ORDER OF WORSHIP

April 10, 2016	3rd Sunday of Easter	10:30 a.m.	
Gathering of God's Children Welcome and Announcements			
Prelude		William Elliott	
Bringing in the L	aight of Christ "Onward Christian Soldiers"	Acolyte Chancel Choir	
Call to Worship *Hymn of Praise		Cokesbury 123	
*Affirmation of 1		UMH 881	
* Hymn	"He Is Lord"	UMH 177	
Children's Time			
Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer			
Receiving of God's Tithes and Our Offerings			
Offertory Prayer Offertory		William Elliott	
*Doxology	"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"	UMH 95	
Anthem	"Glorious Day (Living He Loved Me)" Chancel Choir	McDonald	
Scripture	John 20:1-19		
Message	Revival Theme: "Something Greater than Ourselves"	Rev. Smith	
Invitation to Discipleship			
*Hymn	"Grace Greater than Our Sin"	UMH 365	
*Dismissal with *Choral Benedic *Taking out the l *Postlude	tion "Go Now in Peace"	Chancel Choir Acolyte William Elliott	

*People Stand As Able

PRAYER REQUESTS

ILLNESS

Eddie Abshire, Joe Akers, Fran Alba, Andy Anderson, Patsy Arnold, Jim Ayers, Barbara Bailey, Janet Barker, Charlotte Bass, Catherine Beamer, Bobbie Bellamy (Margaret Elam's Sister), Dennis Bennett, John & Carol Bohaboy, Edna Bone, Suzanna Bovenizer, Carol Cole, Doug Cook, Lester Coomes, Doug Coon, Debbie & Herbert Creasy, Dorothy Culberston, Veleda Davidson, Anna Deitrich, Blair Deskins (Jean Miller's Granddaughter), Clint Dillon, Richard and Patty Dillon (Wade's Parents), Richard Dillon, Jr., Darlene Dolin, Jayce Evans, Gertrude Farmer (Kimberly Edwards' Grandmother), Margaret Farmer, Vicki Furrow, Debbie Gillespie, Shirley Glover, Laura Gooch, Stephanie Gressett, Amanda Griffith, Gus Hartsock, Carrie Hendrick (Gerry Stowers' Granddaughter), Erinn Hollo, Arlin Honaker, Jim Houchins, Trina Jackson, Amanda Jessee, Jim Justice, Dr. David Kovach, Mary Virginia Lester (Linda Hash's Sister), Mary Martin, Louise McVey, Debbie Misak, Mark Moncier (Jeff's Brother), Janis Moore, Richard Morsan, Ethan Oliver, Gary Pardue, Phil and Rebecca Peterson, Patty Ramage, Carol Riddle, Mark Riley, Brian Rose & Family, Ruby Roten, Deb Sarver, Kenny Sawyers, Suzette Sawyers, Carol Scott, Mary Ruth Scott, Ruth Shrader, Ellie Spencer, Roger Stacey, Amanda Stephenson, Russell Synan, Will Thompson, Kim Tinder, Terry **Trenton** (Nancy Trenton's daughter-in-law), Dave **Trippett** (Shirley Saunders' Nephew), Charles Weaver (Kimberly Edwards' dad), Mark Webb, Betty White, Viola Wilborn, Edith Wilkinson, Ellen Windle, Michael & Susan Williams (Mary Ruth Scott's nephew), Karen Woody, Ted Yost, Sharon Ziegler

OUR MILITARY

Ryan **Shott,** Lucas **Graham,** Jeremy **Woody**, and those serving our country **HOMEBOUND**

Smokey **Blaylock**, Joe **Davidson**, Leon **Devor**, Syd **Ellison**, Russell **Garrett**, Pat **Jones**, Charles **Miller** (Pam Rose's father), Wilma **Shay**, Nancy **Trenton**, Irma **Webb SYMPATHY**

Sympathy is extended to-

Chris Calo and family in the death of his wife, Robin Calo

Keith McKenzie in the death of his beloved partner, Jeanne Deason, and also to her family **David and Jackie Williams and family** in the death of David's brother

Lee and Sandy Elswick and family in the death of Lee's mother, Geraldine Elswick

Children's Bulletins are available in the Narthex. One for ages 3-6 and one for ages 7-12.

The center arrangement on the altar is given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Kevin Rose who passed away on April 10, 2010. By: Roger Rose, Father - Vanessa Roach, Sister - Mother - Grandparents

We welcome Rev. Robert Smith, guest evangelist for our revival. Rev. Smith is pastor at Hillsville United Methodist Church.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, April 10	JOY! Service	8:30 a.m.
	Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
	Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.
	Revival	7:00 p.m.
Monday, April 11	Revival	7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, April 12	Prayer Vigil for General Conference	
	Revival	7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, April 13	Bible Study	6:00 p.m.
	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	7:00 p.m.
Saturday, April 16	Lay Servant Training	8:30 a.m.

YOUNG LIFE'S 4TH ANNUAL 5K RUN/WALK will be this afternoon at 2:30 p.m. This event will be held at the Bluestone Technology Park located at 35512 Gov. G. C. Peery Highway (US 460), North Tazewell, VA. Entry fee is \$25.00. **NO REFUNDS**. Registration opens at 1:15 p.m. and closes at 2:15 p.m. sharp. You may register online at bluefield.younglife.org.

LAY SERVANT TRAINING at Virginia Avenue UMC on Saturday, April 16 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Cost is \$25 which includes lunch and snacks. Dr. David Tabor will have session on United Methodist Polity and Dr. Brad Scott will have session on Basic Training Lay Servant Ministries. Registration forms available in church office.

A **STUDY** on the movie **WAR ROOM** will begin on Sunday, April 17 at 6:00 p.m. in Palmer Hall.

2016 FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS sponsored by Southwest Virginia Community College will be on Saturday, April 23 at 7:30 p.m. Theme: *Shakespeare and the Age of Romanticism*. This concert is in memory of Betty T. Corte. Voluntary donations at the door.

SCHOOL KITS FOR LIBERIA (Holston Conference Project) – Flyers with information to prepare kits are placed at each entrance. Please have them at the church by May 22.

Please give **NAMES OF HIGH SCHOOL OR COLLEGE GRADUATES** for 2016 to the church office.

RECORD OF FAITHFULNESS – APRIL 2016

2016 Monthly Budget \$23,417.00
Monthly Tithes & Offerings to Date \$5,815.42
Monthly Unbudgeted Receipts to Date \$105.00
ATTENDANCE:

ATTENDANCE: 8:30 a.m. Worship 20 Sunday School 52 10:30 a.m. Worship 139 We wish to **EXPRESS OUR APPRECIATION** to our church family for their attendance and help with our wedding. We give a special thanks to the women of the Woolwine Class, Janice Busic, Karen Alvis, Hannah Brewster, Peg Scott, and Josh Spencer for their help. May God bless you all. By: John and Betty White.

THANK YOU for your sympathy during the loss of my brother, Arnold. The cards, visits, and prayers are deeply appreciated. By: Curtis Gillespie



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