

# *Witness* TO THE VICTORY



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United Methodist Church

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## ORDER OF WORSHIP

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March 31, 2024 - Easter Sunday

Prelude

Welcome & Call to Worship

Passing of the Peace

Opening Music

Offertory

Doxology & Prayer of Dedication

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture Reading: *John 20:1-18*

Sermon: "Resurrection People" - Pastor Scott Johnson

Communion

Closing Song

Benediction

## PRAYER CONCERNS

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

**Prayer for Healing:** Luke M. Christa, Gerry, Patrick R, Michelle, Amy, Gary B, Jerry L, Tina P, Church division, Larry, JK, Brian, Amy D, Ken R, Judith N, Those with broken bodies and broken hearts

**General Prayer Concerns:** Judy B, Sherry A, John A, Tara & family, Safety & security, Family Finances, Kris M, Gary N, Our nation & government, Peace on earth

**Ongoing Concerns:** Wendy & Kevin, Cameron K, Bob M, Aaron, Ben, Our church, Our country, Evie V, Health & wellbeing through changes of season, Judith N, Kris M

**Random Prayer Selection:** Sally Acord, Louie & Mary Bobsein, Destini DeVore, Jason Grobe & Jessica Dagonese, Mike & Joan Kozlowski, June Phillips, Donald & Barbara Szpaicher, Carol Visscher

*Please be in prayer for these randomly selected names and those close to them.*

### Condolences:

Mary Licata, wife of Tony Licata (Memorial Service: Saturday, 4/6, 11a)

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

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### This Week's Birthdays

30 - Emily Lambe, Mary Rose

31 - Michelle Bullock, Caspian Gustafson, Tim Lorenz, Joe Mattina

1 - Loren Earle, Stacy Joseph, Joshua Lee, Brett Lemma, Sam Seegar

2 - Scott Johnson, Frank Remillard

4 - Mark Ash, LouAnn Banas, Cheryl Borner, Kaylee Grimmer, Pat Hahn, Joe Naylor, Bella Pfohl

5 - Sherrie Peterson, JoAnn Pfohl

6 - Paul Brown, Heather Johnson

### This Week's Anniversaries

3 - John & Eileen Chatley - '93

4 - Loren & Lorraine Earle - '92

5 - Scot & Karen Jaynes - '86

*Please consider sponsoring our worship elements by signing up in the back of the sanctuary or online at [pendletonchurch.org/worship-sponsor](https://pendletonchurch.org/worship-sponsor).*

## *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.

**If you're new to our church, or have updated information to share, 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 green cards in the chairs.

**Jr. Church, a program designed for 3 years old - 6th grade, is also offered during the 9:00 AM service.** If you would like your child to participate in Jr. Church, bring your children to the Ark before service. Children are always welcome in our worship service - we also have kids bulletins available in the back of the sanctuary.

**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.



**Website**  
[pendletonchurch.org](http://pendletonchurch.org)



**Facebook, Instagram, & YouTube**  
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### **Feeding Hope**

#### ***Wednesday, April 3***

If you'd like to help prepare the meal, come to the church kitchen after 3:00 PM. If you'd like to hand out the meals downtown Buffalo, plan on leaving the church at 6:30. If you or someone you know needs a meal, please let me know. *Sandy Houck*

### **United Women in Faith**

#### ***Thursday, April 4, 12:30p***

This month, we will focus on our Spring Rummage Sale. Money raised from this sale will go toward missions. Also, we plan on making cards to be used for birthdays, get well, etc., that we, as a group, send out monthly. So bring a sandwich and join the fun! May God lead you to join this group of faithful women. *Connie Clifford*

### **Intergenerational Angel Wings**

#### ***Saturday, April 13, 12-3p, Fellowship Hall***

Have you ever wondered what living with different abilities might be like? Come find out your skill with different ability games! Our mission focus will be on living with different abilities and Mason's Mission - an organization dedicated to building an all-inclusive, ADA approved special needs playground in WNY - will have a speaker here with us. *Ms. Becky*

### **Fish Fry Dinners**

Many, many thanks to all who helped out or bought some dinners!

- #1 - 598 (299 dine-ins, 299 takeouts)
- #2 - 561 (299 dine-ins, 262 takeouts)
- #3 - 599 (307 dine-ins, 292 takeouts)
- #4 - 559 (295 dine-ins, 264 takeouts)
- #5 - 551 (312 dine-ins, 239 takeouts)
- #6 - 444 (241 dine-ins, 203 takeouts)
- #7 - 628 (370 dine-ins, 258 takeouts)

### **More Upcoming Events**

View the full church calendar:  
[pendletonchurch.org/calendar](http://pendletonchurch.org/calendar)

#### ***Weekly Groups***

#### **Sunday Morning Bible Study**

Sundays, 10:30a, Connection Room 2  
*Not meeting today*

#### **Niagara County Senior Lunch**

Mondays, 10a, Fellowship Hall

#### **Beginner Pickleball for Adults**

Wednesdays, 6:30p, Gym

#### **Niagara Falls Community Dinner**

Thursdays, 5p at First UMC, Niagara Falls

#### **GriefShare**

Thursdays, 6:30p, Connection Room 2

#### **Boy Scouts**

Thursdays, 7p, Gym



# EASTER Flowers



## **Given By    In Honor Of**

Walt & Sue Holmes	Family
Sarah Kinmartin	Family
Dee Mann	Cindi and Jack Landrigan, my wonderful neighbors
Angela Marino	My parents, Joe and Gloria Marino
JoAnn O'Neill	Patricia Caci; Marie & John O'Neill; Dolores O'Neill
Delbert. JoAnn Pfohl	Loved ones
Dan and Kelli Putney	Walt & Sue Holmes; Lee & Betty Putney
Nicole Valentine	Margaret Valentine

## **Given By    In Memory Of**

Thomas and Diane Bush	Arthur and Marjorie Weyer; Stewart and Jeannette Bush
Rachel Cash	Bill Murray
Helena Fish	Loved ones & Sierra
Paul & Debbie Parise	Allan Leo
Jennifer Stowe	James Hymers

*Thank you to everyone who purchased Easter flowers.  
You may pick up your flowers after service.*



***You never know what treasure you might find, be sure to stop by!  
Baked goods and a lite luncheon menu will also be available.  
Proceeds from the sale help support local and worldwide mission projects.***

***\$3 bag sale starts at 1:00 PM***

***Have items you would like to donate?*** Drop off items in the Fellowship Hall coat room on Sunday, April 21, during worship or between 9:00 AM and 4:00 PM, Monday, April 22 - Friday, April 26. ***We will not accept drop-offs on Saturday, the day of the sale.***

***Please do not bring...*** clothing, shoes, bed frames, TVs, broken electronics, vehicle tires, large house rugs, or soiled items. Unfortunately, we cannot help unload some of these items and they do not sell.

***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!

If you have any questions on what you can drop off or how to volunteer, please contact the church office (716-625-8306) or Connie Clifford.