

Serving Church and Community

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Ushers: Dan Davis and Keith Caldwell

	<u>This Week (04/21/19)</u>	<u>Next Week (04/28/19)</u>
Children's Church:	Lower level of church	Lower level of church
Fellowship:	Easter Sunday	
Gathering Music:	Jerry VanderWal	Kathy Makowski
Greeters:	Deb Mercer	Helene Caldwell
Liturgist:	Sue Harrison	Kathy Ries
Nursery :	Robin Kribbet	Sally Johnson

Promotion Sunday - May 12 - Graduation: Our congregation would like to recognize and celebrate graduation milestones. Please call or email the church office with names of first graders, high school or college graduates to be sure that we don't miss anyone.

Also, if you are graduating from high school or college, please give us information about what activities you have been involved in, any honors you have received, and what you are planning to do next year so that we can share it with our church family. Thank you!

Send information to: Office@cedarspringsumc.org or Nancy Noreen (nanoreen@aol.com or 696-5186)

**We wear friendship badges as a sign of hospitality.
Sign-up is located at the table outside of the Sanctuary.**

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Office Hours: Monday – Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Welcome to Cedar Springs United Methodist Church April 21, 2019 at 10:15 a.m. Easter Sunday



GATHERING MUSIC AND GREETING

*SONG "Christ The Lord is Risen Today", (verses 1-4) UMH 302

*RESURRECTION LITANY On Screen

SONG "Jesus Loves the Little Children" On Screen
All children are invited to come forward at this time.

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM Sophia Grace Covell

RESPONSE "You Are Mine" TFWS 2218
Children, age 4 through grade 3 are now invited to attend Children's Church.

SCRIPTURE Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24 NIV 956

MINISTRY OF MUSIC "I Believe" CSUMC Choir

SONG "Spirit of the Living God" UMH 393

SCRIPTURE John 20:1-18 NIV 1686

MESSAGE "We Too Are Witnesses" Rev. Bill Johnson

OUR LIFE TOGETHER AND MISSION MOMENTS

THE OFFERING... *DOXOLOGY... *PRAYER

(Ushers will also assist us with a "Noisy Offering" following the regular offering, for our final Water for Life Mission giving. Let's make some noise!)

*SONG "Christ is Alive" UMH 318

*BENEDICTION

Let the celebration continue as we greet one another!



T Loop is available

*Please stand as you are able.

UMH = United Methodist Hymnal TFWS = The Faith We Sing

Child care is available during worship for infants to three years old.

THIS WEEK AT CEDAR SPRINGS UMC

Special Offering for April 2019 (in conjunction with Cedar Springs Ministerial Association) "Hand2hand" – eliminating local childhood hunger.

Donations of soup are needed.

SUNDAY (04/21) Easter Sunday

Sacrament of Baptism

Lenten Offering: Water for Life

Service for Early Risers – 8:30 a.m.

Easter Breakfast (UMM)–9:00 to 9:45am

Worship w/Children's Church –10:15 a.m.

MONDAY (04/22)

Counseling – 1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

TUESDAY (04/23)

Women's Bible Study – 10:00 a.m.

Love & Stitches – 1:00 p.m.

Youth Hand Chimes – 2:35 p.m.

Kids' Choir – 3:45 p.m.

Confirmation Class 4:30 p.m.

Church Council Meeting – 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY (04/24)

Table Talk @ Cedar Café – 10:00 a.m.

Moms' Group – 10:00 a.m.

Christian Ed Classes – 6:20 p.m.

Adult Choir – 6:45 p.m.

THURSDAY (04/25)

Counseling – 1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Scouts – 6:00 p.m.

SUNDAY (04/28)

Offering:

Service for Early Risers – 8:30 a.m.

Easter Breakfast (UMM)–9:00 to 9:45am

Worship w/Children's Church –10:15 a.m.

The UMW Rummage Sale is right around the corner. Sign-up sheets for help are outside the Sanctuary. YOUR HELP IS NEEDED TO MAKE THIS SALE SUCCESSFUL: IT IS THE ONLY FUNDRAISER THE UMW HOLDS EACH YEAR. We invite all men & women to sign up to help.

YOUR HELP is needed to bring the donations down from the porch on Sunday, April 28 following Worship. YOUR HELP is needed to set up on Mon, Tues and Wed. YOUR HELP is needed to work the sale on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. YOUR HELP is needed to clean up and deliver the leftover donations on Saturday: clothes/linens/shoes to Lean On Me, books, dvd's, cd's to the Sand Lake Library, anything else to Goodwill. Thank you Dan & Carolyn for taking the rags and the broken-down boxes to North Kent Connect. Thank you all, Your Rummage Sale Co-Chairs. MariAnne Jones, Nancy Kidder & Teresa Tibbe

Habitat for Humanity Hiawatha: Interested in participating in the July 7-13 mission trip to the UP? Please contact Tom Noreen by May 20. Everyone attending must be 16 years of age by July 7 and finish an online series of training prior to our departure. Please call 696-5186 or email me at tomnoreen@aol.com as soon as possible and I will get you the application and other materials needed to complete the training.

Habitat for Humanity Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser-Sunday, May 19:

Downstairs after worship at 11:30 a.m. All proceeds will go to the Habitat trip in July. Please see Tom Noreen if you would like to volunteer to help with the meal or for more information.

CEDAR SPRINGS UMC IN PRAYER

Names will remain on the prayer list for 1 month unless notified. Thank you.

Members	Friends	
Mark Tabor	Melissa Dundon Cushman	Mary Gagne
Wayne & June Price	Marlene Nemecek	Tracey Alt
Darcey Raymond	Mary Smith	Tim Price
Tonnie Smith & family	Josh Redman	Randy Benedict
Bob Ries	Linda Cox & family	Mel Zimmerman
George & Ruth DeYoung	Kevin Marcus	Chloe Mason
Albert & Frances Abel	Kathy Gordon & family	Dale Waller
Stacey Grooters	Dale & Debbie Ostema	Ed Johnson
Jerry & Lois Collis	Alicia Hagan	
Fred & Carollee Gunnell	Ezra (no last name given)	
	Ron Roberts	

Members and Friends in Care Facilities:

Metron of Cedar Springs: Rose Hunter, Lois Larson,

Missionaries: Robert & Shirley Amundsen, Thousandsticks, KY

Kids Hope USA: Mentors, Prayer Partners, and Students

In Our Country's Service:

Jordan Ackerman

Mitchell Phillips

Nick Segard

Jenny Jo Collin

James & Jackie Finley-Champion

Russell & Janet (Noreen) Scott, Evelyn & Noah

Ben & Sarah (Noreen) Smith, Kate

Elisabeth Bullen

Waylon Carlson

Tyler Hinton

Aaron Burnside

Peter & Mikelle Noreen

Altar Flower Easter Bouquet is given by Alan and Sarah Chase in honor of their mother, Dawn Hall.

