

# The Springs

Where The Thirsty Find **Life**

April 10, 2019

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## Holy Week

### Light Up The Night

April 14th (Palm Sunday)

Meeting in the gym at 6pm for fellowship and food and after, weather permitting, meeting in the prayer garden for worship.

### "I Can Only Imagine"- Movie Night

April 17th, 5:30-7:30pm

Bring a blanket or comfortable chair. We will be in the gym and will have pizza, drinks and desserts. Nursery available, children 3-5 will still meet in the children's wing. But all children are welcome to stay as well.

### Maundy Thursday

April 18th- 6pm Thursday evening in the sanctuary.

### Easter Egg Hunt

April 20th- 10am to 12pm

Join us at Bonita Lakes Playground for our yearly Easter Egg Hunt. Bring a side item or dessert and enjoy a family day as we celebrate Christ.

### Decorate The Cross

April 20th, 2:00pm

Decorate the cross for Easter. Bring flowers or greenery and also we need people to help decorate,. So even if you only have an hour, come on by!

**Wednesday, April 10**

5:30 P.M. Church Family Night Supper  
*Please make a reservation on the attendance pad.*  
*Menu: Lasagna, 7-Layer Salad, French Bread, Choc. Trifle*  
6:00 P.M. Study  
*(Crew leave for Stations of the Cross)*  
7:00 P.M. Choir Rehearsal

**Sunday, April 14 Palm Sunday**

9:05 A.M. Sunday Grind  
Coffee & Fellowship  
9:30 A.M. Worship  
10:45 A.M. Sunday School (Life Groups)  
4:00 P.M. Reading Helps (Last one)  
**4:00 P.M. Youth Stations of the Cross**  
4:30 P.M. Crew  
**6:00 P.M. Light Up The Night/Prayer Garden**

**Wednesday, April 17**

**5:30 P.M. Movie Night "I Can Only Imagine"**

**Thursday, April 18**

**6:00 P.M. Maundy Thursday Service**

**Friday, April 19**

**12:00 Noon Community Wide - Good Friday Service**  
at Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church, 544 James E  
Chaney Dr, Meridian

**Saturday, April 20**

**10:00 A.M. Easter Egg Hunt/Bonita Lakes**  
**2:00 P.M. Decorate Easter Cross**

**Sunday, April 21 Easter**

9:05 A.M. Sunday Grind  
Coffee & Fellowship  
9:30 A.M. Worship  
10:45 A.M. Sunday School (Life Groups)

**Monday, April 22**

Church Office is closed.

**Looking Ahead**

**April 27 Spring Festival**

**May 5 Senior Sunday**

**May 6 50 Plus 12pm**

**April Birthdays**

- 1st Kat Torrance
- 2nd Amelia King  
Noah Littleton
- 6th Raymond King  
Carolyn Wall
- 8th Sherene Broome  
Ron St. John
- 10th Karen Beard
- 11th Vicki Coleman  
Tommy King  
Betsy Littleton  
Sam Wilson
- 12th Walt Littleton
- 13th Elva Britt
- 15th Carrol Barham  
Chris Both  
Aaliya Mendiola
- 18th Tensley White
- 20th Janet Barham
- 22nd Angie Sherrill
- 28th Valerie Purvis
- 29th Jennifer St. John
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Dear Church Family,

Many of you heard Sunday that there would be a change in clergy leadership here in the end of June. Rev. Mike Sahler will be coming as the senior pastor. While we will have time for final thoughts and goodbyes in the upcoming months Katie and I wanted to share our appreciation for you. We are grateful for the past five years of serving Christ here at Poplar Springs Drive UMC. Along with every congregation we have served you will always be a part of our family. We are grateful that God brought us here in service during this season of our lives.

In Christ,  
Chuck and Katie

## VBS

### June 9-13th - NEW TIMES- 6-8pm

Sign up today for this amazing week in the life of our church. We are doing things a bit different this year and bringing extra support for all of our amazing volunteers. Student groups will look a bit different, and all of our volunteers will have extra help and time. So sign up today and connect with a child in our community!

## Spring Festival

If you haven't signed up for the festival, this is the time to do it. Also, we will have childcare for those who need help during their volunteering hours. Just let the church office know or write childcare beside your name when you sign up. Getting close friends. Let's make this the best festival we've had! April 27th 10am to 1pm. Remember all proceeds go to support and serve our community!



## Worship Volunteers

### Scripture Readers

April 14 - Audrey Otto

April 21 - Shelby Dickey

April 28 - Benny Egler

### Communion Celebrants

#### May 5

Grady Coleman, Dianne Shannon,  
J.L. Young, Sandi Pupa

### Ushers for April

Ed Crews

David Otto

Kevin Peterson

### Greeters for April

#### April 14

Wanda McBrayer	Sanctuary
Kim Ridinger	40th St.
Carolyn Wall	Downstairs

#### April 21

Teresa/Billy Anders	Sanctuary
Polly Little	40th St.
Carrol Barham	Downstairs

#### April 28

Sue Gerwert	Sanctuary
Janet Barham	40th St.
Pam Litton	Downstairs

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### Weekly Readings for week of April 7th

Day 1 - John 16:33

Day 2 - 2 Corinthians 7:10

Day 3 - Matthew 5:4

Day 4 - 1 Thessalonians 5:5-6

Day 5 - John 1:5

Day 6 - Psalm 18:28

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