



"Our mission is to be the helping hands of God, reaching out to all people with the love of Christ"

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Pastor JP Hong **5th Sunday of Easter** **April 29, 2018**

Hearing devices are available, as well as large print hymnals. Please see an usher.
Those who are able are invited to stand for the acts of worship marked with *

PRELUDE *In Heavenly Love Abiding* ARR. MARTIN

WELCOME! *Greet one another with the peace of Christ.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INTROIT

*CALL TO WORSHIP a prayer written by Michael Leunig

Leader: The grace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: God bless our contradictions, those parts of us which seem out of character.

People: Let us be boldly and gladly out of character

Leader: Let us be creatures of paradox and variety:

People: creatures of contrast; of light and shade; creatures of faith.

Leader: God be our constant.

People: Let us step out of character into the unknown to struggle and love and do what we will. AMEN.

*UMH No. 308 *Thine Be the Glory* JUDAS MACCABEUS

SHARING JOYS AND CONCERNS

COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

UMH No. 318 *Christ Is Alive* (v4) TRURO

OFFERTORY *Offertory* BATISTE

*SUNG THANKSGIVING NO. 94 *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*
LASST UNS ERFREUEN

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

NEW TESTAMENT READING *Acts 8:26-40* Vicki Herrmann

ANTHEM *Wondrous Love* ARR. POOLER

*GOSPEL READING *John 15:1-8* Pastor JP Hong

(As you are able, please stand for this reading)

MESSAGE "inclusive faith (stretch me)" Pastor JP Hong

*UMH No. 569 *We've a Story to Tell to the Nations* MESSAGE

During this hymn, you are invited to bring forward your hunger offering for Heifer International, and place it in the basket provided.

*BENEDICTION

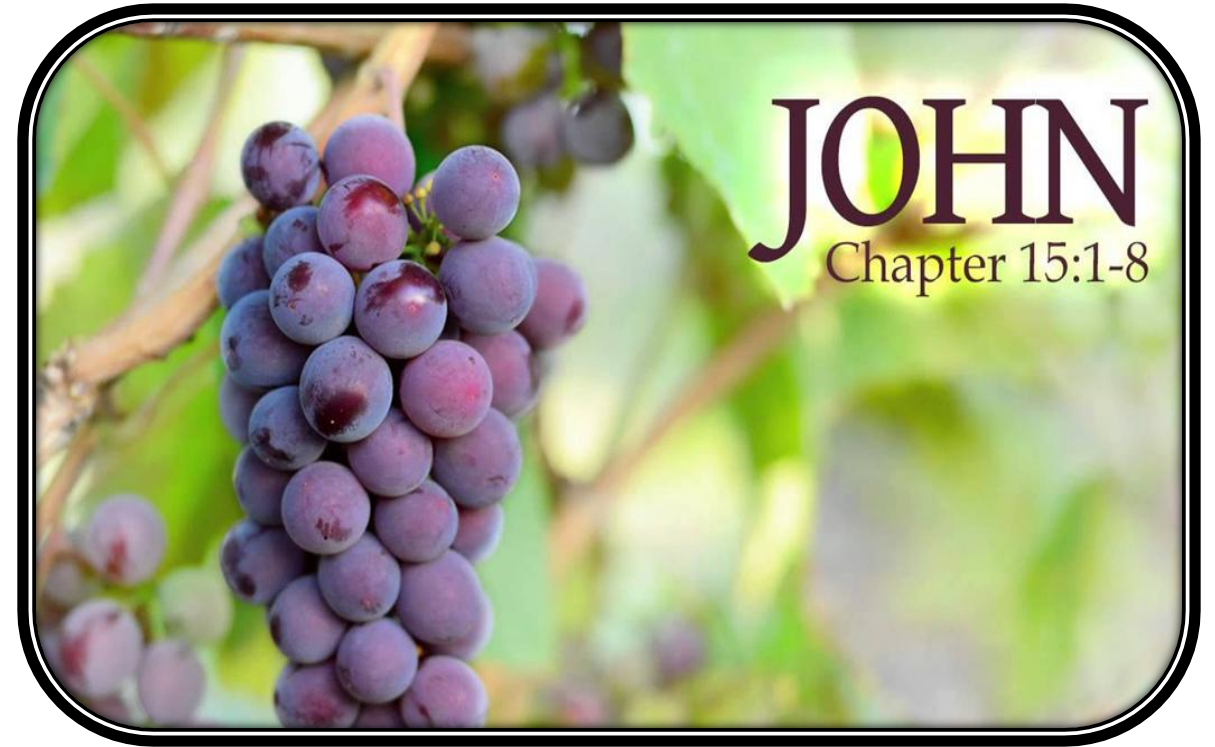
*POSTLUDE *Trumpet Dance* HARRIS

ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers on the altar this morning are given by Marcie Tuggle, with thanks and appreciation for seven wonderful years with the Charles Wesley family.

SUNDAY WORSHIP RECEPTION

Following today's worship service, please join us for a reception in the Fellowship Hall, hosted by UMW, in thanks for Marcie's service.



WEEK OF APRIL 29, 2018

TODAY

9:00 am Disciples Adult Sunday School – Disciples’ Room
 9:00 am Voyagers Adult Sunday School – Downstairs Voyagers’ Room
 9:00 am Pre-School to 6th – Downstairs Sunday School Room
 10:30 am Sunday Worship Service
 11:30 am Reception for Marcie - Fellowship Hall

MONDAY

10:00 am AA Group Meeting – Disciples’ Room

TUESDAY

10:00 am AA Group Meeting – Disciples’ Room
 7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 1130 – Fellowship Hall
 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY

6:45 pm AA Group Meeting – Disciples’ Room

SATURDAY

9:00am - 2:00pm Yard Sale - Fellowship Hall

NEXT SUNDAY

9:00 am Sunday School for All Ages
 10:30 am Sunday Worship Service
 11:30 am Refreshments in Fellowship Hall

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Organist..... Mary Brown
Minister of Administration Leslie Jane Fahrney
Minister of Media Greg Beard
Ushers Bill Powell, Bob Schneider
Greeter Bill & Barb Powell
Altar Guild..... Karen Blue
Offering..... Vicki Herrmann
Steward of the Month..... Dave Smith
Nursery..... Sheila Frace/Rick Spann
Children’s Church Leslie Jane Fahrney

JOIN WITH US IN PRAYER THIS WEEK:

Congregational Concerns: Soon Gil (Soon Young Carroll), and the friends and family of Marshall Brown.

Residential Care: Garnette Dupont

Local Concerns: The people SHARE, Inc. serves throughout the McLean area, the people in Appalachia who can’t repair their own homes and the volunteer work teams from our church and around the US who go to help.

Please let the office know if there is someone you wish to bring to the church's attention, or add to/remove from this prayer list. Unless advised otherwise, prayer concerns will remain here for one month.

Stay Informed at The Hunger Church!

Email:

Sign up on our **Listserv** page at: TheHungerChurch.org/connect to get information emailed regarding church events!

Podcasts & Publications:

You can listen to today's sermon and others, as well as most of our special music, at TheHungerChurch.org/podcasts. Also on this site are our Sunday Bulletins, as well as the monthly Newsletter. We encourage you to share those especially meaningful to you with friends and family.



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Missions Corner . . .

SUPPORT HEIFER INTERNATIONAL TODAY



This morning you're invited to give an extra gift to help those suffering from hunger. Our monthly hunger offering will go to Heifer International (Heifer Project) to provide animals and training in their care - water buffalos, bees, cows, rabbits, sheep, chicks, and goats! Recipients give hope to others as they pass along the first offspring of their animal to another in need. Learn more at www.heifer.org.

SHARE, Inc.

The SHARE's community ministry is asking for the following 'unexpired' items:

Toilet Paper
Shampoo/conditioner
Disposable Diapers
Baby Wipes
Toothpaste
White Rice
Laundry Detergent

Mayo/Mustard/Catsup
Ground Coffee/Black Tea
White Sugar
Vegetable Oil
100% Juice
Grape/Strawberry Jam/Jelly
Chunky Chicken Soups (only this kind)

Also needed are gently used sheets & towels. If donating a set of sheets and pillow cases, tie or tape them together and mark the size. Please place your Share donation items in the marked box by the coat racks. Charles Wesley Share contact: Dale Thompson.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mark Your Calendars...

- **Saturday, May 5: Annual Yard Sale, 9:00 am - 2:00 pm** (see below)
- **Saturday, May 26: Kits for Conference/Pot Luck, 5:00 pm**

Annual Charles Wesley UMC Yard Sale

(Inside – rain or shine)

Saturday May 5, 2018, from 9am–2pm

Church-family yard sale with large selection of items ranging from household items to electronics, books, pictures, furniture, glassware, children's items, jewelry. There will be no clothes or automotive equipment, but treasures galore!

A hot dog lunch will be available mid-day.

To help us make this the best sale ever, we welcome items that you would like to donate. Please bring your donations to the church Fellowship Hall (stage) **beginning Monday, April 9 (NOW!)**

Sponsored by the United Methodist Men and the United Methodist Women of Charles Wesley UMC.

KITS FOR CONFERENCE & POT LUCK SUPPER

SATURDAY, May 26th - 5:00 PM

Invite your friends and neighbors to come join us in preparing **HEALTH KITS** for **UMCOR (United Methodist Committee on Relief)** and then enjoy a fellowship **Pot Luck** supper together.

Families with last names beginning with:

A-I please bring a dessert

J-R please bring a main dish

S-Z please bring a salad or side dish

Bread and Drinks will be provided.

The congregation is asked to contribute several of the following items by May 20th so that at least 25 kits can be made:

1 hand towel

15" x 25" to 17" x 27"

kitchen, cleaning and microfiber towels not acceptable

1 washcloth

1 comb

comb needs to be sturdy and longer than 6"

no pocket combs or picks, please

rattail combs and combs without handles are acceptable with a minimum of 6" of teeth

1 metal nail file or clipper (not needed at this time)

no emery boards, please

1 bath-size soap

3 oz. and larger sizes only

no Ivory or Jergens soap due to moisture content

do not remove from original packaging

1 toothbrush

adult size only

do not remove from original packaging

6 adhesive bandages (already have enough of these)

3/4" to 1" size

common household band-aids

**For more information on UMCOR visit their web site umcor.org
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