

Welcome!

We're so happy you are worshipping with us today!
Are you a guest? If so, we're especially grateful to you for taking time to be with us! Please know you are welcome here! If you need anything, please do not hesitate to ask an usher or anyone who looks like they can help. We can point you to the nursery, restrooms, water fountains, bulletins, hearing devices or anything else you may need while you are with us.

We hope for you to have a loving encounter with the living God as you worship today.

We hope you will come again soon!

Join us weekly:
Sunday School @ 9:45 a.m.
Worship @ 10:45 a.m.

Check the website, bulletin, or calendar to find out about other great opportunities.

Our Servant Leaders:

Kristy Hughes, Church Council Chair	Bill Lumpkin, Finance Chair
Jimmy Jones, Lay Leader	Alan Dean, Trustee Chair
Bill Sherfese, SPRC Chair	Sam Camp, Trustees Co-Chair
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Office Hours: Monday–Friday 9:00am–3:00pm
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IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

4/30/23- Finance meeting immediately following service.
5/7/23- Reception for 2023 graduates after service in the Parlor.
5/8/23- Trustees meeting @ 6:30pm
5/8/23- Caroline Butler Circle meeting @7pm- Kristy Hughes home
5/13/23- Drive Thru Food Drive- 8:30am-1pm
5/14/23- Mother's Day!!



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FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Sunday, April 30th, 2023

10:45A.M.

Fifth Sunday of Easter



Our Mission

The mission of the Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Our Motto

Honoring the Past / Embracing the Future

Our Vision

Establishing a foundation of love, integrity, and unity in order to grow by raising godly children, reaching the unchurched, serving the needy, being a beacon of light in the community, and providing a haven for all God's people.

Service of Worship

April 30th, 2023 • 10:45 AM

5th Sunday of Easter



ENTRANCE

GATHERING & PRELUDE	Carol Hagan & Ellen Holstein
CHIMING OF THE HOUR	Ellen Holstein
WELCOME WITH INVITATION TO WORSHIP	LaRue Bowman
*GATHERING HYMN, #545 <i>"The Church's One Foundation"</i>	Congregation
OPENING PRAYER	Jordan Torline
THE WONDER BOX	Laura Robinson
*GLORIA PATRI, #71	Congregation

PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

SCRIPTURE	MATTHEW 16:13-20	Rev. Edward Murrey
ANTHEM,	<i>"God Who Made the Earth"</i> (by: John Tasker Howard)	Chancel Choir
MESSAGE	JESUS CHRIST	Rev. Edward Murrey
*HYMN, #175	<i>"Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee"</i>	Congregation

WITNESS & THANKSGIVING

JOYS AND CONCERNS	Rev. Edward Murrey
THE LORD'S PRAYER	Rev. Edward Murrey
INVITATION TO GIVE	Jane Hamlett
OFFERTORY	Carol Hagan
DOXOLOGY	Ellen Holstein
*APOSTLES' CREED, #881	Congregation
SENDING FORTH	
*DEPARTING HYMN, #555 <i>"Forward Through the Ages"</i>	Congregation
COMMISSION WITH BLESSING	Rev. Edward Murrey
POSTLUDE	Carol Hagan & Ellen Holstein

***Please stand as you are able**

