

Prayers

Wilma Breiland, Sandra Chupkai,
Tristan, John Pollard,
Renita Stellmon (mother of Dawn Stellmon),
and Ken Rohr (friend of the Kress's).

Worship Leaders

Preacher/Presider: Rev. Jeanette D. Leisk
Director of Traditional Music: DJ Cleavinger
Handbell Director: Jeanne Hladky
Assisting Minister: Nick Thomson
Acolytes: Robinson Family
Greeters: Schulte Family
Ushers: Ed Knapp, Robert Banta
Reader: Joan Baird
Offering Counter: John Breiland
Coffee Hour: Melissa Payson
Altar Care: Karin Pantleon, Chris Hayward,
Sandy Chupkai, Corinne Williams
Worship Technology: Isaac Almy, Sara Bidwell
John Breiland, Bill Mark Langdell

Festival Choir

Sara Bidwell, Wilma Breiland, Dawn Colford,
David Cressman, Jeanne Hladky, Beth Haltmeier,
Chris Hayward, Tanya Hayward, Louise Kress,
Bill Mark Langdell, Kevin Maschhoff, Suzanne Neuman

Ringers of Faith

Chris Banta, Sara Bidwell, Beth Haltmeier,
Tanya Hayward, Kailey Johnson, David Kress

Instrumentalists

Andrew Boland, Puyuan Chen, Eric Haltmeier,
Bobby Haltmeier, Sasha Ivashkevich, Liesl MacGregor,
Carson Macklin, Amy Matuza, Randy Steere

We livestream worship service and share them on YouTube and other internet sites. We also often take photos of people throughout the building to use on our website. If you would prefer not to be on camera, please sit in the back two rows and ask the pastor to distribute communion to you from your seat.

Calendar

Easter Sunday, April 5

9:15 AM
Traditional Worship with Festival Choir
(No Sunday School)

10:15 AM
Easter Egg Hunt
Bagels and Coffee

11:00 AM
Contemporary Worship with
Praise Band

Tuesday, April 7

10:00 AM
NO Bible Study

Wednesday, April 8

10:00 AM - 12 Noon
Pastor Jen drop in Hours at
Caffe Nero

6:30 PM
Executive Committee

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Church Council

Thursday, April 9

3:30 PM
Andover Faith Communities
Stand Out for Justice
School Street & Central Street

7:30 PM - 9:00 PM
Choir Rehearsal

Saturday, April 11

8:15 AM - 4:30 PM
Habitat for Humanity Build Day

9:00 AM - 10:30 AM

Lay Preacher Training Lecture

Sunday, April 12

9:15 AM
Traditional Worship with Choir and
Sunday School

10:15 AM
Coffee Hour

11:00 AM
Contemporary Worship with
Praise Band

Easter Flowers

In Memory of loved one Thomas Baird, Jr. from Joan Baird Family
In Memory of Alfred Barrios from Ruth Barrios
In Memory of Frances & Gary Bidwell, Mary & Paul Tully,
Thomas Bednarek from Sara Bidwell
To the Glory of God from Pam & Greg Bird
In Memory of Dotty & Bill Didham from Dawn Colford
In the Memory of Hildi & Joe Finnegan, Janice & Jim Ellard from Heidi Ellard
In the Memory of Serapina Harrell from Thomas Harrell
In the Memory of Parents from Magaly Nelson
In the Memory of those who went before them from Gary & Barbara Payson
In the Memory of Bill Thoden from Jeanette Thoden
In the Memory of Loved ones from Karen Wilson

Lutheran World Relief

In the Memory of Alfred Barrios from Ruth Barrios
To the Glory of God from John & Wilma Breiland
To the Glory of God from the Diamondis Family
In Honor of Stephanie & Michael Clement from Judy Donchez
In Memory of Parents Eloise & Gordon Leisk from Jeanette Leisk
In Memory of Andrew Evatt from the Robinson family
For Lutheran World Relief from Schulte Family
In Memory of Bill Thoden by Jeanette Thoden



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9:15 AM Traditional Worship Service

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Welcome to Faith!

April 5, 2026

Guests



We are grateful you have chosen to visit with us today. You are welcome to the communion table and we'd love to greet you after church for coffee in our Fellowship Hall.

Welcoming Statement



On June 2, 2024, our congregation adopted a Welcoming Statement to become a Reconciling in Christ community. The QR code links to our Welcoming Statement.

Coming Soon!



Giving



Thank you for your generosity! Financial gifts may be given online at the QR code or by check/cash in the offering plate.

Order of Service

page numbers are from the red hymnals in the pews

Gathering

Prelude: In the Garden - C. Austin Miles
Gathering Hymn: *Jesus Christ Is Risen Today* #365
Thanksgiving For Baptism
Greeting
Easter Proclamation: Psalm 118 - *This is the Day* (Verses 1 and 2)
Flowering of the Cross
Variations on Easter Hymn - Lani Smith
Cross of Christ - arr. Larry Shackley
Easter Proclamation: Psalm 118 - (Verse 3)

Word

Reading: Acts 10: 34-43
Childrens Message
Choir Anthem: *Amazing Grace! Eternal Life!* Travis Boyd
Festival Choir #174
Gospel Acclamation: *Celtic Alleluia*
Gospel Reading: John 20: 1-18
Sermon: Rev. Jeanette D. Leisk
Hymn of the Day: *Alleluia! Sing to Jesus* #392
Nicene Creed
Prayers of Intercession
Peace

Thanksgiving

Offering
Offertory: *Christ the Lord is Risen Today! Alleluia!* arr. S. Eithun
Ringers of Faith
Offering Prayer
Great Thanksgiving
Dialogue

Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who 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,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.

Invitation to Communion

Distribution of Communion

Communion Hymns:

Day of Arising #374
Alleluia! Jesus is Risen! #377

Prayer after Communion

Sending

Blessing

Sending Hymn: *Crown Him with Many Crowns* #855
arr. Jeffrey Howard

Announcements

Dismissal: Go in Peace. Serve the Risen One.
All: Thanks be to God!

Postlude: Festive Postlude on "Truro" arr. Mary McDonald

Acknowledgements

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