

Celebration of Worship

Sunday, April 9, 2023

10:00 a.m.

**Indicates the Congregation is asked to stand*

Easter Sunday

*Welcome to worship! The 10 a.m. service is recorded and streamed live online.
The first nine rows of seats may occasionally appear in the recording.*

Prelude *Voluntary* David N. Johnson

Choral Introit *This Joyful Eastertide* arr. Robert Shaw
Alice Parker

*This joyful Eastertide, away with sin and sorrow.
My Love, the Crucified, hath sprung to life this morrow.
Had Christ, that once was slain, ne'er burst his three-day prison,
Our faith had been in vain: but now hath Christ arisen.*

Text: George Ratcliffe Woodward

***Opening Hymn – No. 302** *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today*

***The Easter Acclamation**

Leader: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

People: **Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

Leader: Praise the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

People: **He has given us new life and hope. He has raised Jesus
from the dead.**

Leader: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

People: **Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

***Opening Prayer**

Almighty God,

Through Jesus Christ you overcame death

and opened to us the gate of everlasting life.

Grant that we

who celebrate the day of the Lord's resurrection,

**may, by the renewing of your Spirit
arise from the death of sin to the life of righteousness.
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

***Gloria Patri – No. 70**

Words of Welcome

(Please sign the attendance register in your pew.)

A Time with the Children

The Anthem

Hallelujah!

Ludwig van Beethoven

(from “Mount of Olives”)

*Hallelujah unto God's Almighty Son. Praise the Lord, ye bright angelic choirs
In holy songs of Joy. Man, proclaim his grace and glory, Hallelujah unto
God's Almighty Son Praise the Lord in holy songs of joy.*

Text: Franz Xaver Huber

Morning Prayer

Almighty God, by the resurrection of Christ you broke the power of death and opened the way to eternal life. As the empty tomb stands witness to his triumph over death, make your church to be a bold testimony to his enduring victory in life, that all we do may proclaim to the world, "He is risen, indeed!" Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.

Quiet Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

The Giving and Receiving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory *I Know that My Redeemer Liveth* George Frideric Handel
(from "Messiah")

Clara Kelly, soprano

I know that my Redeemer liveth, and that He shall stand at the latter day upon the earth. And though worms destroy this body, yet in my flesh shall I see God. For now is Christ risen from the dead, the first-fruits of them that sleep.

Text: Job 19: 25-26, I Corinthians 15: 20

***Presentation of the Offering – No. 95** *Praise God*

New Testament Reading *Acts 10:34-43* Pew Bible p. 892

***Hymn of Preparation – No. 314** *In the Garden*

***Gospel Reading** *Matthew 28:1-10* Pew Bible p. 811

Sermon *Looking for Jesus* Rev. David Jacobson

***Affirmation of Faith** *The Nicene Creed*

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the

Intercessory Prayer Concerns

For the week of April 9th:

Georgia Baschenis	Janice Arcieri	Brenda Sutton
Max Wiener	Jane	Jeff Farley
Barbara	Bill Mercier	Dave Bailey
Jim Blackwell	Betty Taylor	

Our Confirmands: Allana, Austen, Ava, Ben, Luke, Jeremiah

This week we will pray for: *Bulgaria, Hungary, Romania*

We give thanks for:

- the blending of Christian traditions and practices, from the West and East
- the faithful witness of churches amid political changes
- those working for more democratic governance in these countries
- those who welcome newcomers and provide for them and others in need.

We pray for:

- better relationships among different ethnic groups and traditions
- respect for the rights of children, women, the young and the elderly, so they can receive adequate education, jobs and health care
- economic developments that serve all people
- ending practices that harm the air, soil and forests, and installing instead measures to protect the environment.

In response to what I have learned, experienced and heard from God, this week I will _____

*Please contact the church office via phone or email
to request an addition to the prayer list.
Your prayer request will remain in the bulletin for four weeks.*

Week of April 9 - 15, 2023

Sunday

8:30 a.m. Blended Service
10:00 a.m. Traditional Worship

11:00 a.m. Swahili Worship
1:30 p.m. A.A., 206

Monday – Pastor David’s Sabbath

6:30 p.m. PEO, 211
7:00 p.m. BSA 307G, SR

7:00 p.m. Bible Study, Library
7:00 p.m. Round Dance, SH

Tuesday

10:30 a.m. Bible Study, Library
11:00 a.m. Prayer Time
1:30 p.m. Grief Group, Library
4:30 p.m. Girl Scouts 884, SR

6:30 p.m. Stephens Ministry, 211
7:00 p.m. BSA 307B, SR
7:00 p.m. GS Leaders, 206
8:00 p.m. A.A., 305

Wednesday

11:30 a.m. Warm Welcome Lunch
12:00 p.m. Men’s Bible Study
1:00 p.m. Prayer Shawls, Library
6:30 p.m. Cubs 307, 202-5, SR

7:00 p.m. Toastmasters, 206
7:00 p.m. Bible Study, 211
7:00 p.m. Coin Club, 208

Thursday

1:00 p.m. Deborah Circle, 211
4:15 p.m. Girl Scouts 178, SR
6:00 p.m. Girl Scouts 2499, 305
6:00 p.m. Girl Scouts 1640, SR

6:00 p.m. Confirmation Class
6:30 p.m. Bible Study, 206
7:00 p.m. Grief Group, Library
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir, 209

Friday

7:30 p.m. MS Youth, SH
9:00 p.m. HS Youth, SC

Saturday

8:00 a.m. Methodist Girls
10:00 a.m. Sewing Guild, 211
10:00 a.m. DAR, 206

12:00 p.m. AA, 208
4:00 p.m. Spaghetti Dinner, SH

Easter Flowers - 2023

Lilies Given in Honor of

My wonderful Family by Melvin Blontz
The Church Staff by Joan & Jim Boone
Bev D'Arcy by Donna & Jeff D'Arcy
Cousin Joan & Dick Hine by Cousin Sharon Steele
My amazing Family by Robin Holtman
Our loving Families by Vicki McCormick & Dave Heymann
Barbara Milbourne by Joan & Jim Boone

Lilies Given in Loving Memory of

My beloved husband Jack, son Ned and stepdaughter Patty by Nancy Ahern
Ruth & Edward Kirkley by Flora & Stuart Auld
Robert Dale Kirkley by Flora & Stuart Auld
Carol Lee Kirkley Will by Flora & Stuart Auld
Chip Day by Joan & Jim Boone
Bob Sansbury by Joan & Jim Boone
Louise & Bill Hawkins by Joan & Jim Boone
Lt. Todd J. Bryant (kia 10-31-2003 Iraq)
Ruth & Lionel Burgess and Blaine D'Arcy by Donna & Jeff D'Arcy
Florence Trussel by Marde Gillespie
Arthur W. Holz by the Holz Family
Loved Ones by Kathie & Bill LaVeck
Captain Timothy J. Moshier (kia 4-1-2006 Iraq)
Our Parents by Marge & Jeff Odom
John Reymann by his son and family, the Reymann's
Patricia Brown & Charles Young by their daughter and family, the Reymann's
Beth Cole by the Reymann Family
Carl Hein by the Reymann Family

Lilies Given in Loving Memory of

Brittany Lynn Stevens by the Reymann Family
Ruth Shortt by Sherrie & Ken Shorter
Walter Shortt by Sherrie & Ken Shorter
Beth Ann Murrow by William & Jane Sneeringer
Loved Ones by the Startt Family
Loved Ones by Stephanie Young

Tulips Given in Honor of

Joan & Jim Boone by Nancy & Doug Hobbs
Carolyn Bracken by Nancy & Doug Hobbs
Dahme & Fagan Families by Nancy Dahme
Nancy & Doug Hobbs by Joan & Jim Boone
Our Children and Grandchildren by Nancy & Doug Hobbs
Kathy Kluka for all her help by Nancy & Doug Hobbs
*Our Music Makers: Director Donald Fries, the Chancel Choir,
Children's Choir and the CUMCwhats by Nancy Ahern*
Elizabeth, Abby & Marlee Murrow with love, joy and kisses from Heaven
Marge & Jeff Odom by Joan & Jim Boone
Mrs. Mary Prassina by Neysa, Mark, Connor, Callie & Arianna Silvestri
Our Families by William & Jane Sneeringer

Tulips Given in Loving Memory of

*Baby Ricky by Mom, Dad, Drew, Kate, Ronnie, Rusty, April, Kevin,
Dougie & Annie*
Pat & Jack Moss, parents/grandparents, by Patti, Scott & Katie Blaha
A.D. & Hilda Anderson, grandparents by Patti, Scott, & Katie Blaha
My loving wife "Norn" by Melvin Blontz
Bryce Doxzon by Joan & Jim Boone
Virginia, Karl, Craig & David Varner by Joan & Jim Boone
Ruth & Lionel Burgess by Joan & Jim Boone
Mary & Jack Burleigh with deepest love from their Children & Grandchildren

Tulips Given in Loving Memory of

*Our Loved Ones by Don, Helene & Emily Derrenberger
Frances & Gus Stewart by Judy & Chuck Gehrman
Louise & Augie Gehrman by Judy & Chuck Gehrman
John & Kathryn Henkel by their Children and Grandchildren
Carolyn & George Tyler by the John Henkel Family
Carroll & Gladys Henkel by the John Henkel Family
Paul and Ruth (Bagnall) Henkel by the John Henkel Family
Walter Bagley and Nick Fosco by the John Henkel Family
Her parents & brothers, Wilbert & Elizabeth Paul and Jim & Gene Paul
by Nancy & Doug Hobbs
His parents, Freda & Doug Hobbs by Nancy & Doug Hobbs
Our Grandparents by Nancy & Doug Hobbs
Our Moms by Robin & Joe Holtman
Gouri Bhattacharya by the Holz Family
Loved Ones by Anne Kaufman
Our Parents by Sally & Al Morse
John R. Murrow, amazing Husband, Father, Pop-pop, Brother, Son, Uncle &
Friend with deepest love from his family
William & Beulah Roeder by Doris Roeder
Loved Ones by Clint & Judy Loar Scott
Richard Shorter, Sr. by Sherrie & Ken Shorter
Shirley Shorter by Sherrie & Ken Shorter
Captain Clifford Bland by Neysa & Mark Silvestri
Our Grandparents by Neysa & Mark Silvestri
Mr. Mario Silvestri, Mrs. Lola Silvestri & Mr. August Prassina
by Neysa, Mark, Connor, Callie & Arianna Silvestri
Omar Pulliam by Marti Startt
Dorothy & Marvin Sprecher by Sharon Steele & Carol Coberth
Bryce Doxzon by the Wednesday Night Bible Study*

The Easter bulletins are given in loving memory of Thelma & Jerry Mack by their daughter Gail and in loving memory of my husband Michael John Shields by his wife Arlene.

Serving today:	<u>8:30 a.m.</u>	<u>10:00 a.m.</u>
Greeters:	Jody & Bill Crum	Janice & Jack Barber
Interpreter:		Sandy Brown
Lector:		Phil Bowman
Steward:	Chris Kennedy	

Large-print bulletins are available from the greeters & ushers. Please let them know if you would like one.

The Nursery (Room 210) is not currently staffed, but it is open for parents and their young children to use. The 10 a.m. worship live stream is available on TV.

2023 Offering Envelopes are here! If you asked for envelopes, please pick them up in the back of the parlor. If you would like envelopes and there aren't any there for you, please sign the pad next to the envelopes.

Warm Welcome Lunch is served every Wednesday, 11:30-1:30 p.m. in the Social Hall. Good food and warm fellowship! Bring a friend!

Red Cross Blood Drive will be held on Tuesday, April 18th 2:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. in the Social Hall. Please sign up through the Red Cross website or contact Janice Barber at jbarber@umd.edu or (410)747-3797.

Bob Sansbury Memorial Spaghetti Dinner will be on Saturday, April 15th from 4 till 7 p.m. Tickets are now on sale between morning services and after the 10 a.m. service. Tickets at the door will cost \$10 more than the presale. We will need helpers to prepare and serve food, as well as wait tables and clean-up. Set-up will be Saturday, (4/15) at 9 a.m. All help will be greatly appreciated. Questions - please call or text Tom at 443-519-3056.

On Thursday afternoon, April 13, Donna D'Arcy will be giving an overview of how Steps of Hope is progressing. Come join church members and friends at 1 p.m. in Room 211. Donna has photos and stories to share!

Flamingos have returned to CUMC! The Youth Group is again doing their Flocking fundraiser. Details and order forms are available now. Start thinking who you would like to have 15 flamingos show up in their yard.

New Bible Study beginning soon – The Surpassing Value of Knowing Christ: A Study of Philippians by Beth Moore and Melissa Moore. The women's study takes place on Thursdays mornings from 9:30 – 11:30 AM in the home of a CUMC member. Interested in joining or learning more details? Email mistyroll@catonsvilleumc.org

Night of Peace can use your help - Night of Peace is a homeless shelter in the Windsor Mill area. Their mission is to provide year-round emergency shelter for homeless families with children. Their goal is to provide food, shelter, and support in a safe environment while families work to transition to permanent housing. You can help with their ongoing list of needs with items like: snacks, kids and women's socks and underwear, diapers, cereal, laundry detergent, trash bags, etc. A full wishlist is posted outside of Loriann Hughes' office. Donations can be dropped off in the box outside her office.

The church office operates remotely Monday and Wednesday, and in person on Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Emails and phone messages are checked regularly.

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Church Office - Kathy Kluka (410-747-1886 or cumc21228@verizon.net)Misty

Troll - Director of Christian Formation

Loriann Hughes – Director of Youth Ministries

Michael Schmitt – Early Music Coordinator

Join Us at Catonsville UMC

Sunday Worship Times

8:30 AM Blended
10:00 AM Traditional
7:00 PM Contemporary

Sunday School Sundays at 10:00 AM

(Children ages 3 - High School)
Adult Bible Study 9:45 - 11:00 AM

Adult Bible Studies/ Small Groups

Monday evening at 7:00 PM
Tuesday daytime for Women at 10:30 AM
Wednesday afternoon for Men at 12:00 PM
Wednesday evening at 7:00 PM

Youth Group every Friday Night

Middle School 7:30 - 9:15 PM
High School 8:45 - 11:00 PM

Warm Welcome Lunch Wednesdays from 11:30 - 1:30 PM

Choir

Junior Choir: Sundays at 11:15 AM
Adult Chancel Choir: Thursday Evening at 7:30 PM

Grief Support Groups

Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 PM
Thursday Evening at 7:00 PM

For more information: www.catonsvilleumc.org & FB @catonsvilleumc



Warm LUNCH Welcome

A FREE hot meal and a warm
welcome for everyone

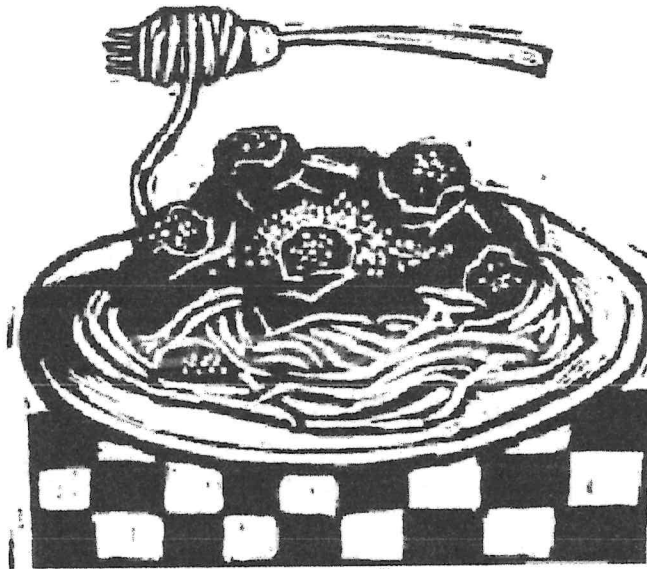
WEDNESDAYS

11:30 - 1:30

Catonsville united Methodist Church
6 Melvin Ave. Catonsville
across from the post office

Use the door labeled "Social Hall"

Bob Sansbury Memorial Spaghetti Dinner



**To Benefit United
Methodist Men
Mission Projects**

Saturday, April 15
4 to 7 PM in the
CUMC Social Hall

**Tickets for sale
between and after
Sunday services**

Family: \$35 / Adult: \$15
Child (6-12): \$8
Under 6: Free

Buy Sunday or call or
text Tom (443-519-3056)

**Tickets at the door will
be \$10 more**

Christ the Lord Is Risen Today

- 1 Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia!
Earth and heaven in chorus say, Alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!
Sing, ye heavens, and earth reply, Alleluia!
- 2 Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia!
Fought the fight, the battle won, Alleluia!
Death in vain forbids him rise, Alleluia!
Christ has opened paradise, Alleluia!
- 3 Lives again our glorious King, Alleluia!
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!
Once he died our souls to save, Alleluia!
Where's thy victory, boasting grave? Alleluia!
- 4 Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia!
Following our exalted Head, Alleluia!
Made like him, like him we rise, Alleluia!
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Alleluia!

In the Garden

- 1 I come to the garden alone,
While the dew is still on the roses;
And the voice I hear, falling on my ear,
The Son of God discloses.
- Refrain:
And He walks with me, and He talks with me,
And He tells me I am His own,
And the joy we share as we tarry there,
None other has ever known.
- 2 He speaks, and the sound of His voice
Is so sweet the birds hush their singing;
And the melody that He gave to me
Within my heart is ringing. [Refrain]
- 3 I'd stay in the garden with Him
Though the night around me be falling;
But He bids me go; thru the voice of woe,
His voice to me is calling. [Refrain]

He Lives

1. I serve a risen Savior, he's in the world today,
I know that he is living whatever foes may say.
I see his hand of mercy, I hear his voice of cheer,
And just the time I need him, he's always near.

Refrain

He lives, he lives, Christ Jesus lives today!
He walks with me and talks with me along life's narrow way.
He lives, he lives, salvation to impart!
You ask me how I know he lives? He lives within my heart,

2. In all the world around me I see his loving care,
And though my heart grows weary, I never will despair.
I know that he is leading through all the stormy blast;
The day of his appearing will come at last.
3. Rejoice, rejoice. O Christian, lift up your heart and sing
Eternal hallelujahs to Jesus Christ the King!
The hope of all who seek him, the help of all who find,
None other is so loving, so good and kind.