

HEYWARD STREET UMC

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March 26, 2023

The Fifth Sunday of Lent

Welcome

Announcement

John Smith

Call to Worship

Opening Song *This is What We Live For* Praise Team

Scripture John 11:1-45 (selected verses) Pew Bible p 104

Receiving of the Offering

Lenten Hymn *Great is Thy Faithfulness* UMH 140

Sermon Waiting, Weeping, Wondering

Song *Come Alive (Dry Bones)* Praise Team

Prayers of the People & the Lord's Prayer

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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever.

Closing Song *Your Name is Power* Praise Team

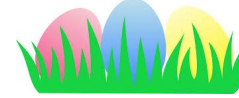
Benediction

Easter Lilies For Easter Sunday

To radiate the joy of new life on Easter Sunday, we will place Easter lilies in the sanctuary. Please sponsor a lily in honor of, or in memory of, a loved one. Forms are available in the back of the sanctuary. Form with payment is due by April 2.



Let's Dye Easter Eggs!



Next Sunday, April 2, join us in the Fellowship hall 9:45 - 10:15 am to dye hard boiled eggs. Not only will this activity remind us of memories from our childhood but also memories shared with our children. Our artistic efforts will be for a good cause. Washington St UMC will distribute the eggs as Easter treats at the quarterly meal for the food insecure on April 10. Bring an apron (optional). Eggs and dye will be provided.

Holy Week Service – Thursday, April 6

On Thursday, April 6, we will meet at Whaley St. UMC to share in their Maundy Thursday service beginning at 6 pm. We will listen as scripture is read and watch as the altar is stripped. Our hearts will anticipate the sorrow of Good Friday and Holy Saturday.



Soul Reset: This Week's Location

Our Lenten Small Group Study meets this Wednesday, March 29, at 5:15 pm at Heyward St UMC. Our spiritual practice is taking care of our physical bodies; choosing healthy foods, creating time for sleep, and exercising.



Praying for HSUMC Friends and Family

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