CREATIVITY ~ On Saturday, April 9th, Creativity will meet at 9:30 AM in the Sanctuary to arrange the Palms for Palm Sunday. On Saturday, April 16th, Creativity will meet again at 9:30 AM in the Sanctuary to arrange the Easter Flowers for Easter Sunday.

BOOK OF THE BIBLE STUDY ~ You are invited to a study of *Paul's Letter to the Ephesians*, to be held on **Wednesday afternoons** starting at **1 PM**. **The first session will be on April 20, 2022.** The group will meet at the home of Mike and Maryann Long, 819 Pleasant Drive, and will be led by Mike Long. We will plan on covering the six chapters in five sessions. Note-taking outlines will be provided to help facilitate discussion. Participants are encouraged to bring their own Bibles. The goals are to explore some of the mysteries associated with this text and to discern principles taught by the apostle for Christian living in church and home. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board across from the office.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION ~ Applications for the Mary F. & Melvin G. Keller Scholarship through the First United Methodist Higher Education Fund are now available. Applications must be received before April 30, 2022, for the 2022–2023 school year and can be printed off from the church website at www.firstumwarren.com or a link on the weekly newsletter.

HOLY SPIRIT STUDY ~ Every Friday at the Crossing from 1:30 PM—2:30 PM, until May 13, 2022.

EASTER FLOWER ORDER FORMS ~ Order forms for Easter Flowers can be found on the church website at firstumwarren.com, in the weekly newsletter, or outside the church office.

LENTEN FAIR ~ Please join us for our Lenten Fair on Palm Sunday, April 10th. Come and enjoy the many activities we have planned for you and your family (for children of ALL ages). There will be egg decorating, pretzel making, crafts, an Easter egg hunt, and much more. So, don't miss the action beginning at 8:30AM in Founder's Hall (2nd floor). Come enjoy the fun and fellowship.

CHRISTIAN MEN'S ACCOUNTABILITY GROUP ~ Starting Monday Mornings at 7:00 AM, APRIL 11, a small accountability group will meet weekly for encouragement, accountability and prayer. There is a sign-up sheet next to Rev. Hecht's office.

HIGH SCHOOL & COLLEGE GRADUATES – We will recognize College/High School graduates on Sunday, June 5th, during our 10:00am worship service.

If you have a graduate to be recognized, please contact Heidi Ketzko through the church office (814-723-4930) so that we can put the information into our bulletin and recognize your student. Thank You.

2022 MID-WEEK LENTEN COMMUNITY SERVICES ~ April 6th at Trinity.

COMMUNITY GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE ~ A Community Good Friday Service is scheduled for April 15th at 7:30 PM at the First United Methodist Church. There will be a community choir with rehearsal at 7:30 PM on April 13th in the FUMC Sanctuary. The offering collected at the service will be given to the Salvation Army.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF

April 3, 2022 – April 9, 2022

SUNDAY

8:00 AM Service of Word and Sacrament; Sanctuary
8:45 AM - 9:45 AM Fellowship; Covert Room
10:00 AM Worship Service; Sanctuary
5:00 PM Confirmation Class; Covert Room
5:30 PM Grades 6 & 7 UMYF; youth Room
6:30 PM Grades 8 - 12 UMYF; Youth Room

MONDAY

8:30 AM - 12:00 PM Office Hours
6:00 PM Youth Incarceration Group; Upstairs
6:00 PM Adult Incarceration Group; Founder's Hall
6:30 PM Silver Winds Flute Choir; Music Room

TUESDAY

8:30 AM - 4:00 PM Office Hours
8:30 AM - 11:15 AM 3 Year Old Preschool
8:30 AM - 11:30 AM Pre K Preschool
12:30 PM Tuesday Study Group; Covert Room
1:00 PM Staff Meeting; Parlor B
3:30 PM Children & Youth Music ; Music Room
5:30 PM Lenten Soup Study; Founder's Hall
6:30 Epworth Handbells; Sanctuary

WEDNESDAY

8:30 AM - 4:00 PM Office Hours
8:30 AM - 11:15 AM 3 Year Old Preschool
8:30 AM - 11:30 AM Pre K Preschool
8:45 AM Covenant Disciple Group
10:00 AM Prayer Shawl Ministry; Covert Room
1:00 PM UMW Book Club; Covert Room
3:30 PM LOGOS; Recognition Night
6:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal; Music Room

THURSDAY

8:30 AM - 12:00 PM Office Hours
8:20 AM - 11:15 AM 3 Year Old Preschool
8:30 AM - 11:30 AM Pre K Preschool
1:00 PM Covenant Discipleship Group; Covert Room
5:30 PM Covenant Discipleship Group; Covert Room
6:00 PM Divorce Care Meeting; Covert Room
7:00 PM Warren Philharmonic Rehearsal; Founder's Hall

FRIDAY

8:30 AM - 12:00 PM Office Hours
12:00 PM Senior Lunch; Founder's Hall

SATURADY

9:30 AM Creativity; Sanctuary