11:00 a.m. Service

The Work of the People for April 16, 2023

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Gathering For Praise

Choral Call to Worship 'Alleluia, Christ is Risen! Chancel Choir

Call to Worship Rev. Christine Matthews

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Christ is risen!

Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Hymn of Praise 'Christ has Risen' TFWS 2115

Welcome & Announcements

Children's Discipleship Moment Gregg Weatherly

Hearing God's Word

Gospel Acclamation 'Heleluyan' UMH 78

Scripture Reading Luke 24: 13-35 Lisanne Cisson

Series WALK

Sermon 'Keep Walking' Rev. Jonathan Tompkins

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Responding to God's Word

Hymn of Response 'Day of Arising' on screen

Communion

Anthem 'Was I Faithful?' Hamlin

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Going Forth to Serve God's World

Hymn of Sending 'Christ, We are Blest' on screen

Sending Forth

This is the good news!

The grave is empty, Christ is risen.

This is the good news!

The light shines in the darkness,

and the darkness can never put it out.

This is the good news!

Once we were no people, now we are God's people.

Christ is our peace,

our indestructible peace. Alleluia! Amen.

Worshiping here for the first time?

Stop by one of our Hospitality Stations on your way out of the sanctuary for a welcome bag and a greeting from one of our Hospitality Team members.

UMH: United Methodist Hymnal TFWS: The Faith We Sing Hymnal

Pianist: Debra Lusk

Stewardship Report

 One Fund Monthly Goal 2023 \$43,620
 Date 4.02
 Online 4.02
 In-Person 5 unday School 236
 Sunday School 94

 One Fund Actual MTD
 \$20,184
 4.09
 TBD
 TBD
 89

Deposits week ended \$ TBD

Building Project Fund as of February

\$1,322,081

Thank you!

E-giving available at trmethodist.net or scan QR code —>

Text-to-Give: text the amount you wish to give to (833) 948-2135, wait for response to guide you through the process.



Prayer

HOMEBOUND	TRUMC	FRIENDS
George Adamson	Fred Dyal	Jennifer Morgan
James White	Myra Robitalle	Joey Smith
Dee Hughes	Richard Goodall	Brynley Woods and family
Pam Miller	Ron Parker	
Patrick O'Dell		
Reggy O'Dell		
Frances Lockaby	9	Submit a prayer request to our Prayer Team:
Barbara Floyd		<u>prayer@trmethodist.net</u>
Martha Foster		(Please indicate if you would like it to be on
Mary Greene		the church-wide list or just for the team)

Pray for Peace in Ukraine and for all affected by the war



TRUMC is a Stephen Ministry Congregation. If you could benefit from having a Stephen Minister, please contact Patti Crenshaw (864)380-8421 or Dave McAda (864)380-5867

Responding to God's Word

Song of Response 'Day of Arising'

Communion

Song 'What Can I Do?'

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Going Forth to Serve God's World

Hymn of Sending 'Praise the Lord' City Harmonic

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Psalm 100 Band Director: Bryan Catron



Sermon: 'Keep Walking'

Scripture: Luke 24:13-35 (CEB) (Read verses 13-27 in your Bible...)

28 When they came to Emmaus, he acted as if he was going on ahead. 29 But they urged him, saying, "Stay with us. It's nearly evening, and the day is almost over." So he went in to stay with them. 30 After he took his seat at the table with them, he took the bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. 31 Their eyes were opened and they recognized him, but he disappeared from their sight. 32 They said to each other, "Weren't our hearts on fire when he spoke to us along the road and when he explained the scriptures for us?"

33 They got up right then and returned to Jerusalem. They found the eleven and their companions gathered together. 34 They were saying to each other, "The Lord really has risen! He appeared to Simon!" 35 Then the two disciples described what had happened along the road and how Jesus was made known to them as he broke the bread.

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet. And a light unto my path.

Trail Blazes (thoughts and ideas to guide you)

Next Steps for the Journey

How many times have you missed Jesus walking with you because you were 'looking down'? What allowed you to recognize his presence?

Have you let the Risen Christ interpret Scripture for you? How has this been helpful?

How does hospitality make a meaningful Christian witness both individually and in the life of the church?

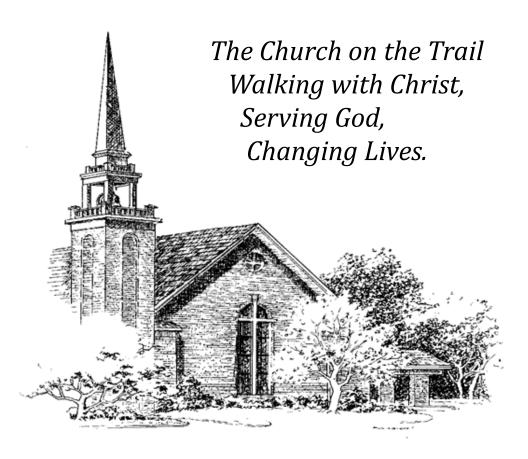
How have you known Jesus in the breaking of the bread?

How can you walk with Christ, serve God, and change lives this Easter season?

This Week's Walk

'A good book, like a good story or a good sermon, is not done when it's over. It keeps bringing things to us and demanding things of us. That's how Jesus' parables work: not one is done when it's over...Every parable you hear needs you to finish it...take what is here and complete it. Make it your own. What I'm saying is, keep walking. God speed.' (Mark Buchanan, God Walk, Conclusion)

Travelers Rest **United Methodist Church**



April 16, 2023

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Rev. Jonathan Tompkins jonathan@trmethodist.net 843-957-2619

Rev. Christine Matthews christine@trmethodist.net 864-915-4737

8:45 a.m. Service

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Song of Praise 'Mighty to Save' B. Fielding, R. Morgan

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Song of Praise 'Christ has Risen' W. Moore, J. Bell

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Upcoming Events and Announcements

For full events schedule, see the monthly *Pew & Pulpit* Newsletter (paper or online)



Whether you are worshiping with us in person, online, or in your cars on 88.9FM, we are grateful you have joined us! Let us know you're worshiping with us & stay connected during the week



Help Lead Worship

Acolytes/Bible Bearers; *Children's Moments*; Scripture Readers; Greeters/Ushers: Sign up online www.trmethodist.net/online-sign-ups

Sunday School

We offer several Sunday morning classes for children, youth, and adults during the 10am hour.

Contact Pastor Christine to find the class for you! christine@trmethodist.net

Growth Groups

Our weekly small groups have started back up for Spring Session and go through the end of May. We offer 6 Growth Groups that meet during the week to grow together in faith and discuss the scripture, sermon, and Trail Guide questions from each Sunday's service. Open to all!

Contact Pastor Christine to join: christine@trmethodist.net

Attention Yutes!

United Methodist Youth Fellowship (UMYF) for 6th-12th graders meets tonight,
April 16th, 5pm for a meal and Reading Buddies.
Bring some books and come prepared to get to know and read with a K5-3rd grader.

TRUMPETS Children's Choir

Our Travelers Rest United Methodist People Eager to Sing will resume rehearsals on Sunday, April 23rd, 5pm-5:30pm in the Chapel, to prepare for their performance on Sunday, May 14th.

Open to all K3-5th Graders. Contact Kathleen McCombe: trumctrumpets@gmail.com

Pew & Pulpit

For more info on other small groups and service opportunities, like our Prayer Team, Stephen Ministry, Forever 55 Group, Mind Health Support, Mission Circle, et. al, please pick up a copy of April's *Pew & Pulpit* newsletter in the information kiosk, or find online: https://www.trmethodist.net/newsletter

Note: Our 11am Music Director Jann Howell is taking a Renewal Leave until June 11th.

We wish her a well-deserved time of rest!