

Happening @ Hanover

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Worship Today, May 2, 2021 The Fifth Sunday of Easter

Prelude: *March* By Udden

Announcements

Hymn #369 *Blessed Assurance*

*Call to Worship:

L. The day of the Lord comes like a thief in the night.

P. We will not be caught unaware.

L. Forsake the ways of darkness.

P. We will live as children of the light.

L. Put on the breastplate of faith, and the helmet of salvation.

P. We will prepare ourselves for the struggles that lie ahead.

L. Encourage one another and build each other up.

P. We will work for the kingdom and live as children of light.

ALL. Come let us worship the source of love and light.

First Scripture Lesson: Psalm 22:25-31

²⁵ From you comes the theme of my praise in the great assembly, before those who fear you I will fulfill my vows. ²⁶ The poor will eat and be satisfied; those who seek the LORD will praise him— may your hearts live forever! ²⁷ All the ends of the earth will remember and turn to the LORD, and all the families of the nations will bow down before him, ²⁸ for dominion belongs to the LORD and he rules over the nations. ²⁹ All the rich of the earth will feast and worship; all who go down to the dust will kneel before him—those who cannot keep themselves alive. ³⁰ Posterity will serve him, future generations will be told about the Lord. ³¹ They will proclaim his righteousness, declaring to a people yet unborn He has done it!

L: The word of God for the people of God

P: Thanks be to God!

Hymn # 472 *Near to the Heart of God*

Call to Offering:

Giver of gifts, you bestow us with talents that are far more precious than jewels. Open our eyes to

the possibilities you hold for our world.

Transform the gifts we offer this day into light and love for the world. Transform our talents into blessings for a world in need. AMEN.

Offertory: *Jesus, Lead Thou On* by Paul Manz

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Second Scripture Lesson: John 4:7-21

⁷ When a Samaritan woman came to draw water, Jesus said to her, "Will you give me a drink?" ⁸ (His disciples had gone into the town to buy food.) ⁹ The Samaritan woman said to him, "You are a Jew and I am a Samaritan woman. How can you ask me for a drink?" (For Jews do not associate with Samaritans.) ¹⁰ Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God and who it is that asks you for a drink, you would have asked him and he would have given you living water." ¹¹ "Sir," the woman said, "you have nothing to draw with and the well is deep. Where can you get this living water?" ¹² Are you greater than our father Jacob, who gave us the well and drank from it himself, as did also his sons and his livestock?" ¹³ Jesus answered, "Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again, ¹⁴ but whoever drinks the water I give them will never thirst. Indeed, the water I give them will become in them a spring of water welling up to eternal life." ¹⁵ The woman said to him, "Sir, give me this water so that I won't get thirsty and have to keep coming here to draw water." ¹⁶ He told her, "Go, call your husband and come back." ¹⁷ "I have no husband," she replied. Jesus said to her, "You are right when you say you have no husband. ¹⁸ The fact is, you have had five husbands, and the man you now have is not your husband. What you have just said is quite true." ¹⁹ "Sir," the woman said, "I can see that you are a prophet. ²⁰ Our ancestors worshiped on this mountain, but you Jews claim that the place where we must worship is in Jerusalem." ²¹ "Woman," Jesus replied, "believe me, a time is coming when you will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem.

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P: Thanks be to God!

Sermon:

HOLY COMMUNION

Benediction

P-Clothed in faith and showered in love,

P. we go forth shining with God's light.

L. Washed in joy and bathed in hope,

P. we go forth, radiant with Christ's love.

L. Blessed with gifts far more precious than jewels,

ALL. we go forth, blazing with the fire of God's Spirit.

Hymn: #140 *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

Postlude: *Fugue in E Minor* J. S Bach

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Organist: David Hottel (8:00 am)

Pianist: Yvonne Davis (10:30 am)

Praise Team: Jacob DeAtley, Dean Crafton and Jeff Croxton (10:30 am)



Plant Give Away Friday, May 7th

This is a drive through event.

Plants will be given away in the church parking lot from 12:00-6:00 pm.

HAPPENING IN MAY

Sun	2	8:00 & 10:30 am	Worship
		8:00 Live on Facebook	
		9:30 Devotions and Fellowship	
Mon	3	9 am	Care Team-virtual
Tues	4	7pm	Worship Mtg
Sun	9	8:00 & 10:30 am	Worship
		8:00 Live on Facebook	
		9:30 Devotions and Fellowship	
Mon	10	9am	Care Team-virtual
		11am	Food Truck/Armory
Thu	13	10am	Food Truck
		7pm	SPRC
Fri	14	9-11am	Food Pantry
Sun	16	8:00 & 10:30 am	Worship
		8:00 Live on Facebook	
		9:30 Devotions and Fellowship	
Mon	17	9am	Care Team-virtual
Tue	18	6:30	Evangelism/Virt.
Thu	20	6pm	Finance
		7pm	Ad council
Sun	23	8:00 & 10:30 am	Worship
		8:00 Live on Facebook	
		9:30 Devotions and Fellowship	
Mon	24	9am	Care Team-virtual
Thu		10am	Food Truck
Fri		9-11am	Food Pantry
Sun	30	8:00 & 10:30 am	Worship
		8:00 Live on Facebook	
		9:30 Devotions and Fellowship	
Mon	31	Happy Memorial Day	Church Office Closed

Seeking Out Graduates

The Worship Committee is preparing for its annual recognition of students who are graduating from either high school or college with ties to the church. If you know of someone who should be recognized, please provide their name to the church office, including school from which they are graduating and future plans, if known. Details regarding the Sunday in which our graduates will be celebrated will be provided later.