

Fullness of Joy

A LIVING HOPE WORSHIP SERIES



Pendleton Center
United Methodist Church

Order of Worship

April 15 & 16, 2023

Second Sunday of Easter

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

Opening Music

Introduction to the Offering

Offertory

Doxology & Prayer of Dedication

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture Reading

1 Peter 1:3-9, John 20:19-31

Sermon

"Fullness of Joy" - Pastor Scott Johnson

Communion

Closing Song

Benediction

Notes:

Prayer Concerns

*Please lift these people and circumstances to God
in your prayers throughout the week*

*You can share your prayer requests or blessings on your Friendship Card in the bulletin
or online at pendletonchurch.org/fc*

Prayers for Healing

Audrey D, Bob, Joe M, John C, Amy, Paula, Mary L, Friendship, Family reconciliations, Ron, Bob M, Julian R, Julian B, Christa, Jill, Liz, Audrey, Fran, Britt, Larry, Debbie, Henry, Fiona

Prayers for General Concerns

Landis D, Sherri A, Vicky L, Joy B, Anger, Human rights, Susan R, Our country and the division, Family, Job, Finance, A positive, safe, and growing experience for our daughter in school

Ongoing Concerns

Good test results and plan of treatment, Chelsea G, Russa's invasion of Ukraine, Daughter's health and safety during college program, Our nation's leaders, Susie, Michele A, Sarah S, Robert W, Violence, Our country, our church, Patty, Chrissa M, Christopher S, Nicole, Paula, Mary, Lori B, Sally, Laura J, Peoples hearts turning to Jesus, Bill, Wendy, Kevin, Sandra S, Finances, Terri M, Joan S, Dee M, Stephanie R, Grace, Ramarian, Earthquakes, Anger ruling peoples' lives, Sally, Liz, Virginia, Bonnie, Madison M, Sherry J, Yvonne M, Joseph family, Kathy, Christa, Mass shooting violence, Climate change

Random Prayer Selection

Each week, we select several random names to receive prayer. Please be in prayer for the names selected and those close to them. This week's names:

Adrienne Demmin, Dale Herlan & Cindy Matheis, Penny Leidenfrost, Bob & Lorraine Pierce, Timothy & Jeanne Prendergast, David & Janice Strout, Joshua & Nina Taylor, John & Theresa Zimmerman

This Week's Birthdays

15 - Emma Brittain, Jason Phillips
16 - Jan Gertz, Karen Jaynes
19 - Michelle Hocking
20 - Leah Clapsadle, Richard Finiki, Amy Folby, Cindy Neese
21 - Blake Cavers, Ava Jones, Lynne Terry
22 - Emma Terry, Brandon Walter

This Week's Anniversaries

16 - Samuel & Amy Folby - '88
18 - Mark & Teri Hersee - '98
21 - John & Sally Santor - '01

This Week's Worship Sponsors

Altar Flowers are sponsored by Sam & Amy Folby, "in honor of our 35th wedding anniversary."

Please consider sponsoring our worship elements (communion, altar flowers, and bulletins) by signing up in the back of the sanctuary!

Welcome!

We're glad to have you here with us today!

Whether this is your first time here or you're a member of our church family, we desire to welcome you and offer the opportunity for you to engage in worship and teachings from the Word of God.

Everyone, please fill out a Friendship Card - it helps us know you were here today! You can fill one out digitally on our website or by using the card inside and putting it in an offertory box.

Ways to Give

Give In-person

Place your offering in the plate when it is passed.

Give Online

Visit:
pendletonchurch.org/give

Give by Mail

6864 Campbell Blvd.
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Jr. Church

Children are always welcome in our worship service - we have kids bulletins available in the back. Jr. Church, a program designed for 3 years old - 6th grade, is also offered during the Sunday services. If you would like your child to participate in Jr. Church, bring your children to the Ark before service.

Nursery

Our Nursery is open at our 9:00 AM service with volunteers to watch your 1-2 year-olds while you enjoy the service. At our other services, the Nursery is available as a place for families to watch the service with their children as they play. A Family Room is also available in the back of the sanctuary by the sound booth to use at any time.

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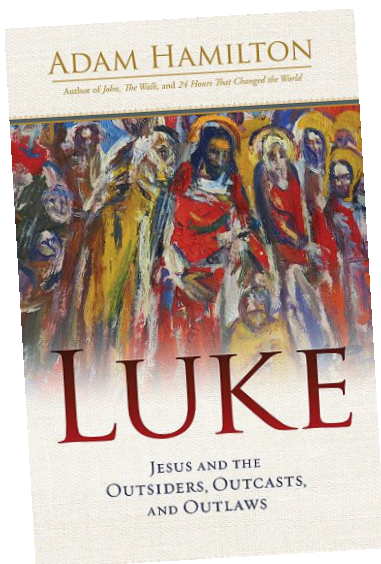
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NEW BIBLE STUDY ON LUKE

Begins Thursday, April 20 at 11:00 AM & 7:00 PM in Connection Room 1

Evening session available online

The Luke Bible study will discuss the gospel and its theme of Jesus' love and message for outsiders and outcasts.

"Jesus came to lift up the lowly. Throughout his ministry to his final days on the road to the cross, we find stories of his relationships with ordinary, flawed, and unexpected people. He met, dined, and traveled with people who were not perfect. Many of them were struggling, some were outsiders or even outlaws. Whoever they were, from those he healed to the outlaws with him at his crucifixion, Jesus brought the good news of God's kingdom to those who most needed to hear it.

In Luke: Jesus and the Outsiders, Outcasts, and Outlaws, pastor and bestselling author Adam Hamilton explores the life, teachings, death, and resurrection of Jesus as told in the Gospel of Luke."

Contact Pastor Scott for more information: ScottJohnson@pcumc.org

United Women in Faith **Rummage & Bake Sale**



Saturday, April 29, 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

**You never know what treasure you might find, so be sure to stop by!
Proceeds from the sale help support local and worldwide mission projects.**

Have items you would like to donate to the Rummage Sale?

You can drop off items in the Fellowship Hall coat room between 9:00 AM and 4:00 PM, Monday, April 24 - Friday, April 28.

Please remember to bring clean, gently used items only.

Please do not bring clothing, old tube TVs, broken electronics, or soiled items.

Our Rummage Sales are always a great success because of those who help out.

Help is needed setting up tables and sorting donations, selling during the sale, and after the sale to get the church looking great for worship!

Contact Naomi Laskey (meg4059@aol.com) or the church office (theoffice@pcumc.org or 716-625-8306) to get involved!

FEEDING HOPE

We are serving on Wednesday, April 19. If you'd like to help prep at church or serve in downtown Buffalo, contact me.

*Sandy Houck, 716-903-5183,
ssandyh@aol.com*

EXPLORE "THE TOUGH STUFF"

Tuesday, April 25, 7:00 PM

What's the one question you've never gotten a chance to ask? We're committed to making this table a safe place to explore and discuss hard things. We're not going to argue. We're not going to judge. We're not trying to persuade people that one answer is right and others are wrong. This table will be a safe place to discuss, learn, and grow.

Join us as we take on "The Tough Stuff."

WORSHIP SPONSORS

Would you like to sponsor our Altar Flowers, Bulletins, or the Communion Elements for a weekend? Is there a date you'd like to acknowledge in the near future? If you are interested in sponsoring the bulletins, flowers, or elements, you can do so easily!

- ▶ On the sign-up sheets in the back of the Sanctuary
- ▶ Online at pendletonchurch.org/worship-sponsors
- ▶ Contact Heather Miner in the office by phone or heatherminer@pcumc.org.

SHARE YOUR MUSICAL GIFT IN WORSHIP

If you are feeling called to share your musical gifts, please contact Nancy Himes, nancyhimes@pcumc.org or Tom Crosby, tomcrosby@pcumc.org. There are opportunities available during the offertory time in service whether you play an instrument or you would like to sing.

UPCOMING EVENTS

View the full calendar:
pendletonchurch.org/calendar

Youth Group

Sundays, 4/16, 4/23, 6-8:30p, 7-12th gr.

HCWG & S'mores

Friday, 4/21, 6-8:30p, PS-3rd gr.

Intergenerational Angel Wings

Saturday, 5/13, 12-3p

Weekly Groups

Sunday Morning Bible Study

Sundays, 10a, Connection Room 2

Niagara County Senior Lunch

Mondays, 10a, Fellowship Hall

Monday Night Adult Small Group

Mondays, 7p

Watercolor Class

Tuesdays, 1p & Saturdays, 10a, Art Room

Pendletones Handbells

Wednesdays, 6p, Connection Room 1

Men of Hymn

Wednesdays, 7p, Music Room

Niagara Falls Community Dinner

Thursdays, 5p at First UMC, Niagara Falls

Boy Scouts

Thursdays, 7p, Gym

Upcoming Mission Moments

World Malaria Day - April 22 & 23

The United Methodist Church's Imagine No Malaria program is working together with UMC health boards in Sub-Saharan Africa to increase access to and utilization of malaria preventative measures and treatment services.

Native American Ministries - May 6 & 7

Donations support vital ministries and churches in the Native American communities and help provide hope to children and youth, hope for a brighter future in impoverished communities, and a voice to those who have felt voiceless for years.