

Nottingham United Methodist Church

May 1, 2022 11:00 am Morning Worship

Third Sunday of Easter

And they worshipped him, and returned to Jerusalem with great joy: And were continually in the temple, praising and blessing God. Amen.

Luke 24:52-53

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

MUSIC MINISTRY OF PATSY

WELCOME, JOYS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER IN UNISON - Almighty God, you give us the joy of celebrating our Lord's resurrection. Give us also the joys of life in your service, and bring us at last to the full joy of life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen!

OPENING PRAISE "Alive, Alive" "Because He Lives" "Oh, How I Love Jesus"

CALL TO WORSHIP "Psalm 150" -----UMH 862

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH -----UMH 881

HYMNS "I Stand Amazed in the Presence" -----UMH 371

"He Lives" -----UMH 310

PRAYER AT THE ALTAR/MUSIC BY PATSY

MUSIC MINISTRY OF LIZ KISER

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

† DOXOLOGY

SONG "Seek Ye First" -----UMH 405

SCRIPTURE/SERMON-----Pastor Bill Porter

HYMN "Alleluia" -----UMH 186

† BENEDICTION/FELLOWSHIP TIME

† CONGREGATION STANDING

Greetings and Welcome –Jesus is Alive! Praise God for the cross and the blood of Jesus. The tomb is empty! Let's rejoice! We're glad you are here today. You are loved!

PASTOR: *Bill Porter*

LAY LEADER: *Velena Wheatley*

MUSICIANS: *Patsy Mercer, Liz Kiser*

TELLERS: *Jean and Norma*

AUDIO/VISUAL TECH: *Aaron Sams*

USHERS: *Lewis, Judy, and Roger*

Records for Sunday, April 24, 2022

Sunday School |On Line Worship 44| Morning Worship 34|

Tithes/Offerings \$592.57| Wednesday Bible Study 18|

Property Fund \$516.76| Paving Fund \$5171.55|Window Fund \$808.62|

Bus Fund \$1578.09|

Prayer List: *Charlie Goode Family, Richard Jones Family, Martha Richardson Family, Bruce Caouette Family, Burdette McConnell Family, Herb Kyllonen Family, Keith Blackburn Family, Sonny Quillin Family, Breeding Family, Bessie Keen Family, Wayne Jennings Family, Lois Anderson Family, Charlie Anderson, Rick Anderson, Lauren (Helen Ashworth's granddaughter), Bird Blackburn, Margaret Breeding, Barbara Graham Dalton, Carolyn Depew, Otis Dockery, Kristen Dykes, Audley & Faye Fansler, Terry and Anna Farmer, Zelda Faust, Gran Fields, Sue's brother E.J., Orbin Fleenor, Donnie Godsey, Helen Goode, Wanda Helms, Kenneth & Patsy Herron, Melanie Horne, Nadine Horton, Carl and Lynn Johnson, Kaye Jones, Marie Jones, Sherri Jones, Drexie & Ken Key, Mike McConnell, Scott McConnell, Billy McDavid, Patsy Mercer, Calvin & Shelia Newton, Nell Powers, Jim Putman, Johnny Ray, Elise Richards, Ruth Richards, Bonnie Robinson, J. Fred Shelton, Robin Smith, Joan Taylor, Rita Walters, Rev. Jeff Wright & Sandy Wright, the lost, those who have recently lost loved ones, one another, the brokenhearted & discouraged, those traveling, our President & world leaders, troops & the people of the Ukraine!*

National Day of Prayer – Thursday May 5th. National Day of Prayer calls on all people of different faiths in the United States to pray for the nation and its leaders. It is held on the first Thursday of May each year.

Mendota Worship - Sundays at 3 pm

VBS – Thanks to all that attended the first meeting. We need a volunteer to direct this important event! The next meeting will be Tuesday May 3rd at 4 pm. We will be looking to finalize plans for VBS and the date/time- Looking at mid-July.

Wednesday Bible Studies - Easter study continues. Post resurrection appearances of Jesus. Mendota begins at 11 am weekly. Nottingham's Bible Study begins at 1 pm weekly. Please join us for one or both of these studies.

Car Show – Thanks to everyone for attending our first planning meeting. The date for the Car Show is Saturday, September 10, from 12 - 2 pm. Our next meeting will be Monday May 23rd at 7 pm

T-Shirts Available – We have 11-XL and 13-2XL 2021 Car Show shirts for sale. They are \$10 and are available in the Fellowship Hall.

Preparing for Annual Conference - June 5 – 8, 2022

***Hands-On Mission Project - School Kits For Zimbabwe**

Collect these items in a large (at least 17") backpack:

3 pks of loose-leaf, wide ruled paper OR 3 - 9 ¾" x 7.5" 100- sheet composition books (*No Spiral notebooks*), 1 Compass and 1 Protractor (may be packaged individually or as a set), 1 Ruler-12", 1 pack of Erasers, 1 (10-12 pack) of pencils, 1 small English Dictionary (*No thesauruses*), 1 (10-12 pack) of Black or Blue Pens, 1 Pack Coloring Pencils (*No crayons or markers*), 1 Ream (500 sheets) Copy Paper. The drop off deadline for your backpacks is May 23rd. If you prefer to give cash, the cost for one backpack is \$21.85. You may write a check to NUMC and give to Amy; she will be ordering the kits. Let her know how many kits you wish to sponsor by next Sunday May 8th.

***Mission Offering** – This offering will be directed toward “Our South Sudanese Brothers and Sisters in Exile in Uganda Africa”. This will be received on May 15th.

***Change for Children** – This offering funds grants for Holston-related children's ministries for children in poverty and for children in South Africa. This offering will be received on May 22nd.

Calendar

Sunday, May 1, 2022

11:00 *am* Morning Worship
Children's Church

3:00 *pm* Mendota Worship

Monday, May 2, 2022

Tuesday, May 3, 2022

VBS Meeting 4 *pm*

Wednesday, May 4, 2022

Bible Study - Mendota 11:00 *am*

Nottingham 1:00 *pm*

Thursday, May 5, 2022

National Day of Prayer

Friday, May 6, 2022

Saturday, May 7, 2022

Sunday, May 8, 2022- Mother's Day

11:00 *am* Morning Worship
Children's Church

3:00 *pm* Mendota Worship

PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS. *You can continue to mail checks or give at Church. Go to Nottingham's website and click ONLINE GIVING if you are interested in this way of giving. Thank you.*

May Birthdays: Anna Farmer (11) Cody Estepp (13) Martha Bledsoe (27) Gran Beverly Fields (30)

May Anniversaries: Courtney & Kasey Ballard (8)

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