

REACHING OUT IN CHRIST
PALM SUNDAY

March 29th, 2026

10:00am

PRELUDE

PALM PROCESSION

WELCOME

HYMN “Tell me the Stories of Jesus” #277

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord.

People: Hosanna in the highest!

Leader: Jesus enters Jerusalem with humility and peace.

People: We welcome the King who comes not with power, but with love.

Leader: Let us lift our voices with the crowds of Jerusalem.

People: Hosanna! Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord!

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE Pastor Lee

OFFERTORY

RECEIVING THE OFFERING

(You may also use the QR code to give online.)



DOXOLOGY

#95

A TIME OF PRAYER

(You may also share your prayer concerns through YouTube Live comments.)

Response: “Hear our prayer, O God”

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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

ANTHEM “The Palms” (Faure) Choir

SCRIPTURE READING Pastor Lee
John 18:28-38 (ESV)

SERMON Pastor Lee
“Practicing Resurrection: Two Kinds of Peace”

HYMN #437
“This Is My Song”

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in memory of Norman Cain by June Cain.

CIRCLE OF PRAYER—Rita Harned, George Kranz, Marcia and Ralph Watt, Susan Barkman, Lettie Witt, Pat McDowell, Cathy White and son Wayne Surico, Blane Phillips (Belinda Hill), Alma and Jason Bennett, Gwen Martin (Ed Franks). Byron Peterson & Dr. John Johnson (Keithroy Peterson), Elizabeth Stermel & Brandon Weist (Mary Cullen).

WEEKLY REPORT

Worship Attendance (03/22/2026): 88

Offering (03/22/2026): General \$2521, Pack-a-Sack \$325,

Total \$2846.

Avg. Weekly Expenses: \$6,200 | **Still Needed:** \$3,354

ANNOUNCEMENTS

***FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON**—Join us after worship today for a Baked Potato Bar sponsored by UWF. All are welcome!

***EASTER LILIES**—Order forms are available in the narthex, or call church office. Today is the deadline to place your order.

***LENTEN SCRIPTURE WRITING NOTEBOOKS**—Those who have completed their notebooks are invited to place them on the narthex table today or at the Good Friday service.

***SCRIPTURE WRITING REFLECTION**—Using the hanging tag note in today's bulletin, write one verse that spoke to you and a brief reason why. If you didn't participate in the Scripture writing, you may also write a hope or prayer for this Easter. Please place it in the basket in the narthex this Sunday or next Sunday.

***CRAFT GROUP**—Mondays 12:30pm-3pm.

***TAI CHI CLASS**—Last session, March 31.

***BIBLE STUDY**—Wednesdays 10am.

***PRAYER GATHERING**—No meeting on April 1.

***AFTER-SCHOOL MUSIC**—No class on April 1.

***UMM**—Breakfast meeting in Henderson Hall, April 4, 8am.

EASTER is a wonderful time to invite friends and neighbors to worship with us at FUMC.

***Good Friday Tenebrae Service – April 3, 6pm.**

A service of scripture, candles, and reflection as we remember Jesus' passion.

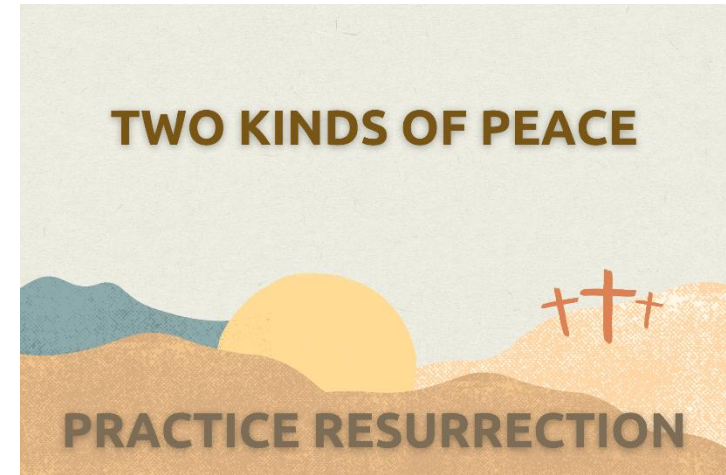
***Easter – April 5, 10am.**

The tomb is empty, and Christ is risen. Hallelujah!

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