# Welcome to Solon United Methodist Church!

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

## Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

## **Passing of the Peace**

Opening Music	The God of Abraham Praise		SUMC Bell Choir
Song	Easter People Raise Your Voices		UMH 304
Children's Message (9:30)			
Responsive Reading (8:00)		Psalm 16	Pew Bible p. 495
Reading from the New Testament		Acts 2:14a, 22-32	Pew Bible p. 119 NT
Special Music	Crown Him with Many Crowns		SUMC Bell Choir
Song	Christ Has Risen		TFWS 2115 v. 1,2 & 4
Life in the Spirit & The Lord's Prayer			
Scripture Reading	John 20:19-31		Pew Bible p. 115 NT
Message	Thomas Days		Ken Ferguson
Offering			
*Doxology	Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow		UMH 94
*Song	Up from the Grave He Arose		UMH 322
*Sending Forth			
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**

Charles Whetstine, who recently diagnosed with cancer. Rocco and Janelle following the loss of their daughter. Melody Morris, who has surgery on her should this past week. Sarah and her family as she battles cancer.

### Joys + Thanksgiving

The beauty of the Quilter's Window! Thank you to all who volunteered and donated to help make the Easter breakfast a success!

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#### **SUMC Calendar of Events**

#### Sunday, April 16

Message: Thomas Days by Ken Ferguson Worship, 8:00 & 9:30–Sanctuary Sunday School, 9:30, LL **Monday April 17** Food Pantry, LL (2:00PM)

Tuesday, April 18 Church Council Meeting, 6:30 PM, FH

Wednesday, April 19 Coffee Connection, FH, 9:00 AM

#### OGD 11:30 AM, FH

Family Meal, 5:30 PM Chancel Choir Practice, S, 6:15—7:15 PM Bell Choir Practice, S, 7:30—8:30 PM Thursday, April 20 AA Meeting, LL 7PM

Friday, April 21 OGD 11:30 AM, FH

Saturday, April 22

UM Men's Group, FH, 6AM

#### Sunday, April 23

Message: On the Road Again by Ken Ferguson Worship, 8:00 & 9:30–Sanctuary Sunday School, 9:30, LL Monday April 24 Food Pantry, LL (2:00PM) Wednesday, April 26 Coffee Connection, FH, 9:00 AM OGD 11:30 AM, FH Last Family Meal, 5:30 PM –COOKOUT! Chancel Choir Practice, S, 6:15–7:15 PM

Bell Choir Practice, S, 7:30–8:30 PM Thursday, April 27 AA Meeting, LL 7PM

Friday, April 28

OGD 11:30 AM, FH

Saturday, April 29 UM Men's Group, FH, 6AM

#### **Bulletin Announcements**

(\* Indicates New or Updated Items)

Ryan Christenson with the Iowa Conference will be explaining the CAT results in more detail on Sunday, May 7 during both worship services. He'll also be available after each service to answer your individual questions. We hope you can be there!

SUMC is collecting items to create personal dignity kits for victims of the Turkey/Syria Earthquake. A list of needs is located on the table in the narthex (biggest need is shampoo). There is a tub set up for donations. We will collect through April 30th!

The last Family Meal of this school year will be held on Wednesday April 26th at 5:30PM. We plan on cooking out! This annual event is fun for all, invite a friend or two and come enjoy some great fellowship!

If you have a Senior graduating this year, please email the church office at soloniaumc@gmail.com with their information so we can prepare to recognize them on Graduation Sunday, May 21st at the 9:30AM service.

# SUMC Staff

Ken Ferguson, Lead Minister 712-790-9738 Angie Grecian-Bransky, Music Director Lindy Hopp, Office Administrator Mary Kucera, Director of Hand Bells Ivan Hasselbusch, Treasurer Ruben Galvan, Custodian Lisa Hilton, Security



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April 16, 2023 8:00 & 9:30 AM