

Contemporary Worship

April 2, 2017 8:30 AM

Hearing impaired?

We have remote hearing assisted receivers at the sound booth to help you.

To honor God and be respectful to other worshippers, please turn your cell phone off!
Thank you from all who are leading worship today.

Entrance of the Christ Light
Welcome and Announcements Pastor Coffey
***Passing the Peace of Christ**
Prayer

*This Is Amazing Grace
Who Am I
Mighty to Save*

Scripture Lesson Romans 8:26-39 Madisyn Grogan
Response: Thanks be to God.

Children's Message
(Children ages 3-7 are invited to gather in the Children's Chapel to worship God through story, song, crafts, and activities.)

Scripture Lesson Exodus 12:21-32 Madisyn Grogan
Response: Thanks be to God.

Message *Set Free: Born Out of Death*

Offering & Offertory *Who Am I*

Holy Communion (We offer one station that is gluten-free)
The Lord's Prayer
Receiving the Bread and Cup
Please know the altar rail is open for you to come and pray.

Where I Belong

*Benediction

* indicates those who are able, please stand.

Bold print indicates congregational participation.

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Notes from today's Message:

Traditional Worship

April 2, 2017 11:00 AM

Gathering

Prelude
Entrance of the Christ Light
Welcoming Guests and Announcements Pastor Coffey

***Call to Worship (Responsive)**
We come to worship the God that walks with us through every challenge.

We come to remember what Jesus did when he was faced with the wilderness.

When Israel wandered through the wilderness, she was not alone, God was there

We are not alone. When we walk through the wilderness, God is with us giving us strength and courage for the journey!

***Hymn "How Great Thou Art" #77**

Prayer (Unison) God, your extravagant love has called us together. For long before we were even aware of it, you knew us and chose us to be part of your family. And having chosen us, you called us; and having called us, you justified us; and having justified us, you gave us your glory! What extravagant love is this! May we worship you together with joy and love this morning! Amen.

Proclamation and Response

Special Music "Written in Red" Marvin Fuqua

Scripture Lesson Romans 8:26-39 Susan Fulk
Exodus 12:21-32

Response: Thanks be to God.

***Hymn "There's A Wideness in God's Mercy" #121**

(Children ages 3-7 are invited to gather in the Children's Chapel to worship God through story, song, crafts, and activities.)

Message *Set Free: Born Out of Death*

Pastoral Prayer

Offering & Offertory
***Doxology "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" #95**

Thanksgiving and Communion

The Great Thanksgiving #15

The Lord's Prayer #895

Breaking the Bread

Receiving the Bread and Cup (We offer one station that is gluten-free)

Sending Forth

***Hymn "My Hope Is Built" #368**

Dismissal with Blessing

Postlude

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PRAYER LIST

Prayer List Policy: We will leave each name on the list for 3 weeks.
* First week; ** 2nd week; *** Final week unless otherwise requested.

Members: Jennie Adams, Joanne Barnes, Nancy Batterman, A.B. Brooks, James Holt, Thelma Martin, Bill Traynham, *Thelma Scott.
Family & Friends: Kathy Blair, Amy Boles, Ken Carle, Bernice Chattin, Janice Collins, Ann Doss, Teri Haraway, Lois Lewis, Julie Reinhardt, Elijah Williams, ***The Family of Sue Shaver, ***Donald Lawrence, **Sue Hudgins, **John Owen, **The Family of Martha Reynolds, **Rev. Clay Knick, *Linda Barker.

Remember those in Nursing Homes & Assisted Living Facilities:

Roman Eagle Home: Mildred Guilliams, Nancy Jennings, Thelma Martin
Riverside Health Care Center: Ruth Soyars, Ruby Wyatt, Donna Coleman
Stratford House: Una Howe
Brookdale : Annette McQuinn, Mary Whitlock, Wendell English

Remember those who are Homebound:

Margaret Calos	Eddie Nell Canter	Ed Dooley
Edith Bradshaw	Mary Hyler	Thelma Scott
Sue Wright	Rubye Moore	

Remember our servicemen and servicewomen:

Andrew Nodtvedt	Eddie Gleason	Ryan Duffy
Sherry Sharpe	Rev. Tammie Crews	Kevin Kawasaki
Daryl Ferguson	Daniel Blanks	Jonathan Patterson
	Jennifer Depew	

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Sunday, April 2nd	8:30 am	Contemporary Worship	
	9:45 am	Sunday School for All Ages	
	11:00 am	Traditional Worship	
	12:15 pm	Leadership Meeting	
	4:30 pm	Confirmation Class	
	5:30 pm	Sunday Night Prayer	
Monday, April 3rd	6:00 pm	Youth Group	
	6:00 pm	Trustees Meeting	
	Tuesday, April 4th	10:00 am	Intercessory Prayer
		10:00 am	Dan River Retirees
	2:00 pm	Worship Committee	
	6:00 pm	Men's Night Out @ Western Sizzlin	
Wed., April 5th	6:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal	
	6:00 pm	Praise Team Rehearsal	
	10:00 am	Pastor's Lenten Bible Study	
	3:30 pm	Staff Meeting	
	5:30 pm	Wed. Night Supper: Baked potato/salad	
	6:00 pm	Children's Music	
Thursday, April 6th	6:30 pm	Bible Studies, Activities for All Ages	
	10:00 am	Knitting Group	
	6:00 pm	Evangelism Committee	
Friday, April 7th	5:30 pm	Youth Serving at VFW	
	7:30 pm	Shabbat Serv. @ Temple Beth Sholom	
	Sunday, April 9th	8:30 am	Contemporary Worship
9:45 am		Sunday School for All Ages	
11:00 am		Traditional Worship	
5:30 pm		Sunday Night Prayer	
6:00 pm	Youth Group		

Find the church calendar, monthly newsletter, leadership documents, and more on our website: www.fairviewumcdanville.org

Thank you for your generous giving on UMCOR Sunday! We are sending \$220.00 to UMCOR to help cover their operating costs, which ensures that all donations go directly to disaster relief efforts all over the world.

Final Wednesday Night Supper of Spring 2017

Don't forget to sign up for the final supper before summer! This week, we'll be serving baked potatoes and salad bar on Wednesday night in the Social Hall from 5:30-6:30 pm. Cost is \$5 for adults and \$2 for children.

Daytime Bible Study with Pastor Coffey

During Lent, join Pastor Coffey for a 6-week study of the Gospel of John. The study continues on Wednesdays from 10-11am in the Koinonia class.

Candy Needed for Easter Eggs

We are in need of candy for Easter eggs. You can drop off individually wrapped candies in Kate's office, or you can take empty eggs home to fill and return. All assistance is appreciated!

Praying Our Way Forward

On April 2-8, the Virginia Conference will participate in a week of intentional prayer for the mission of The United Methodist Church and for the work of the Commission on a Way Forward which began meeting in January. This week of Praying Our Way Forward is an initiative of the Council of Bishops as a part of their larger commitment to lead the church in every part of the world in times of worship, study, discernment, confession and prayer for God's guidance.

Resources for both congregational and individual participation in Praying Our Way Forward may be found at <http://umcprays.org/>. In addition, Virginia Conference prayer resources may be found at www.vaumc.org/PrayForward.

Missions Events and Opportunities

The Little Mission Church donations in March will benefit Stonewall Therapeutic Summer Camp. This local organization offers activities and summer camps for people with impairments. Because of medical and rehabilitation bills, many families are unable to afford to send their child. Donate what you can, or sponsor a child's week at camp for \$50.

We are looking for volunteer groups to serve a meal at the homeless shelter the first Saturday each month. If you can help, contact LaVonne Walden.

We are collecting new or gently used Christian books for the Good News Jail and Prison Ministry. There is an area in the Narthex for collection. If you have questions, please contact Debra Tucker.

2017 Bible Challenge from Virginia UMC's Bishop

Bishop Lewis is challenging the Virginia Conference to read the Bible with her in 2017. Visit the link below for the full 2017 schedule, or find this month's readings in the April newsletter. This week, the readings cover 1 Samuel 21 – 2 Samuel 15, reading 2-3 chapters per day.

Share this challenge and invite others to join us!

<http://backtothebible.org/reading-guide/15/1>

Mark Your Calendars!

Thursday, April 13 – Maundy Thursday Service @ 6:30 pm
Friday, April 14 – Good Friday Tenebrae Service @ 6:30 pm
Saturday, April 15 – Easter Egg Hunt at Holt Home @ 10:00 am
Sunday, April 16 – Community Easter Sunrise Service at Danville Memorial Gardens @ 6:45 am

ASSISTING YOU IN WORSHIP TODAY

8:30 Greeter: Sue Chattin
11:00 Greeter: Evelyn Collins

April 8:30 Ushers: Neal Ragsdale, Jim Mitchell, Patty Barker
April 11:00 Ushers: Jerry Soyars, Peggy Soyars, Tommy Roberts, Carl Evans

8:30 Instrumentalists: Gary Jack, Steven Ashworth, Jim Chattin, Beth Smith, Scott Thompson, Don Nodtvedt, Brandon Warren

11:00 Instrumentalists: Beth Smith, Mary Whitlock

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Ministers at Fairview UMC: EVERY MEMBER



April 2, 2017
8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
5th Sunday in Lent

**Fairview United
Methodist Church**

Our Mission

Moving people into authentic growing faith as followers of Jesus Christ. With God's help we will:

Transcend our human frailties
Transform people into faithful disciples
Transmit the love of Jesus Christ

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