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April 21, 2019

Rev. Dave Leckrone, Senior Pastor
Ty Williams, Associate Pastor
Bob Lybarger, Associate Pastor

Our Mission: Invite ~ Equip ~ Engage

Easter Sunday

April 21, 2019

Luke 24.1-12

He isn't here, but has been raised

Notes:

Join us during the week:

Bible Study Thursdays 6pm, Room 321 in the Main Building

First News



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Office: Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm

We extend a warm welcome to all our visitors today!

We are glad you are visiting with us today. We would like to get to know you. Please stop by the welcome center. If this is your first time with us we would invite you to fill out a connection card at the welcome counter. Hand the card to a greeter to receive a welcome special gift we have for you. We're excited you're worshiping with us today. Welcome!

Attendance

Worship: 406 Sunday school: 58

First Friend of the Week Birthday Wishes!

Linda Breidenbach (4/23)
1154 Park Forest Drive
Vandalia, Ohio 45377

1st Friend of Week cards are located on the **prayer wall** on the table. If you would like to send a card please fill one out and place it in the red basket on the prayer counter. We will make sure it gets delivered to our special friend.

Thanks

Warren and I are truly thankful for our church family. We have received many prayers, cards and help during our illness. A big Thank You to Diane Gary for the beautiful altar flowers. We are enjoying them. We have needed prayers a lot and you have been there for us. Blessings Warren & Kay Kaebnick

Weekly Calendar

Monday: April 22

9:15am Intercessory meeting

5:45pm Girl Scouts

7:00pm Trustees

Tuesday: April 23

9:30am Food Pantry fund raiser mtg

Wednesday: April 24

6:30pm Youth

7:00pm Finance meeting

Thursday: April 25

9:00am Men's Bible Study

10:00am Hands 4 Hearts

6:00pm Ty's Bible Study

6:30pm Bells practice

7:00pm Praise Team practice

7:30pm Choir practice

Saturday: April 27

7:30am Men's breakfast Bob Evans

Upcoming Events

April 28: Roman & Christians
Acolyte training

April 29: Intercessory meeting

April 30: Virtual Market

May 1: Youth at Cleo's House

May 2: Men's Bible study

Ty's Bible study

Bell's practice

Praise Team practice

Choir practice

Pastoral Care

If you are admitted to a hospital and desire a Pastoral visit, please call or have a family member call the church to let us know. Due to HIPAA laws the hospital will not notify us unless you specifically ask them to notify your church Pastor.

Let's Go

There are still a few spots left for Beef & Boards deposit is due now. Deposit for Mackinac Island and Frankenmuth is due now and the Mystery Trip deposit is due now. Come join us on one (or more) of our fun filled trips. Any questions call Diana 937-216-7088.



Please keep the following member(s) of our Church family in your prayers:

Rick Matson, home
Linda Karnes, home
Amy Estey, rehab
Linda Honeyman, chemo
Joyce Ward, Koester
Carlo Wolfe, home

Quiet Bags

Quiet bags are available on the back wall by the media room for young children to play with during worship service.

"Kids Korner"

Call the Church office (335-2826) or email: staff@troyfumc.org with special things your children have accomplished, so we can celebrate.

Drama Camp

Are you planning your summer already? Don't forget to include Drama Camp on June 10-14 from 10:00am to 12:00pm at First Place, Storytelling, Fun and Friends!

TFYG Events

Troy First Youth Group

April 24th – Last night of TFG!

April 28th – Romans & Christians 6-8pm

May 1st – Messy celebration @ Cleo's house 6:30-8:30pm

May 8th – Senior Dinner (tbd)

Prayers Request

Did you know that FUMC has a prayer chain with 98 members? This group is notified when there is a prayer request and they faithfully pray for requests. If you need prayers or would like to join the prayer chain, please contact Laura Bemus at fumctroyprayers@aol.com. Thank you Laura

Acolytes

Children who are currently in 1st through 5th grades are invited to become acolytes. Training will take place on Sunday, April 28 immediately following the 10:45 services. Thanks Miss Penny

Troy First Youth Group Mission

Youth Summer Mission trip to the Florida Panhandle is July 14th – 20th. Our Youth will be helping with Disaster Relief along side of Team Effort Missions, cost is \$400.00, see Cleo Hess for permission slips that are due back by Easter Sunday along with \$25.00 security deposit.

Vacation Bible School

We are looking for volunteers to help with Vacation Bible School this June 24-28, from 6:00-8:15 each evening. We have close to 100 kids participate each year and we need helpers for both the preschool and elementary ages. It can be as simple as helping with registration on Monday evening, being a line leader to take the kids to each of their activities, or being a craft or recreation helper with the preschool kids. Please prayerfully consider getting involved for this special event! Follow the kids as they learn that Life is Wild and God is Good while they sing, play and hear Bible stories. I guarantee their joy and enthusiasm will send you home smiling! Please contact Penny Hoekstra or the church office to sign up.



Postings from First Place Food Pantry

Happy Easter from First Place Food Pantry serving 400 Troy and Casstown Families per month

April is the month to renew Kroger Community Rewards for the coming year. This program is at no cost to you— donations are made by Kroger based on your purchases. This will not affect your fuel points.



Register online at krogercommunityrewards.com

First Place Food Pantry Community Rewards Number is: UM236. If you do not have a Kroger Plus card you can get online or at the Customer Service Desk at Kroger's.

If you wish to donate today— you will find envelopes in the pew racks

Ty's Ordination

Pastor Ty's ordination will be on June 5, 2019 during the Annual Conference at Lakeside, OH. We will charter a bus to take those who would like to attend the ceremony that day. Tentative plans are to depart the church around 8:15 am and return to the church around 8:00 pm on June 5. Please indicate if you would like to go to Lakeside for the ceremony on the sign-up sheet outside the church office.

JAM at First Place

This summer, we are excited to bring back JAM (Jesus and Me) children's time during the 10:45 Contemporary Service. This will be a chance for kids ages 3 and up to spend time together and have their own activities related to the sermon topic. (Children are still welcome and invited to stay in worship the entire time if they prefer that). Kids will begin and end the service with their families but will leave for JAM during the sermon time. Stay posted for more information. For any questions, or if you would like to volunteer to help with JAM, please email Sarah Porto, sarahporto.1@gmail.com

Thanks

The United Methodist Women would like to say "Thank You" to the congregation for all the many contributions to our Spring Rummage Sale. The sale was a great success. We will be able to continue our work for the many mission projects that we contribute to. As you know, we do two Rummage Sales a year, one in the Spring and one in the Fall. They are a lot of work but the donations to Missions and the fellowship is worth all of it. We are truly grateful for all of you. Women of the UMW

Preschool Press!



Thank you to everyone who supported First Kids Christian Preschool by purchasing books at our book fair. A total of \$800 in books were purchased! This gives the preschool \$400 in scholastic dollars to be used to purchase literacy items for the preschool classrooms!

Happy Easter!

Stewardship Report

General Operating Fund - Tithes & Offerings

Week 15 of 52

4/14/2019	4/15/2018	Change	% Change
\$9,904.77	\$13,030.00	-\$3,125.23	-23.98%

1/1/2019 – 4/14/2019	1/1/2018 – 4/15/2018	Change	%Change
\$161,244.39	\$175,545.28	-\$14,300.89	-8.15%

Last Week's Offering

General Operating Fund

Tithes & Offerings	\$9,904.77
Breakfast	160.00
Coffee	7.55
Funeral Meal	100.00
Loose Plate	201.00
Sunday School	21.50

Other Project Funds

Bradley's House of Hope	\$40.31
Debt Reduction	82.50
Easter Flowers	276.00
First Kids Preschool	20.00
FISH	33.00
Food Pantry	25.00
Investing in the Future Campaign	838.00
Let's Go	2,192.00
Trustee's Capital	455.00
Youth	25.00

Money received for Other Project Funds are designated contributions and do not represent any financial support from the General Operating Fund.

Financial Statements are posted on the bulletin board in the Gathering Room.