Order of Worship

April 22, 2012

Third Sunday of Easter Native American Ministries Sunday

Welcome to Union United Methodist Church.

We're glad you are here! If you are seeking a church home, we invite you to join us in this outpost of God's Kingdom.

Prelude

Greeting and Celebration of the Church's Ministries

Opening Prayer

*Greet One Another with the Peace of Christ

*Hymn

Hymnal, # 304

Easter People, Raise Your Voices

New Testament Lesson

Acts 3:12-19

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Silent Prayer, Pastoral Prayer, and

The Lord's Prayer

Hymnal, # 895

*Hymn

Hymnal, # 378

Amazing Grace (Verses 1, 2, 3 & 6)

Offering of God's Tithes and our Gifts

*Doxology and Dedication of the Offering

Hymnal, # 95

Musical Meditation

Prayer for Illumination:

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that as the Scriptures are read and your word proclaimed, we may encounter your risen presence today. Amen.

Gospel Lesson

Luke 24:36b-48

Moments with our Youth

Message

"Witnesses"

Rev. Way

Invitation to Greater Commitment**

*Hymn

Hymnal, # 398

Jesus Calls Us

*Benediction

Postlude

*Please stand, as you are able.

Pastor: Bob Way

Lay Leader: Carl Ratcliff

Treasurer: Geraldine Fuqua

Pianist: Dixie Vernon

Choir Director: John Berdine

^{**}Our anointed altar is always open to those who come at God's call and invitation.

Prayer List

Shut-In Members and Special Needs

(Names may be removed after three months, unless requested to be kept on list.)

James (Snake) Ashby	03	Joe Grubbs	01	Eva Richmond Family	03
Tyffanie Berdine	02	Rev. Buddy Hall	04	Paul Richmond	03
Our Bishop		Marvin Hamlett	03	Ritchie Richmond	03
Carrie Brown	04	Pete Hamlett	02	Janice Roland	04
Beatrice Briggs	02	Joseph H. Jackson	04	Karl Roland	04
Sylvia Cates Family	04	Jonah Kirby Family	02	Franklin Rudd	04
Naomi Catlett	04	Keith Kirby	04	Lois Rudd	04
Persecuted Christians	Ken (Mac) McIntyre	04	Schools, Students & Teac	hers	
Our Church & Charge		Military Members & Families		Our District Superintendent	
Drake & Ashlyn Curtis	03	Missionaries & Famili	es	Faye Talley	03
Cleve Daniel	02	Doris Nance	02	Dixie Vernon	03
Disaster Survivors & Tea	Our Nation		Edward Vernon	02	
First Responders		Howard Oakley	03	Clyde Willis	02
Clyde Fuller Family	04	Elected/Appointed Offici	als	Louise Willis Family	03
Our General Conference	ce	Janet Ratcliff	03		

Next Week's Scriptures: Acts 4:5-12; Psalm 23; 1 John 3:16-24; John 10:11-18

Announcements:

Native American Ministries Special Offering: Today

United Methodist General Conference Meets: Apr 24 – May 4 (View website Apr 23–May 8: http://nccumc.org/gc2012/) Redemption Candlelight Vigil: 7:00 pm Thu, Apr 26, outside

Caswell County Courthouse

Camp Chestnut Ridge Open House: 1:00-5:00 pm Sun, Apr 29

Choir Practice: 6:00 pm Thu, May 3

Bible Study (Hebrews): 7:00 pm Thu, May 3

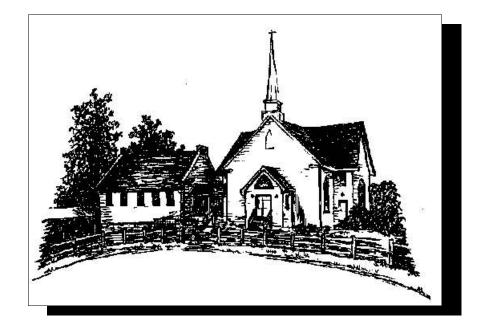
Church Council: 7:00 pm Wed, May 9

United Methodist Women (UMW): 7:00 pm Wed, May 16

Please remember to bring items for the Caswell Parish food pantry.



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