

Traditional Service of Worship

3rd Sunday of Easter

April 23, 202311:00 a.m.

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDEEarth CarolPurvis

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS(Please fill out a connect card located in the pew pocket.)

INTROIT

*HYMNCrown Him with Many CrownsNo. 327

*CALL TO WORSHIPWhen the resurrected Christ appeared to Mary, she told the disciples: I have seen the Lord!When the resurrected Christ appeared to the disciples, they told Thomas: We have seen the Lord!When the resurrected Christ appeared to Thomas, he proclaimed in faith: My Lord and my God!

So let us also proclaim our faith in the risen Christ, who shows his hands in our lives too:

THE APOSTLES’ CREED: I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRINo. 70Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, World without end. Amen. Amen.

*RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIPLet no one be a stranger in the house of God. Please take this opportunity to greet those around you.

*HYMNCare You There? (Verse 1 only)No. 288

SCRIPTUREActs 10:34-43LEADER: The Word of God for the people of God. PEOPLE: Thanks be to God!

CHILDREN’S MESSAGEWe value the gift of generations, so all kids are invited to grab a worship bag (or coloring supplies) and remain in the sanctuary as part of worship. The nursery is open and available for kids four and younger.

ANTHEMCeltic LaudMartinAshley Alston, Soprano

PRAYER AND THE LORD’S PRAYEROur 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.

OFFERTORYHave You Not Known (Isaiah 40: 21-31)ScottChancel Choir

*DOXOLOGYNo. 95Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*HYMN OF ILLUMINATIONNo. 397I Need Thee Every Hour(Verses 1, 2, 5)

SCRIPTUREJohn 20:24-29LEADER: The Word of God for the people of God. PEOPLE: Thanks be to God!

SERMONRev. Emily Knight“Five Word Witness: Look and See My Hands”

*HYMN OF DEDICATIONNo. 718Lo, He Comes with Clouds Descending

*THE BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDEPaynePostlude on “Ellacombe”

Worship Attendance - April 16, 2023

Contemporary Worship- In-person	55
Contemporary Worship- Online	47
Traditional Worship- In-person	113
Traditional Worship- Online	55
Total Worship	270

Serving in Worship Today

Greeters 9 a.m.: Tami & Kevin Crowell
Greeters 11 a.m.: Emily Rehberg, Harriet Thurgood, & Julianne Kirchain
Ushers 11 a.m.: Bryan Davis & Jesse Manalo
Tech Team 9 a.m.: Britt Scott & Fatimah Irwin
Tech Team 11 a.m.: Eden Santa Lucia & Ava Manalo
Liturgist: Andy Scully
Crucifer: Anthony Strong
Acolytes: Jake Manalo & Lilah Manalo

What’s Happening This Week?

TODAY:
Worship: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.
Confirmation Class: 10:00 a.m. (Room 202)
Child/Youth Protection Training: 10:00 a.m. & 12:15 p.m.
Molly Garrett Recital: 2:30 p.m. (Sanctuary)

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Tai Chi: Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.
Yoga: Wednesday at 3:00 p.m. & Friday at 1:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night Ministry: Wednesday at 5:30 p.m.
Chancel Choir Rehearsal: Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar are given in honor of their 54th anniversary by Susan and Fred Russell.

Free Wednesday Meals Served: 165

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Especially if this is your first Sunday or first time in a while,
Welcome
to Riverside Park United Methodist Church!
We are glad that you are here.

CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

3rd Sunday of Easter

April 23, 2023

9:00 a.m.

Gather with Song
Come to the Water - Matt Maher

Welcome! Greet one another in Christ!

This is the Day - Tim Timmons

Scripture: Acts 10:34-43

Child of Love - We the Kingdom

Children's Message

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Announcements

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Prayer

Offer Gifts to God
You're Worthy of My Praise - Lifeway Worship

Proclaim God's Word
John 20:24-29
"Five Word Witness: Look and See My Hands"
Rev. Emily Knight

Benediction and Sending
Flawless - MercyMe



SAFE SANCTUARIES: TODAY
CHILD PROTECTION POLICY TRAINING
10am & noon
in the fellowship hall
All keyholders and Family Ministry volunteers are required to attend.



Hymn Sing
at First UMC
Sat., April 29th at 2pm
Our Chancel Choir will be participating.

5th Sunday Special Offering:
April 30th

Florida United Methodist
Children's Home



RPUMC Church Tour: April 30
@ 10am in front of the sanctuary
New Member Classes: May 7, 21, & 28
@ 10am in the parlor



Pam Pearsall's Famous
CHICKEN SALAD

MAY 7TH

Sandwich plates for lunch after worship and chicken salad by the pound will be sold.



Fundraiser for the DR Mission Team

Offerings can be placed in the sanctuary offering plates, mailed to the church (819 Park St. Jacksonville, FL 32204) or given online using "MyWell" (code to the right):
www.mywell.org/give/rpumc



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