



COAL RIVER UNITED METHODIST CHARGE

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10:00am

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11:30am

Sunday Worship service

...to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world...

April 18, 2021 – 3rd Sunday of Easter

NATIVE AMERICAN MINISTRIES SUNDAY – Special Offering

Worship service video can be found at www.HumphreysUMC.org/sermons
as well as [www.Facebook.com/LUMCWV/videos](https://www.facebook.com/LUMCWV/videos)

Dial 304-721-2307 to listen to the sermon on the phone (local call!)

Words of Welcome

Greetings in the name of the One who came that we might have life to the full: Jesus Christ, Son of God, Savior, Redeemer, Resurrected One!

We welcome you to the service today, and pray that you experience the loving and active presence of God in our midst this morning

If you are without a church home, we would love to be yours.

See the contact information listed above.

Call to Worship

Christ is risen! Alleluia!

Christ is risen, indeed! Alleluia!

Opening Prayer

Sundays of Easter

UMH 321

Almighty God, you give us the joy of celebrating our Lord's resurrection. Give us also the joys of life in your service, and bring us at last to the full joy of life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Hymn

WORDS: Edward Mote, 1834

My Hope Is Built

UMH 368

MUSIC: William B. Bradbury, 1863

1. My hope is built on nothing less than Jesus' blood and righteousness.
I dare not trust the sweetest frame, but wholly lean on Jesus' name.

*Refrain: On Christ the solid rock I stand,
all other ground is sinking sand;
all other ground is sinking sand.*

2. When darkness veils his lovely face, I rest on his unchanging grace.
In every high and stormy gale, my anchor holds within the veil. *Refrain*
3. His oath, his covenant, his blood support me in the whelming flood.
When all around my soul gives way, he then is all my hope and stay. *Refrain*
4. When he shall come with trumpet sound, O may I then in him be found!
Dressed in his righteousness alone, faultless to stand before the throne. *Refrain*

Acts 3:1-19 (HCSB)

4/18/21

3 Now Peter and John were going up together to the temple complex at the hour of prayer at three in the afternoon. **2** A man who was lame from birth was carried there every day and placed at the temple gate called Beautiful, so he could beg from those entering the temple complex. **3** When he saw Peter and John about to enter the temple complex, he asked them for help. **4** Peter, along with John, looked at him intently and said, "Look at us." **5** So the man turned to them, expecting to get something from them. **6** But Peter said, "I don't have silver or gold, but what I have, I give you: *In the name of Jesus Christ the Nazarene, get up and walk!*" **7** Then, taking him by the right hand Peter raised him up, and at once his feet and ankles became strong. **8** The man jumped up, stood, and started to walk, and he entered the temple complex with them—walking, leaping, and praising God. **9** All the people saw him walking and praising God, **10** and they recognized that he was the one who used to sit and beg at the Beautiful Gate of the temple complex. So they were filled with awe and astonishment at what had happened to him.

11 While the now-healed man was holding on to Peter and John, all the people, greatly amazed, ran toward them in what is called Solomon's Colonnade. **12** When Peter saw this, he addressed the people: "Men of Israel, why are you amazed at this? Or why do you stare at us, as though we had made him walk by our own power or godliness? **13** The God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, the God of our fathers, has glorified His Servant Jesus, whom you handed over and denied in the presence of Pilate, when he had decided to release Him. **14** But you denied the Holy and Righteous One and asked to have a murderer given to you. **15** You killed the Messiah, the Source of life, whom God raised from the dead – we are witnesses of this. **16** By faith in His name, *His name has made this man strong*, whom you see and know. So the faith that comes through the Messiah has given this man this perfect health in front of all of you.

¹⁷ “And now, brothers, I know that you did it in ignorance, just as your leaders also did. ¹⁸ But what God predicted through the mouth of all the prophets—that His Messiah would suffer—He has fulfilled in this way. ¹⁹ Therefore repent and turn back, so that your sins may be wiped out, that seasons of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord. ✠

A Responsive Reading from Psalm 4

UMH 741

Answer me when I call, O God of my right!

You have given me room when I was in distress.

Be gracious to me, and hear my prayer.

How long, O people, shall my honor suffer shame?

How long will you love vain words, and seek after lies?

But know that the Lord has set apart the righteous as God’s own;

the Lord hears when I call.

Be angry, but do not sin;

commune with your own hearts in your beds, and be silent.

Offer right sacrifices,

and put your trust in the Lord.

There are many who say, “O that we might see some good!

Lift up the light of your countenance upon us, O Lord!”

You have put more joy in my heart

than they have when their grain and wine abound.

In peace I will both lie down and sleep;

for you alone, O Lord, make me lie down in safety.

Hymn

He Touched Me

UMH 367

WORDS & MUSIC: William J. Gaither, 1963

1. Shackled by a heavy burden, neath a load of guilt and shame,
then the hand of Jesus touched me, and now I am no longer the same.

*Refrain: He touched me, O he touched me,
and O the joy that floods my soul!
Something happened, and now I know,
He touched me and made me whole.*

2. Since I met this blessed Savior, since he cleansed and made me whole,
I will never cease to praise him; I’ll shout it while eternity rolls. *Refrain*

3 ¹ See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. ² Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. ³ And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

⁴ Everyone who commits sin is guilty of lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. ⁵ You know that he was revealed to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. ⁶ No one who abides in him sins; no one who sins has either seen him or known him. ⁷ Little children, let no one deceive you. Everyone who does what is right is righteous, just as he is righteous. ✦

Sermon

District Superintendent Joe Hill

Response to the Word:

Hymn

Take Time to be Holy

UMH 395

WORDS: William D. Longstaff, 1882

MUSIC: George C. Stebbins, 1890

1. Take time to be holy, speak oft with thy Lord;
abide in him always, and feed on his word.
Make friends of God's children, help those who are weak,
forgetting in nothing his blessing to seek.
3. Take time to be holy, let him be thy guide,
and run not before him, whatever betide.
In joy or in sorrow, still follow the Lord,
and, looking to Jesus, still trust in his word.

Prayers, Lord's Prayer, Blessing the Offering

If you have a celebration, petition or concern you'd like the pastor to hold in congregational prayer, please email kerry.w.bart@gmail.com and indicate whether or not you'd like the request to be made public.

**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.**

We say “yes” to God
and we say “thank you” to God
as we give to God our tithes and our offerings.

*During this time of COVID19 precautions, we do not “pass the plate,”
but offering plates are available for your use before or after the worship service,
and offerings can be mailed to*

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Sending forth

We are sent forth in the power of Christ’s resurrection.

Alleluia!

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

Amen.

Closing Hymn

WORDS: Fanny J. Crosby, 1873

Blessed Assurance

UMH 369

MUSIC: Phoebe P. Knapp, 1873

1. Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
O what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
born of his Spirit, washed in his blood.

*Refrain: This is my story, this is my song,
praising my Savior all the day long;
this is my story, this is my song,
praising my Savior all the day long.*

2. Perfect submission, perfect delight,
visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
angels descending bring from above
echoes of mercy, whispers of love. *Refrain*
3. Perfect submission, all is at rest;
I in my Savior am happy and blest,
watching and waiting, looking above,
filled with his goodness, lost in his love. *Refrain*

PK'S SCRIPTURE READING INVITATION

I found it energizing to know others were reading the same thing I was; the point being *read Scripture*. The invitation for you to join me in reading continues

4/18 – Joshua 2

4/19 – Joshua 3

4/20 – Joshua 4

4/21 – Joshua 5

4/22 – Joshua 6

4/23 – Joshua 7

4/24 – Joshua 8

4/25 – Joshua 9

4/26 – Joshua 10

4/27 – Joshua 11

4/28 – Joshua 12

4/29 – Joshua 13

4/30 – Joshua 14

5/1 – Joshua 15

5/2 – Joshua 16

BIBLE STUDY

Wed Apr 21, 3pm Zoom Bible Study. Topic: 2 Corinthians
zoom meeting ID: 870 238 944 98
password: 7799
phone in: (929) 205 6099

Lakeview UMC continues to collect materials for **KIDKITS** for the Sojourners shelter for Women and Families. Contact Don Griffith donald.w.griffith@att.net for more information.

Box of 24 Crayons

Pad of Paper

Children's Book

Coloring Book

Pencil

Small stuffed animal

Toothbrush

Toothpaste

Comb or Brush

Keep reading for MORE important information...

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