



Easter Worship, April 4, 2021, 9:30am Worship Bulletin

**Love God, Love Others,
Change the World**

The Last Week: Resurrection Sunday The Empty Tomb

Gathering Music	<i>Easter Medley</i>	Leap of Faith Praise Band
Welcome		Rev. Jody Topping
Invitation to Worship Song	<i>Alleluia, Alleluia #162</i>	Carrie Claypool & Trina Brown
Invitation to Worship		Katy Werner
Hymn of Praise	<i>Christ The Lord Is Risen Today #302</i>	Carrie Claypool & Trina Brown
Children's Message		Rev. Jody Topping
Special Music	<i>In Christ Alone</i>	Leap of Faith Praise Band
Scripture Reading	<i>Matthew 28:1-10</i>	Katy Werner
The Message	The Last Week: The Empty Tomb	Rev. Jody Topping
Pastoral Prayer		Rev. Jody Topping
Invitation to the Offering		Katy Werner
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Special Music	<i>Jesus Messiah</i>	Leap of Faith Praise Band
Holy Communion		Rev. Jody Topping
The Lord's Prayer	<i>Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen</i>	
Hymn of Celebration	<i>He Lives #310 v1&2</i>	Carrie Claypool & Trina Brown
Benediction		Rev. Jody Topping
Postlude	<i>Sweet, Sweet Spirit</i>	Trina Brown

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Leading/Assisting in Worship

Technical Assistance: David Topping
Pianist: Trina Brown
Digital Bulletin: Robena West
Leap of Faith Praise Band Members:

Liturgist: Katy Werner
Worship Leader: Carrie Claypool
Pastor: Rev. Jody Topping
Kate Blaes, Carrie Claypool, Brandon Jensen,
David & Jody Topping

What's Happening This Week

All are offered via Zoom unless otherwise indicated. Links are sent by email. To be added to our mailing list, email info@songoflifeumc.org

- SoL Easter Sunrise Service: **Today**, 6:00am
- SoL Online Worship: **Today**, 8:00am
<https://live.songoflifeumc.org/>
- Easter Resurrection Service: Today, 9:30am (In-Person, Outdoors)
- Easter Egg Hunt: **Today**, 10:30am
- Koinonia/Bible Buddies: **No meeting today**
- Staff Easter Holiday: **Monday 4/5/21**
- Contemplative Approach: **Mon**, 10:00am
- Pastor's Lenten Study: **Tues**, 3:00pm
- Coffee with the Pastor: **Weds**, 10:00am
- Kid's Korner, **Weds**, 3:30pm
- Area 412 (Teens): **Weds**, 4:30pm

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Sunday Schedule Beginning Next Week

8:30 – 9:30 am	Meet & Greet via Zoom
8:30 – 9:15 am	Outdoor/In-Person Worship*^ (Reservations Open on Tuesday)
9:45 – 10:45 am	Online Worship (live.songoflifeumc.org)
11:00 am	Children's Church via Zoom
11:00 am	Koinonia/Bible Buddies Adult Study Group via Zoom

*Subject to change based on local COVID-19 Cases

^Reservations Required, go to songoflifeumc.org

Assuming our COVID-19 positivity rate remains low, we will offer in-person worship outdoors and online worship according to the above schedule. Please note: this schedule is temporary; we hope to resume our regular worship schedule with services at 8:00 am, 9:30 am and 11:00 am near the end of May, but in the meantime, we appreciate your prayers and your grace as we temporarily adjust our schedule slightly to accommodate our various Sunday morning worship and study activities.

New Sermon Series Beginning April 11, 2021

After Easter, we will take a look back on the year that was, and look forward to what may be yet to come. We'll accomplish this through two Sermon Series called "When Bad Things Happen" and "Resilient Faith."



How do we find peace in the midst of our struggles? How do we come out on the other side, not just with our faith intact but with even greater

faith than we had before? In the Book of Job, we find help as we struggle with these questions.

April 11– Where is God?

April 18 – How Will We Prevail?



What do we do in this season when uncertainty about the future continues? How might we become stronger? How might we be

more resilient so we can be ready when the next crisis comes?

April 25 – Resilience in the Face of Adversity

May 2 – Resilience through our Relationships