

Milford United Methodist Church

April 16, 2017

Easter Sunday

Gathering with Prelude

Welcome and Introductions

*Greeting (responsive)

*Opening Prayer (unison) "Easter Day" 320

*Hymn "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" 302 (v. 1 - 4)

*The Passing of the Peace *Greet one another like you've seen Christ*

Children's Time

First Lesson Acts 10:34-43

Epistle Lesson Colossians 3:1-4

*Gospel Lesson Matthew 28:1-10

Anthem "Crown Him Lord of All!" Choir

Message "We Are Witnesses"

Announcements and Prayers *(with Response after each item)*

The Lord's Prayer 895

Offering

*Doxology "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" 94

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn "He Lives" 310 (v. 1,2)

*Dismissal with Blessing (responsive)

*Response "He Lives" 310 (v. 3)

*Postlude

*Please stand as you are able.

Pastor Lyle K. Schoen

Organist Pat Grimes

Acolytes Addie Mowinkel & Josie Hansen

Door Greeters East – Brent & Brenda Pedersen

West – Joel Cates

Ushers Aaron Crabtree, Tony & Michelle Singleton, Eric Whitney

HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK

Sunday, April 16

Easter Sunday

6:30 a.m. Sunrise Service in the Sanctuary,
followed by breakfast in the Fellowship Hall

9:15 a.m. Sunday School. Easter Egg Hunt, Nursery – 12 grade

10:30 a.m. Worship

Monday, April 17

6:00 p.m. F.A.S.T. Martial Arts

7:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study in the Theater Room

Tuesday, April 18

10:15 a.m. Text Study at Linden Village

7:00 p.m. Trustees meeting in the YMAC Room

Wednesday, April 19

12:00 p.m. AA Meeting

1:30 p.m. Jessie Bragg Circle

6:00 p.m. AMP'D Youth Group

7:00 p.m. Choir

Thursday, April 20

9:00 a.m. WIC in the YMAC Room

6:30 p.m. Cub Scout Pack 290 Den Meetings

6:30 p.m. Little Leaps of Faith Committee meeting in Harmony
Room

Saturday, April 22

9:00 a.m. UMW Spring Event at DeWitt UMC

Sunday, April 23

Mission Sunday

9:15 a.m. Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Worship with Epworth Village Speaker

11:45 a.m. Potluck Dinner in the Fellowship Hall

UPCOMING HAPPENINGS

April 27 Worship Committee meeting

Evangelism/Outreach/Membership Care meeting

April 30 Youth Sunday

April 9, 2017 Attendance & Giving

Worship Attendance - 97

Sunday School – 55

Offering - \$3151.50

The **Easter Offering** is for the Lincoln Refugee Resettlement Office. This offering was requested by our District Superintendent, Rev. Bill Ritter, and approved by the Administrative Council. The decrease in number of arriving refugees has decreased the federal funding for this office, however needs of some past refugees still exist. See the Happenings Bulletin Board for a letter from our District.

Mission Sunday is April 23

This year our speaker will be talking about Epworth Village. We will be collecting the above items to be given to Epworth Village. If you are able to contribute, please bring your items to the church on Mission Sunday!

In Kind Gift Suggestions for Epworth Village

- Monetary gifts
- Alcohol-free Hand Sanitizer
- Antibacterial soap
- Hand lotion—unscented
- Sunscreen
- Bug Repellant – Pump Spray only
- Reams of white copy paper
- Loose-leaf binder notebook paper
- Paper Napkins
- Rolls of paper towels – toilet paper
- Movie passes to Sun Theatre – York
- Gift Cards to – Walmart – Walgreens
- Bosselman’s or Casey’s gas gift cards
- Men’s hygiene products of shampoo/conditioner & body wash
- Men’s boxers – M-L-XL; tube socks - men sizes
- Infant-Toddler baby wipes and disposable diapers for Foster Care

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