

Traditional Service of Worship

Sunday after Easter

April 27, 2025

11:00 a.m.

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE

Hebble

Holy God, We Praise Your Name

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please fill out a Connect Card located in the pew pocket or scan the QR code on the bottom right side of this bulletin.

INTROIT

\*HYMN

No. 310

He Lives

\*CALL TO WORSHIP (Please respond by reading the bold text aloud.)

Lord, heal us: From grief and doubt to hope and wholeness

Breathe in us, Breath of Life.

Lord, move us: From wounds and fear to freedom and healing

Breathe in us, Breath of Life.

Lord, send us: From silence and stillness to the faithful witness of new life in Christ

Breathe in us, Breath of Life.

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (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 PATRI

No. 70

Glory 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 FRIENDSHIP

Let no one be a stranger in the house of God.

Please take this opportunity to greet those around you.

\*HYMN

No. 420

Breathe on Me, Breath of God (verse 1)

SCRIPTURE

Genesis 2:4-7

LEADER: The Word of God for the people of God.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God!

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

We 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.

ANTHEM

Courtney

Be Not Afraid

Ashley Alston

PASTORAL PRAYER AND 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.

OFFERTORY

Christopher

As the Deer

Chancel Choir and Katherine Crumrine, Flute

\*DOXOLOGY

No. 95

Praise 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 ILLUMINATION

No. 307

Christ Is Risen

SCRIPTURE

John 20:19-23

LEADER: The Word of God for the people of God.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Vance Meyer, RPUMC Member

“Plugging in to Thomas”

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION

No. 303

The Day of Resurrection

\*THE BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Smith

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

\*Congregation, please stand.

Worship Attendance - April 20, 2025

Contemporary Worship - In-person	131
Contemporary Worship- Online	7
Traditional Worship - In-person	288
Traditional Worship - Online	5
Total Worship	431

Serving in Worship Today

9 a.m. Contemporary Service

Greeters: Rick Bible, Tami & Kevin Crowell

Tech Team: Caroline Jennings

Liturgist: Bill Graessle

11 a.m. Traditional Service

Greeters: Emily Rehberg, Harriet Thurgood

Tech Team: Ava Manalo, Tessa McCorkle

Ushers: Shirley Davis, Jake Manalo, Jesse Manalo

Liturgist: Karen Bailey

Crucifer: Wyatt Snipes

Acolytes: Lilah Manalo, Kara Manning

What’s Happening This Week?

TODAY:

Worship: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Kids Choir: 10:00 a.m. (Room 403)

Kids Club: 10:30 a.m. (Room 404)

Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. (Rooms 202 & 204)

Youth Group: 10 a.m. (Room 302)

Chancel Ringers: 5:00 p.m. (Room 201)

OTHER ACTIVITIES:

Tai Chi: Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. & Thursday at 7:00 p.m. (Fellowship Hall)

Karate: Tues. & Thurs. at 5:30 p.m., Sat. at 3:00 p.m. (304)

Family Roots Market: Wed. 1-5 p.m. (Large Parking Lot)

Wednesday Night Ministry: Wed. at 5:30 p.m. (McCord Building)

Chancel Choir: Wednesday at 7:15 p.m. (Room 501)

First Friday Friends: Friday at 11:00 a.m. (Fellowship Hall)

Meals Served Last Week: 128

Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God.

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## CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

### Sunday after Easter

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9:00 a.m.

#### Gather with Song

*O Come To The Altar* - Hillsong United

#### Welcome! Greet one another in Christ!

*Lion And The Lamb* - Big Daddy Weave

#### Scripture

Genesis 2:4-7

*Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)* - Chris Tomlin

#### Children's Message

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#### Announcements

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#### Prayer & Lord's Prayer

#### Offer Gifts to God

*How Great Thou Art* - Stuart K. Hine

#### Proclaim God's Word

John 20:19-23

"Plugging in to Thomas"

Vance Meyer, RPUMC member

#### Benediction and Sending

*I'll Fly Away* - Albert E Brumley



## Family Roots Market

April 30th 1-5 p.m.

- Artists/Makers
- Food Vendors
- Agriculture
- Fun for all ages

MORE INFO



## First Friday Friends - May 2nd Senior Adults Ministry

11:00 - come to share coffee and chat  
with your new and old friends  
followed by a speaker and lunch at noon.

## Mental Wellness & Connection Lunch Friday, May 9 at Noon

Bring your lunch and hold space for  
mental health and wholeness.



## WOMEN IN MISSION

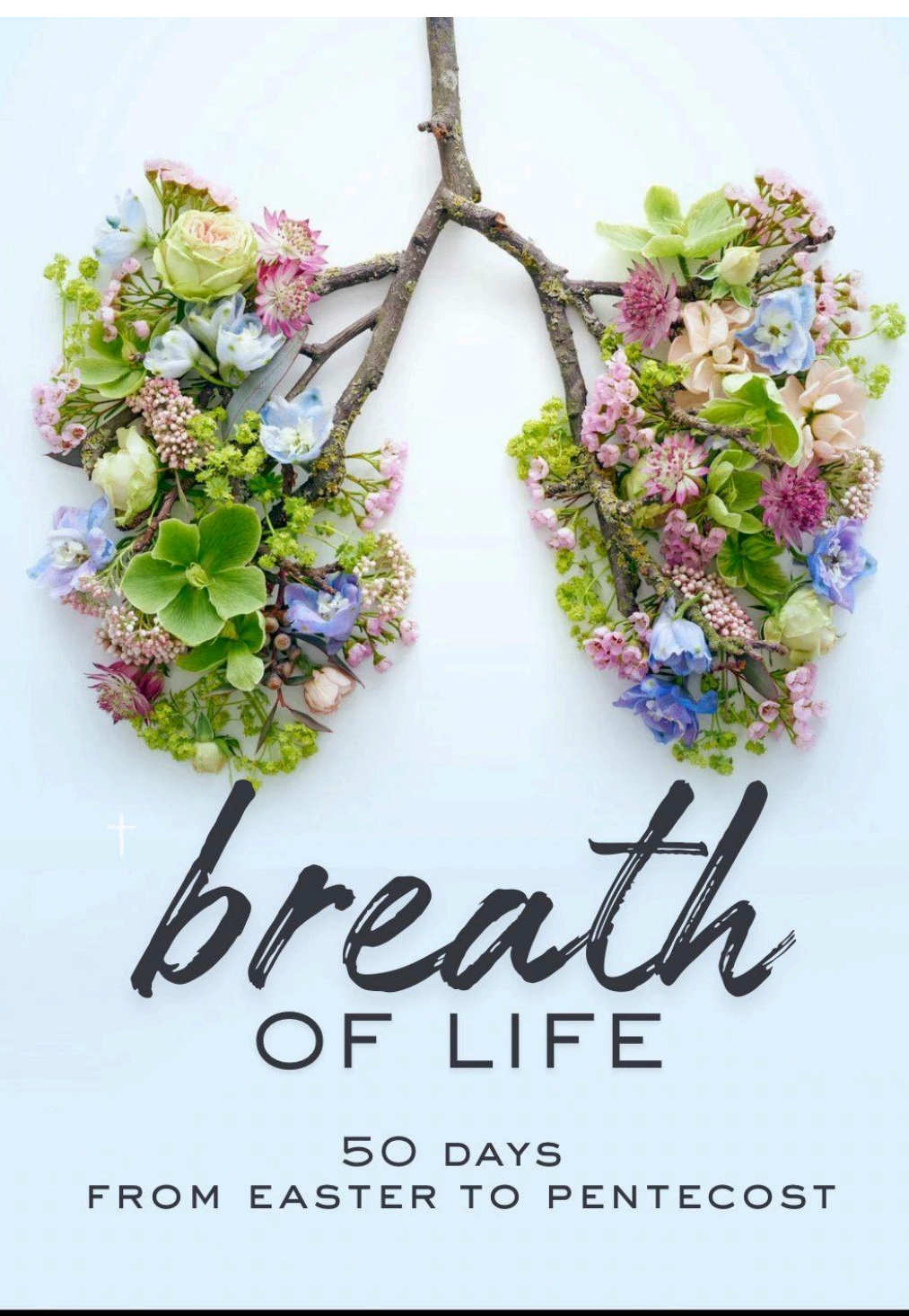
Tues., May 13  
Sisters of Service  
7 p.m.  
Parlor

Wed., May 21  
Circle of Joy &  
Peace  
11 a.m.  
Fellowship Hall

Thurs., May 8  
Circle of Hope  
11 a.m.  
Riverside Park  
Apartments

## United Methodist Men Sat., May 17th 9:00 a.m. In the Parlor

Offerings can be placed in the  
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](http://www.mywell.org/give/rpumc)



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