
ORDER OF WORSHIP

Enter to Worship

"Only King Forever"*
Greeting & Welcome
Passing of the Peace
"Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)">
"Hosanna"+
"Crown Him (Majesty)**"
Prayer

We Hear the Word

OT Reading: Isaiah 50:4-9a
NT Reading: Philippians 2:5-11
Friendship Registers
Sermon:

We Give Thanks

Eucharist & Offering
"Lead Me to the Cross"++

We Leave to Serve

Community Life Announcements
Benediction

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THIS WEEK

Today, April 9th

9:30 am Worship
11:00 am Discipleship Hour

Monday, April 10th

10:00 am Friends of Bill W. Women's Group

Tuesday, April 11th

6:30 pm Celebrate Recovery

Wednesday, April 12th

No Wednesday Night Activities

Thursday, April 13th

6:30 pm Friends of Bill W. Women's Group
6:30 pm Maundy Thursday Worship

Friday, April 14th

6:30 pm Good Friday Worship

Saturday, April 15th

9:00 am Holy Saturday Prayer Vigil
3:00 pm Spanish Class
5:00 pm Holy Saturday Prayer Vigil

Sunday, April 16th

9:30 am Easter Sunday Worship
11:00 am Egg Hunt
11:30 am Easter Feast Potluck Meal

COMING UP

April

20-22 MAX @ MNU
29 VBS Pre-fab, 9-noon
29 Fat, Fat Jehoshaphat Rehearsal, 10 am

May

13 Project Honduras Committee Meeting
15 Honduras Team Meeting
31 Battle of the Ages



SUNDAY, APRIL 9TH, 2017

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Please plan to join us for our youth-led Maundy Thursday service, April 13th, and Good Friday, April 14th, both at 6:30 pm. Holy Saturday Prayer Vigil is an approximately 70 minute app-guided prayer experience through the stations of the cross available in the Sanctuary from 9-11 am and 5-7 pm. Easter Sunday worship will be at 9:30 am, followed by Easter Egg hunt for children at 11 am and our annual Easter Feast meal at 11:30 am. A Needs list is available through CONNECT, or the link on the Announcements Note in the CCC app, to sign-up for the food items your family will bring to the potluck feast.

SPRING LIFE GROUP SESSION

Life Groups are assembling for the spring session! Beginning Easter, April 16, Life Groups will meet for an 8-week session, sharing food, fellowship, and spiritual conversation centered around weekly Sunday sermons and scriptures. You can "Find A Group" on the Mobile App and sign up with the Spring Life Group Form.

VBS NEEDS LIST

We're gearing up to invite kids to discover the Maker who fills them with purpose and creativity, June 4-7. Join in by signing up on the Needs List through CONNECT or the link on the Announcements Note in the CCC app to help with supplies.

SUMMER CAMP DATES

As you are making plans for summer vacation, add camp for kids and teens to your calendar! All camps are identified by the grade the student is completing in May.

1st & 2nd Grade: June 15-17 (contact Pastor Amy for details)

3rd & 4th Grade: July 17-20 (contact Pastor Amy for details)

5th, 6th, 7th Grade: July 10-14 (contact Pastor Kathy for details)

8th-12th Grade: July 17-21 (contact Pastor Kathy for details)

GOOD NEIGHBOR OFFERING (GNO): MISSION SOUTHSIDE

Mission Southside has a neighbor's heart; a heart that loves Jesus Christ and genuinely cares about the needs of others. Mission Southside partners with churches like ours to bring hope and help to the poor in Johnson County by meeting physical, mental and spiritual needs. Please give generously to this work.



THE BAD BOYS OF EASTER: 12 STEPS OF SEPARATION

MATTHEW 27:33-51

Disappointment with life easily becomes _____
with God.

The revolutionary being crucified next to Jesus had every excuse to be disappointed with God.

The crowd mocking Jesus had every excuse to be disappointed with God.

Jesus had every excuse to be disappointed with God.

If an _____ man who suffers like a guilty man can
maintain faith in God...

how much more a _____ man for whom there is some
justification for his suffering?

God is not your _____.

God sent Jesus to bring you _____.

QUESTIONS DURING YOUR LIFE GROUP

Breaking the Ice

1. What are you praying about right now? How long have you been waiting for an answer from God?
2. Have you ever known someone who maintained a strong faith in God despite his or her difficult circumstances? If so, how did that person's faith influence your relationship with God?

Diving In

3. Read Matthew 27:39-44. Three groups ridicule Jesus: the people, the priests, and the revolutionaries. In your opinion, how did each of these groups assume God should make their lives easy?
4. How are we tempted to assume that God should make our lives easy? What are some ways that assumption influences the way we view God?
5. During the message, Scott said, "God used the injustice experienced by Jesus to bring salvation to mankind. If you choose to trust him, God can bring good from what life has thrown at you as well." Is it difficult for you to believe that? Why or why not?

Going Deep

6. Talk about a time when your disappointment with life made you frustrated with God. What did you do?
7. Are there circumstances in your life right now that you need to surrender to God? If so, what is one thing you can do this week to begin to open your hands to your heavenly Father? How can this group support you?