

Welcome to Solon United Methodist Church!

To live as a congregation in which the love of God abides

Prelude

Welcome

*Call to Worship

Leader: This is the call! Shake off the dust that has been gathering underfoot.

People: We lift up our heads to meet the day.

Leader: Raise your hands in grateful praise.

People: We fortify our hearts with compassion and action.

Leader: If rain still lingers, open the umbrellas of determination and set out anyway.

People: For we are called to dance again!

***Gathering Song** *Thine Be the Glory* UMH 308

The Children Gather Dee Swartzendruber

Special Music *A Jubilant Song* SUMC Chancel Choir

*Passing of the Peace

Mission Moment *Heifer International* Dan Boggs

Time of Prayer

Gathering of Joys and Concerns

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Song of Prayer *Now The Green Blade Riseth* UMH 311 v. 1-3

Scripture Reading *John 20:19-31 & 1 John 1:1-4* Pew Bible p. 114 & 238, NT

Message *With Great Power: Dancing Together* Rev. Peggy Garrigues

Offering *Teach Me to Dance* Angie Grecian-Bransky

***Song of Praise** *Easter Alleluia* W & S 3088

Sacrament of Communion UMH pg. 15-16

Sharing of the Bread and Cup *A Place at the Table* W & S 3149

Song Book Legend: UMH—United Methodist Hymnal W & S—Worship & Song TFWS—The Faith We Sing

Prayer of Thanks

Announcements for Living Out Our Mission

***Closing Song** *The Summons* TFWS 2130 v. 1, 4, 5

*Benediction

Postlude

**Please stand if you are able*

Prayer Requests

If you would like your prayer request shared with the congregation in next week's bulletin, please fill out the prayer card, or send a note to the church office. If you do not want it shared with the congregation or listed in the bulletin, simply check the box.

Prayers for

Jeanne and Wilbur Erhart's son, Wyatt is recovering well after a second hospital stay.

Verlee's niece Ally, had surgery on 3/25.

LeeAnn Gilroy's sister, who has young children, has cancer, and is restarting chemotherapy.

Melody Morris's sister-in-law, Diana, has been struggling with cancer. She is not in hospice care, looking forward to seeing her grandchild who was just born.

Roma Pearl asks for prayers for her son, Jim, who was recently diagnosed with cancer.

Joys & Celebrations

Shirley Anderson is recovering well from her knee surgery, and is worshipped with us on Easter. She is grateful for the supportive community here.

Dolfi and Barb Kalm celebrated their 62nd wedding anniversary on Easter Day.

Tawnia Kakacek shared joy that she is now officially retired.

Darcy Miller shared appreciation for those who helped lead and prepare the Maundy Thursday service.

Dee Swartzendruber expressed joy at a successful Easter Egg hunt, with 40 children participating, and for those who donated candy, and filled eggs, and for the youth who hid all the eggs.

SUMC Calendar of Events

Sunday, April 7 -Communion Sunday/Camp Sunday

Message: *With Great Power: Dancing Together*
by Rev. Peggy Garrigues
Worship, 9:00 AM—Sanctuary
Sunday School, 9:00AM—LL
Adult Sunday School, 10:15AM , FLC LL

Monday, April 8

Food Pantry, LL (2:00PM)
Adult Bible Study, 5:30 PM, FH

Tuesday, April 9

UWF Workday, 8:30-11:30 AM, Wesley Room
Solon Care Center Worship, 9:30 AM
Finance Meeting, 6:30 PM

Wednesday, April 10

Coffee Connection, FH, 9:00 AM
Senior Dining, FH, 11:30 AM
Family Meal, FH, 5:30 PM
Chancel Choir, 6:15-7:15 PM, S
Youth Group, 6:30-7:15 PM, FLC
Bell Choir, 7:30-8:30 PM, S

Thursday, April 11

AA Meeting, LL, 7PM

Friday, April 12

Senior Dining, FH, 11:30 AM

Saturday, April 13

UM Men's Group, FH, 6AM

Bulletin Announcements

(* Indicates New or Updated Items)

Please come to the Fellowship Hall after the service for refreshments and conversation!

UWF will be hosting a Missions Workday to make heart pillows for cancer patients at UIHC and Gilda's Club Quad Cities. Treats and coffee will be provided. . If you are unable to participate but would like to help, we need monetary donations to purchase Poly-fil and material. Use the Missions envelopes in the pew and write UWF on it. Please join us in the FLC, Wesley Room on Tuesday, April 9, 8:30-11:30. All are welcome!

Interested in helping with outreach here at SUMC? Be sure to mark your calendars for our Workshop on Outreach: to the Outsiders, Outcast, and Outlaws on Sunday April 28th from 10:30 AM to Noon in Fellowship Hall.

Worship Volunteers

Sunday April 7th

Lay Reader: Jill Mack
Greeter/Usher (s): Nadine Sojka
Acolyte (s): Marla Dyer
Fellowship:
AV Volunteers:
Sunday School Volunteers: Dee Swartzendruber

Pastor Peggy will be working in Solon on Mondays through Thursdays. Since she will sometimes be making visits, be at meetings, or may start at different times depending on when she has an evening meeting, please call, text, or email ahead to make a specific appointment to see her.

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