

THANKS TO OUR WORSHIP TEAM TODAY: Apr. 10, 2022

Greeter.....George & Pam Bussom
Acolyte.....Jacob Bavuso
Ushers.....Alice Dix & Wayne Smith
Scripture Reader.....Julie Wms. George
Counters.....Margo Brown & J. Wms. George

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God

NEXT SUNDAY’S HELPERS (3rd Sunday):

Greeter.....Cindy & Trinity Bauer
Acolyte.....Keithan Bauer
Ushers.....Nancy Miller & Keithan Bauer
Scripture Reader.....Alice Dix
Counters.....Frances Stoughton & Wayne Smith

THIS WEEK (04/10 thru 04/16/2022):

Today:
9:45 a.m. Adult Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship Service
Monday:
none
Tuesday:
none
Wednesday:
none
Thursday:
10:00 a.m. Bible Study with Virginia Lee returns to Starfish Lane
Friday:
none
Saturday:
none

RECURRING WEEKLY EVENTS:

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9:45 a.m. Adult Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship Service
Thursday:
10:00 a.m. Bible Study with Virginia Lee

04/10/2022

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please bring your gifts for The Society of St. Andrew next Sunday, April 17th. When you come forward to Flower the Cross you will leave either the collection box or your check for SoSA on the communion rail.

Monday, April 18th, at 3:00 p.m., the Finance Committee will meet in the library.

Tuesday, April 19th at 3:00 p.m., the Council will meet in the library. All church members are welcome to attend.

We are so blessed to be able to welcome everyone back to the Fellowship Hall on Sunday, April 24th, immediately following our worship service. 2 ITEMS...1) contact Alice Dix if you can help by bringing a lucky pot of something delicious, and 2) mark your calendars for the 4th Sunday of every month following. (we are going to be POSITIVE that we are getting back to normal!)

We will be returning to our Every 4th Sunday schedule for “Coffee Hour,” which is actually a pot luck meal on Sunday, April 24th, immediately following our Worship Service. Alice Dix & Company will be filling in for Margo Brown to coordinate this gathering. If you are interested in helping Alice & Company, please let the office know.

The Whetstone Committee will meet at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 27th to assemble the May Whetstone Newsletter for mailing.

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White Stone United Methodist Church

Our Mission: To Know and Share Jesus Christ
"In the Service of Our Lord since 1819"

Rev. L. Bryan McClain, Pastor
Julie Williams George, Lay Leader
Tonya Spears, Music Director

Rev. Dr. Sharma Lewis, Bishop
Rev. Dr. Charles F. Ledlum-Bates,
District Superintendent

Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors

White Stone United Methodist Church

Palm Sunday

April 10, 2022 11:00 a.m.

Let us enter the Sanctuary in prayerful meditation.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

*Hymn "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" #278
Congregation waves palms

*Prayer of Confession

Offering Prayer

*Doxology #95

Hymn "Were You There" #288 vs. 1

Scripture Acts 16:6-10 Alice Dix

Sermon "The Discipline of Visioning" Pastor

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

*Hymn "Where He Leads Me" #338

*Benediction

We Depart to Love and Serve Others

* Indicates when the congregation should stand. Please stand as you are able.

Large Print Hymnals are available by request.

Please sign the attendance register.

> * Call to Worship:

Proclamation by Leader: Luke 19:28-40

Leader: Hosanna to the Son of David

People: Hosanna in the highest

L: Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord

P: Hosanna in the highest

> *Prayer of Confession:

L: My sisters and brothers, Christ shows us his love by becoming a humble servant. Let us draw near to God and confess our sin in the truth of God's Spirit.

P: Most merciful God, we your Church confess that often our spirit has not been that of Christ. Where we have failed to love one another as he loves us, where we have pledged loyalty to him with our lips and then betrayed, deserted or denied him, forgive us, we pray; and by your Spirit make us faithful in every time of trial; through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

L: Who is in a position to condemn? Only Christ. But Christ suffered and died for us, was raised from the dead and ascended on high for us, and continues to intercede for us. Believe the good news: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

P: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! Glory to God. AMEN.

Announcements

Relief for Ukraine: make your check payable to White Stone UMC and note #982450 on your memo line. Drop you check in the offering plate.

Sunrise Service will be at 6:30 a.m. in the Memorial Garden on Easter Sunday, April 17th. Coffee will be available in the Fellowship Hall after the service.

We will "Flower the Cross" during our 11:00 a.m. worship service on April 17th. Please bring a cut flower or flowering branch, if you are able. Cut flowers will be available if you don't have access to any.

++ when you ask for an addition to the prayer list, if you would also like a card sent, please get in touch with Nancy Miller @ 438-4222 & leave a message with mailing address info.++

SOME PEOPLE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER:

Dan Russell – health issue	Johnny & Connie Robertson – both are having health issues
The Shannaberger Family – moving to PA to assist daughter during cancer treatments	Donna Hall's cousin, Cathy, hospitalized with extreme blood sugar levels
The Ukrainian People	Russian president Putin
Rich O'Brien (Angela O'Brien's brother in law, PET Scan shows something to be concerned about)	Grayson (Rev. Earnest Hogge's new great-grandson) has had to return to the hospital.
Mary Pittman (requested by Cynthia Bishop)	Jessica Dirksmyer (The Turlington's granddaughter)
Wayne Smith (medical issues)	Stacy Campbell
Bob Gabrielski - cancer has returned	Vicky Hogge
Dale's friend with long-term Covid is suffering from neurological issues.	Maggy Gregory (Ava Lewis' daughter) is Improving with PT after several brain surgeries
Tony Throckmorton	
OUR SERVICE MEN & WOMEN	Our Church

In need of Long-Term Prayer:

Dana Arnold (Donna Bishop's daughter)	Jim & Donna Bishop
John Carter (Karen Carter's son)	Edna Davenport
Rev. Ernest Hogge	Miriam Foote (Barbara Oestreich's mother)
Patsy & Sam Kitching	The Keane Family
Chris Longan	Bobby Long (dialysis)
The Mahoney Family	Ace Oestreich
Anne Owen	Phyllis Pape
Barbara Ritch-Brant	Burch & Kendall Vickery
Sue Wilson	Candy (Karen Carter's sister - needs heart valve replacement)
ALL CAREGIVERS	