

WELCOME in the NAME OF JESUS  
St. Peter's Lischey's UCC  
[www.lischeysucc.org](http://www.lischeysucc.org) (717) 225-3932  
A Resurrection Celebration  
Sunday, April 17, 2022 - 8:00 & 10:30 AM  
(8:00 Service- in-person only/  
10:30 Service- in-person & via YouTube)

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude: My Lord, What a Morning Wilson

Ringing of the Bell

Sanctuary Choir: This is a Day for Rising Martin

Call to Worship

L: This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

**P: The stone is cast aside, and the mantle of darkness is cast away!**

L: Be glad and rejoice! God has swallowed up death forever.

**P: This is the day of salvation.**

L: The Lord of light has come and reigns forever. Christ is risen!

**P: Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia! Amen.**

Hymn: Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise Roberts  
#232 Red Hymnal

Prayer of Confession...

L: When everything was dark and it seemed the sun would never shine again, God's love broke through. Let us offer God our confession:

**ALL: Good and gracious God, we confess, when we think of Easter, we think of a springtime holiday. We are more at home with bunnies and flowers than immortality and resurrection. We run from the**

empty grave instead of embracing the new life it offers. In this time with You, with one another, and in Your sanctuary, we ask Your forgiveness and pray you will open our hearts to the power and presence of our risen Lord! Amen.

Assurance of Pardon:

L: God so loved the world that he gave his only son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

**ALL: We rejoice in this day! Hope and love are ours! God has fulfilled His promise! Thanks be to God for the gift of life eternal! Amen.**

**ALL: Thanks be to God.**

Children's Message - Michele Hamme

Hymn: Alleluia! Alleluia! #215 Red Hymnal Beethoven

Scripture: John 20: 1-18 – Michele Hamme

Easter Message: The Resurrection Life

Apostles' Creed:

**ALL: I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ, his only begotten son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Hymn: The Day of Resurrection  
#226 Red Hymnal

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Sacrament of Holy Communion

L: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

**P: And also with you.**

L: Lift up your hearts!

**P: We lift them up to the Lord!**

L: We praise you, O God, for the triumph . . . we too may know the risen Christ with us in the breaking of bread.

**P: Thanks be to you for giving us the victory!**

*Breaking of the Bread/Pouring of the Wine*

*The Lord's Prayer (debts/debtors)*

*Sharing the Elements*

*Prayer of Thanksgiving*

**ALL: We thank you God, for feeding us with the holy mysteries that assure us of your being at one with us. May the love and hope of our risen Lord radiate through our lives so that we may bear the good news to a waiting world. Amen.**

Hymn: Christ the Lord Is Risen Today  
#217 Red Hymnal

Lyra Davidica

Benediction

Postlude: Jesus Christ is Risen Today, Alleluia

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# *Easter Lily* *Dedications*



## **In honor of:**

- ✿ In honor of Anna Glatfelter and in memory of George Glatfelter presented by Joe, Lisa, & Joe Crisamore
- ✿ In honor of Jenell, Pat, Cole, and Ryan McKowen, presented by Lois Nelson
- ✿ In honor of Amy, Steve, Haleigh, Hannah, and Claudia Weddle, presented by Lois Nelson
- ✿ In honor of Sarah, Tom, Bethany, Don, and Sam Pasmore, presented by Lois Nelson
- ✿ In honor of our grandma, Lois Nelson, presented by Cole & Ryan McKowen
- ✿ In honor of Pastor Cathy, presented by the Congregation
- ✿ In honor of Nancy Cherry, presented by the Choirs

## **In memory of:**

- ✿ In memory of Bill and Fayne Crist, presented by Joe, Lisa, & Joe Crisamore
- ✿ In memory of Don Nelson, presented by Lois Nelson
- ✿ In memory of Gladys, Bob, Pat, and Bobby Henry, presented by Lois Nelson
- ✿ In memory of Art and Arlene Nelson, presented by Lois Nelson
- ✿ In memory of all of our loved ones, presented by Jim & Joan Messinger
- ✿ In memory of my parents and Tom Hoffman, presented by John Klinedinst
- ✿ In memory of our grandparents, Lee & Bob McKowen and Don Nelson, presented by Cole & Ryan McKowen

## **A Donation to the Memorial Fund has been placed:**

- ✿ In loving memory of Carrie E. Hawkins, presented by her daughter & family.



**Weekly Announcements, Updates and Concerns**  
**April 17, 2022**

**Thank You...**

Thank you to our faithful orchestra musicians for playing Easter hymns for worship this morning.

**The Jefferson Homemakers...**

The Jefferson Homemakers will meet at the church on Wednesday, April 20 at 10:00 AM. They will be watching a movie. Lunch is provided. **All** are welcome!

**Major White is back April 24...**

Kenneth White will be here April 24<sup>th</sup> to fill in for Pastor Cathy.

**The Spring Grove Alumni Chorus is BACK!**

The Spring Grove Alumni Chorus will be performing April 29 at the Spring Grove Area Middle School Auditorium. Come and enjoy the show, "Ready to Sing," directed by Jesse Betlyon and Lee Sands (Director Emeritus). The show begins at 7:30 PM and will also feature the Spring Grove Alumni Orchestra. Donation baskets will be at the door.

**Harvest of Hope Volunteers Needed...**

Volunteers are needed to pack and distribute food at Harvest of Hope Food Pantry on May 17<sup>th</sup> at 4:15 and June 16<sup>th</sup> at 4:15. Please signup to help on the sheet on the bulletin board in the overflow room.

**Thank You to Our Greeters...**

Thank you to today's greeters, Joanne Hoffman & John Klinedinst. Next week's greeters are Jenell McKowen & Toni O'Neal.

### Thank You to Our Liturgist...

Thank you to today's liturgist, Michele Hamme.  
Next week's liturgist is Don Carl.

### Thank You to Our Acolyte...

Thank you to today's acolyte TJ Mensinger.  
Next week's acolyte is Sage Freed.

### Upcoming Events at Lischey's Church...

Thursday, April 21	6:30 PM	Chime Choir Rehearsal
	7:00 PM	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
Sunday, April 24	9:15 AM	Adult Sunday School
	9:30 AM	Children's Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship Service

### Office Hours...

The office will be open Monday through Thursday this week. See below for hours. Doors will be locked for security; therefore, we ask that you call (717) 225-3932 to let us know you are coming. Staff will be there at the following times: (**Note:** Pastor Cathy may be doing home visits during office hours in the coming weeks, so make sure to call before coming to the church to see her.)

Cathy Sherry, Pastor		Call for Appointment
Nancy Cherry, Minister of Music	Mon/Thur	1:00 PM – 3:00 PM
Pat McKowen, Secretary	Mon-Thur	1:00 PM – 3:00 PM

**Upcoming Birthdays (\*Designates Over 80)**

April 18	McKayla Linker
April 23	Carol Brown
April 24	Elizabeth Luckenbaugh
April 26	Larry Spangler
April 27	Jayden Myers
April 27	Sharon Winter
April 30	Kimberly Bolden
May 01	Barbara Gardner
May 04	Anna Foreman
May 09	Ryder Linker

**OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE LAST  
SUNDAY WAS...**

Attendance	82 Sanctuary & 4 Zoom
Current Offering	\$1,395.00
Loose	45.00
Building for Service	15.00
OCWM	50.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,505.00</b>