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BRINGING THE MESSAGE TODAY

KAREN MILES
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APRIL 29, 2012

PASTOR JONATHAN WATSON

WORSHIP LEADER
SONG LEADER
DIANA STOUT- ORGANIST
MINISTER OF MUSIC
COLOR: WHITE

Our purpose is to glorify God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, by sharing Jesus, as Savior and Lord, and helping people trust Him through **WORSHIP, CHRISTIAN EDUCATION, OUTREACH, FELLOWSHIP, and SERVICE TO OTHERS.** (Our beliefs are based from THE APOSTLES' CREED FOUND IN THE HYMNAL NO. 716)

ORDER OF THE SERVICE

4th Sunday of Easter

April 29, 2012

GATHERING IN JESUS NAME

PRELUDE:

"Consider the Lilies"

Terry Osman

WELCOME VISITORS & GREETINGS

ANNOUNCEMENTS: (See Bulletin Inserts) & Ritual of Registration.

Please sign the attendance register and pass it to other people in the pew with you.

SHARING COMMON CONCERNS

WE PAUSE FOR A MOMENT OF SILENT PRAYER, PREPARING OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIPING GOD. **Use this time to make yourself available to God and His Word.**

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES - Welcoming Jesus, The Light Of The World.

PRAYER/PRAISE REQUESTS - Write on pew card and place in offering plate to be put in the bulletin.

*PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

*THE LORD'S PRAYER (IN UNISON)

OFFERING PRAISE TO GOD

***CALL TO WORSHIP: (Psalm 124, James 5)**

Leader: If it had not been God, who was on our side-

People: The troubles of our world would have swallowed us whole.

Leader: If it had not been God, who was on our side-

People: The sorrows of our times would have swept us away.

Leader: Are any among us suffering?

People: Come and pray.

Leader: Are any among us cheerful?

People: Come sing songs of praise.

Leader: Jesus is on our side!

People: Come and rejoice.

*SONGS OF PRAISE:

**"Because He Lives"*
"Revelation Song"

No. 213 vs 1,3
On Screen

Call to Confession: Heavenly Father, you create us and you rescue us. Be here with us now. Help us know how much we need you. Teach us that no other power can support us like your power. As you share your power with us, teach us to be Christ like to the world, proclaiming your reign for all people. Help us receive your love and offer it to the world, in Jesus' name.

Prayer of Confession: (In Silence) God, who creates and rescues, your power amazes me. Yet even in my amazement, I take too long to turn to you, forgetting that you are the power that makes and saves, and sustains me. In Jesus Christ, you show me that you are on the side of all people, but never at the expense of the weakest among us. Redeem me and transform me, O God. Open my heart, my life, and our ministries, that I may become a doorway to your realm.
Amen.

Words of Assurance: God turns our sorrow into gladness and our times of mourning into celebration. God hears the prayer of faith. Be confident as we pray for one another, for God heals us and forgives us.

Hymns:

"Are You Washed in the Blood?"
"I'll Fly Away"

No. 190, vs 1,2,4
No. 554 vs 1

EXPRESSING THANKS TO GOD

OFFERTORY SENTENCE: (Psalm 23, 1 John 3) The Lord calls us to love one another in truth and action. May our gifts reflect our trust in the Lord's care. May our offerings show our willingness to love one another.

OFFERTORY MUSIC:

"As The Deer"

Choir/Praise Band

*THE DOXOLOGY (No. 625) and PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERING

CHILDREN'S TIME:

Mary Jo Bryan

HEARING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE LESSON:

John 4:21-34

(NIV1984)

MESSAGE:

"Seeking Worship"

Pastor Jonathan Watson

*INVITATION HYMN:

"There's Something About That Name"

No. 102

WE GO FORTH SERVING GOD

*BENEDICTION – (Blessing)

*TAKING THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

*PASSING THE BLESSING

*POSTLUDE:

"Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee"

Ben Logan

*PLEASE STAND WHERE THIS MARK APPEARS, IF ABLE. We have childcare available for Infants up to age 4 during the service. Children 5 and up are encouraged to be in the sanctuary during Worship time. Nursery Attendant- Ms. Jo Proctor

John 4:21-34

²¹ 'Woman,' Jesus replied, 'believe me, a time is coming when you will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. ²² You Samaritans worship what you do not know; we worship what we do know, for salvation is from the Jews. ²³ Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshippers will worship the Father in the Spirit and in truth, for they are the kind of worshippers the Father seeks. ²⁴ God is spirit, and his worshippers must worship in the Spirit and in truth.'

²⁵ The woman said, 'I know that Messiah' (called Christ) 'is coming. When he comes, he will explain everything to us.'

²⁶ Then Jesus declared, 'I, the one speaking to you – I am he.'

²⁷ Just then his disciples returned and were surprised to find him talking with a woman. But no one asked, 'What do you want?' or 'Why are you talking with her?'

²⁸ Then, leaving her water jar, the woman went back to the town and said to the people,

²⁹ 'Come, see a man who told me everything I've ever did. Could this be the Messiah?' ³⁰ They came out of the town and made their way towards him.

³¹ Meanwhile his disciples urged him, 'Rabbi, eat something.'

³² But he said to them, 'I have food to eat that you know nothing about.'

³³ Then his disciples said to each other, 'Could someone have brought him food?'

³⁴ 'My food,' said Jesus, 'is to do the will of him who sent me and to finish his work.'



HAPPY APRIL/MAY BIRTHDAYS TO:

Kathleen Foutch on the 29th; Sam Suddarth on the 30th.

Gail Post, Katie Oaks & Cindy Seeman on the 1st.

Dara Stevens & Jennifer Baxley on the 3rd.

Joyce Allemore & Bethany Hatfield on the 5th.



HAPPY MAY ANNIVERSARY TO:

Mike & Mary Jo Bryan on the 1st;

Dave & Sally Turko & Charles & Rebecca Pfahl on the 3rd.



Week of April 29, 2012

TODAY	9:00am	Worship
	10:15am	Brunch-Pot Luck
	5:00pm	Successful Relationships Workshop Tonight
MONDAY	1:00pm	Quilting Group
	6:00pm	Aerobics
TUESDAY	9:00am	MDO
	6:30pm	Band Practice
	7:00pm	No Choir Practice
WEDNESDAY	6:30pm	Wednesday Night Dinner-Sandwiches
	7:00pm	Worship-Bible Study
THURSDAY	7:30am	Men at Prayer
	9:00am	MDO
	6:00pm	Aerobics
	7:00pm	Choir Practice
FRIDAY	No Friday Activities	
NEXT SUNDAY	9:00am	Worship
	10:15am	Sunday School
	11:15am	Contemporary Worship Service
		Worship Leader: Jennifer Baxley

ATTENDANCE

Last Sunday Attendance:

9:00 am Morning Worship-104 11:15 am Contemporary Worship-14

Sunday School Attendance:

10:15 am-63

Duty Elder

Duty Elder for this week: Karen Miles

Duty Elder for next week: Shelia Geary

Elders Retreat Here at Jenkins Church

On May 5, 2012 from 9:00am to 3:00pm the Elders Retreat will be held here at the Church.

OUTREACH COMMITTEE MEETING:

The Missions Outreach Committee will meet May 20th at 10:15 a.m. in the Unity Sunday School Classroom.



CHURCH CAMP

Church Camp season is almost here! Registration forms and dates are on the youth bulletin board.

Volunteers STILL needed for Christian Education Programs

Thanks to everyone who has offered to help! We still need your help with Sunday School, Vacation Bible School, and our youth. If you are able to assist with any of the following volunteer opportunities, please contact a member of the Christian Education committee -- Debra Eckert, Allan Stout, Sally Turko, or Julie Bomar.

Vacation Bible School Director : Plans, organizes, promotes, and directs VBS. Recruits and manages volunteers.

Middle School Sunday School Teacher: Needed ASAP! Prepare and lead lessons on Sunday mornings; curriculum will be provided. Substitutes are also needed.

Sunday School Crew leaders: On-going volunteer opportunity to lead a "crew" of 4 elementary kids, helping them with activities, discussing questions posed by the teacher, and praying together. Sign-up to help one or more times each quarter on the sheet on the bulletin board next to the library.

Youth group volunteers: Help organize and chaperone outreach projects and fellowship opportunities.

THE UN-TALENT SHOW RETURNS:

It's a *blast from the past* as the Missions Outreach Committee brings back the **Un-Talent Show** as a fund-raising event **September 22nd** along with dinner and a silent auction. Proceeds will fund the **Christmas Outreach Program**. This event will be a great way for **YOU** to have fun while helping us assist families in need. If you're interested in being in one of the performing acts (no special talent required!). See Sonya Haywood for more info. We'll tally who wants to participate and then put willing (**or willing to be convinced...ha**) folks together in groups for some creative fun. Thanks!!