

**Order of Worship**  
**April 28, 2024**  
**Fifth Sunday of Easter**  
**Everyone Welcome!**

Welcome and Announcements                      Liturgist, Tye Walker

Call to Worship – “Sweet, Sweet Spirit”                      UM Hymnal # 334  
There’s a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place, and I know that it’s the Spirit of the Lord. There are sweet expressions on each face, and I know they feel the presence of the Lord. Sweet Holy Spirit, sweet heavenly Dove, stay right here with us, filling us with your love. And for these blessings, we lift our hearts in praise; without a doubt we’ll know that we have been revived when we shall leave this place.

Personal Sharing    Tye Walker

\*Passing the Peace

\*Hymn of Praise    Don Johnson

Concerns and Praises

Prayer and Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, which 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, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

Offering  
\*Doxology    UM Hymnal # 95

Hymn of Preparation                                      Don Johnson

\*Scripture    John 15:1-5  
Sermon    Joe Beavon

\*Hymn of Dedication                                      Don Johnson

**OUR ALTAR IS ALWAYS OPEN!**

\*Benediction and Shalom Circle

***Upcoming Events***

***Tuesday, May 7: 5:00pm Practice “Joyful Noise”***

***Saturday, May 18: 10:00am-12:00pm Baby Shower at Fairfield Glade in Crossville hosted by United Women in Faith.***

**Items Needed for the Baby Shower will be due on May 12**

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| 1. Diapers (Sizes 3-7                           | 2. Pull-Ups          |
| 2. Baby Tylenol                                 | 4. Teething Drops    |
| 5. Gas Drops                                    | 6. Diaper Rash Cream |
| 7. New clothing sizes 9 month - 2T (any season) |                      |



**Last week’s plate offering:                      \$ 821.00**

**Weekly amount needed to be on budget:    \$1,500.00**

**Attendance Last Sunday: 39**

**Online Views of Streaming Video: 132**

## *Prayers & Concerns*

Katherine Johnson - ongoing care

Tyler Stafford - transplant issues

Maria Rakaska – health concerns

Steve Chapman – health concerns

Judy Denny – health concerns

David Bryant – cancer

Shirley Tayse – health concerns

Harold & Betty Martin – ongoing health issues

Steve Neer – prayers!

Dakota Bean – Continued prayers

Tom Venable – Prayers for Julie King

Dona Watson – Prayers for Jeanette Hood

Tim Huffines – Prayers for Jaymon, his grandson

Janet Meadows – Continued prayers for Louise and for her.

Tim Huffines – Prayers for Deanna Hughes

Patsy Hawkins – ongoing health concerns

Bonnie Flatt – Prayers Stage 3 Liver Cancer

Patrick Heinrich – Prayers for Anna Glover Hudson’s daughter, she has been diagnosed with diabetes.

Ron Rakaska – Prayer for Jerry Hawkins, he is losing his eyesight.

Sandy Heinrich – Prayers for the Senior Class as they celebrate skip day.

Joe Beavon – Please be in prayer for General Conference, it will start on Tuesday, April 23.

### *PRAISES*

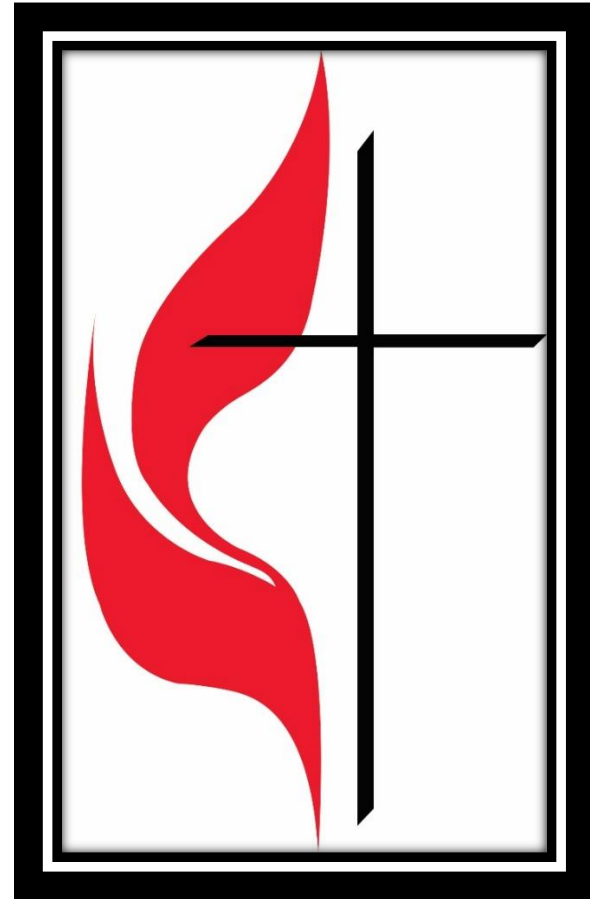
Ron Rakaska – Maria is home, please continue prayers!

Stella Cain – Her daughter in law Debbie had a scan and she does not have cancer anywhere else in the body.

Joe Beavon – We are so glad to have Tom Venable with us today!

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