

May 7, 2017 ~ Fourth Sunday of Easter

8:30 AM

*God's house shall be filled with music, with song, with praise and prayer,
and the burdens of life shall be lifted from all who enter here.*

WELCOME

FOCUS SCRIPTURE Luke 24:30-31 (New Century) pg. 917

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and gave it to them. And then, they were allowed to recognize Jesus.
But when they saw who he was, he disappeared.

PRAISE Resounding Praise
Acolyte, Annie Hernley
Rita Shaffer

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

PRAYER AND PRAISE

OFFERING Resounding Praise

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

READING OF THE WORD Luke 24:28-33 pg. 917

SERMON "Hidden in Plain Sight" John Dutton

COMMUNION

CLOSING SONG Resounding Praise

BENEDICTION

*Prayer: If you would like someone to pray with you, feel free to come to the front during the closing song. Our pastor and lay prayer partners will appreciate the opportunity to join with you in prayer.

Short Sermon Summary:

"Christ is risen!"

With this traditional profession of Easter faith, we open ourselves to new life in Christ.

1. We share the truth with the disciples whose hearts were opened along the road to Emmaus. We share this truth with the disciples in Jerusalem who preached the good news. In our rituals and in our living each day, we declare, "Christ is risen indeed!"
2. The exact location of Emmaus is not known. Perhaps this uncertainty forms a commentary on the focus scripture. Emmaus may be anywhere.

3. On the Emmaus road, the hearts of the disciples burned as they listened to Jesus' words. Hearts burning and eyes opening do not take place in only one place, either geographical or spiritual. Emmaus comes into sight wherever a path leads us toward communion with God and whenever we recognize the risen Christ among us.

11:00 AM

*As you prepare for worship, enter the Sanctuary in reverence, worship in the spirit of humility.
And leave it not without a prayer to God for yourself, for those who minister, and for those who worship here.*

THE GATHERING

PRELUDE "I Come With Joy" Tommy Midgett
Acolyte, Jackson Gregory

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CALL TO WORSHIP "Our Eyes Have Seen the Lord" Chancel Choir

*HYMN "There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood" (vs. 1,4,5) No. 622

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostle's Creed No. 881

*GLORIA PATRI No. 70

CHILDREN'S MOMENT Rita Shaffer

PRAYERS AND PRAISE

PASTORAL PRAYER

WORSHIPPING WITH GOD'S TITHES & OUR OFFERINGS

Offertory "Become to Us the Living Bread" Tommy Midgett

*Doxology No. 95

*Prayer of Dedication

ANTHEM "His Eye Is on the Sparrow" Chancel Choir

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

*THE SCRIPTURE LESSON Luke 24:28-33 pg. 917

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*HYMN "Open My Eyes, That I May See" No. 454

SENDING FORTH

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE "Because He Lives" (Refrain) No. 364

*POSTLUDE "Thy Word Is a Lamp" Tommy Midgett

THE CHURCH SCATTERS TO WITNESS AND SERVE GOD

*PLEASE STAND AS ABLE

NURSERY is located on the first floor.

Need help finding our nursery?

Please ask one of our ushers for assistance.

Today's Nursery

8:30 Elizabeth Gallop

9:45 Dana Thomason 11:00 Jennifer Phillips

Next Week's Nursery – May 14th

8:30 Jackie Hart

9:45 Dana Thomason 11:00 Kathy Seawell

WORSHIP BAGS are available during the church service by the front entrance. Please return the worship bag at the end of service so we can continue to provide more items.

Communion and Family Worship Sunday. This week, we will worship and participate in communion as a family.

Mount Olivet Preschool & Afterschool ~ 8:15- Noon ~ 2:30 - 5:30 PM

Sun	May 7	7:30 AM	Praise Team Warm Up & Prayer for Services
		8:30 AM	Contemporary Service
		9:45 AM	Sunday School
		11:00 AM	Traditional Service
		5:00 PM	SURGE
		5:00 PM	Youth Sunday Night
		7:00 PM	Youth Praise
Mon	May 8	6:30 AM	Men's Reunion Group meets in Room "C"
		6:00 PM	Cub Scouts
		6:30 PM	Gideons
		7:00 PM	Men's Monday Night Bible Study
Tue	May 9	6:00 PM	United Methodist Men
Wed	May 10	6:00 PM	Prayer Meeting in the Church Library
		7:30 PM	High School Bible Study
Thurs	May 11	7:00 AM	Youth Breakfast
		9:00 AM	Staff Meeting
		6:00 PM	Resounding Praise Rehearsal
		7:00 PM	SPRC Meeting
		7:00 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
		7:30 PM	NA - ends 9:00 PM

Fri May 12

Mount Olivet United Methodist Church

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Established 1887

As Disciples of Christ, we will passionately follow the leading of the Holy Spirit as we unite to promote and nurture spiritual growth among all God's Children.

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Kim Head – Co-Dir. of Children's Ministry

Nathan Schierer – Director of Music

Tommy Midgett – Organist

Stephen Stetson – Technical Ministries

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Dana Thomason – Nursery Attendant

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