

Activity Schedule—PLEASE SEE MORE DETAILS IN THE NEWSLETTER

Today 9:30am Worship Service—Happy Easter!
Coffee Fellowship

4/15 9am AD Council Meeting

Benediction:

Go now in the courage and blessing of the Risen Christ to live as bearers of the astounding good news to bring hope and peace in a world that so desperately needs Resurrection. Amen.

In April we are supporting Love Thy Neighbor. We collected \$113.00 for them so far, more information can be found on the Missions Board in the Narthex.



5th Easter	23rd Allison Walter
5th Grace Bloxsom	25th Jason Lake
5th Audra Goss	29th Kathy Chamberlain-Lake
20th Doris Norton	
22nd Jason and Kathy Lake's Anniv!	



Welcome!
Williamsburg United Methodist Church
April 19, 2026



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Thank you to:
Liturgist: *Donn Hubbell*
Pianist: *Sally Eichberger*

Coffee Fellowship: *Jean Ridge*
Usher: *Rich Hargreaves*
Attendance for April 12, 2026: 16

Welcome to Williamsburg United Methodist Church

Welcome & Announcements!

Prelude: Sally Eichberger

***Opening Hymn:** "Just as I Am, Without One Plea" Red Hymnal #357

***Call to Worship:** Donn Hubbell
 Easter people, we gather today as people who spent the week inundated with news reports, social media posts, and reels that inundated us with information, worry, and stress.
Like the disciples on the road to Emmaus, we carry the weight of being overwhelmed and anxious, wondering who we can believe.
 We gather as people who long for peace, for God to break through and bring us clarity and hope once again.
Like the disciples on the road to Emmaus, we don't always recognize when the Risen One comes alongside us, showing us the way where there seems to be no way.
 We gather as people hoping to catch a glimmer of Resurrection, ready for our hearts to burn with the truth of the resurrected Christ.
Like the disciples on the road to Emmaus, we open our hearts to the possibility that God's Resurrection life is closer than we think.
 Easter people, God knows the burdens we carry, and God is faithful to meet us where we are with good news.
May the good news of the Resurrection astound us today as we come to worship God! Amen.

***Opening Prayer:** Donn Hubbell

*** Hymn:** "Christ Is Alive" Red Hymnal #318

Scripture Lesson: Isaiah 51:1-6; Psalm 34:1-10 Donn Hubbell

Church Moment: "Eastertide" Pastor Matt Chapman

Confession and Assurance of Pardon Media Screen

***Hymn:** "The Servant Song" TFWS #2222

Prayer of Illumination Pastor Matt Chapman

Scripture Reading: 1 Peter 1:17-23

Gospel Reading: Luke 24:13-35

Sermon: "Easter on the Road" Pastor Matt Chapman

***Response Hymn:** "Through It All" Red Hymnal #507

Prayers of the People
 Pastoral Prayer
 The Lord's Prayer
 Hear Our Prayer
 Media Screen
 Media Screen

***Closing Hymn:** "Bind Us Together" TFWS #2226

***Benediction:** *back of bulletin*

***Response Hymn:** "Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus" Red Hymnal #349

Postlude: Sally Eichberger

**please stand*

<u>Prayer Requests:</u>	Pastor Matt's Cousin Brooke
1st Responders	David VanLente (Jerrri's brother-in-law)
Frank Pietrykowski (Jaclyn's father)	Sherry (lung cancer)
Christina Woods her family	Ron Ridge's niece Toni (breast cancer)
Joan Kisling (cornea transplant)	Jean Ridge's niece Sophie (lymphoma)
Dieter Amos (heart surgery)	Tim Ridge
James Underwood	Heim Chapman
Don Eichberger	Jo Purdy-Kieft
Ashlynn Fobes (car accident)	Julian (Jerrri's grandson)
Chuck & Carol Walter	Pam (Rich's ex-wife)
Darlene Renzema (shoulder surgery)	Joyce Burrows
The Family of Milt Sutter	Jackie Axtell
The Family of Dick Ayling	Wanda Provins
Abby's Grandmother	Ken and Carol Gallo
Connie Oberlitner	Heather Hockin (MS)
Pastor Matt's Aunt Nancy	ACTS Ministry & Food Pantry