



First United Methodist Church, Bristol March 24, 2024

Building A Community Where Anyone Can Become A Deeply Committed Christian

Welcome to worship, both in-person and online!

Refreshments are available at the Sanctuary entrance. Children and Youth Worship Boxes are available in the West lobby.

Prelude Phil Haga, organist
Hymn of Promise....by Natalie Sleeth

Words of Greeting

Call to Worship Lectionary Liturgies by Thom Shuman

We come to prepare for the holiest of weeks.

We will journey through praise, with joy on our lips;
we will travel through betrayal and death, cradling hope deep in our hearts.

Jesus leads us through this week, and we will follow,
for he is the life we long for, he is the Word who sustains us.

We wave palm branches in anticipation;
we lay our love before him, to cushion his walk.

Setting aside all power, glory, and might, he comes:
modeling humility and obedience for all of us.

Hosanna! Hosanna!

Blessed is the One who brings us the kingdom of God.

Hymn of Praise **UMH 277**
Tell Me the Stories of Jesus
We invite you to bring forward your offering to the plate and your missions giving to the basket.

Doxology **UMH 95**

First Scripture Reading

Isaiah 50:4-9

Prayer Concerns

Prayer request cards can be brought to the altar rail or left at the exit.

The Lord's Prayer

UMH 895

Responsive Song

O Lord, Hear My Prayer

Special Music *All Glory, Laud and Honor.....by W. H. Monk*

Chancel Choir

Second Scripture Reading

Mark 11:1-11

Sermon *In the Name of Jesus*

Rev. Casey Irwin

Hymn of Benediction *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna*

UMH 278

Benediction

Postlude Phil Haga, organist
More Love to Thee, O Christ....by William Doane



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Announcements

We have added refreshments back to Sunday mornings! If you are able to contribute snacks or juice one week, sign-up with Sue Dietz as we establish a rotation.

Holy Humor Sunday and Breakfast Church are Sunday, April 4. Sign up for a dish to bring and submit your favorite Bible jokes (or bring them to share yourself!). Email pastor@fumcbristol.org or leave a paper copy at the church office.

Bristol, TN Parish Holy Week Schedule

Maundy Thursday Worship- Aldersgate UMC 7:00 p.m.
Good Friday Worship- Addilynn UMC 7:00 p.m.
Easter Sunrise Services will occur at both locations.

Prayer Requests

Dow Strader, Mary Tankersley, Helen Harkleroad, Tim Harkleroad, Charlotte Cox, Jack Ford, Kathy Wagner, Jim Riden, Edward Platz, Mike Teague, Beau Lippo, Richard McCallum, Gregory Cowan, Albert Colombo

Church Office Hours: Tuesdays and Fridays 1-3 PM

<u>Weekly Schedule</u> Sundays	9:30 a.m.	First UMC Worship
	10:30 a.m.	Common Ground Fellowship Worship (Chapel)
	10:45 a.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	7:00 p.m.	AA Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	Addilyn UMC Bible Study
Tuesdays	10:00 a.m.	First UMC Bible Study
	7:00 p.m.	AA Meeting
Wednesdays	6:30 p.m.	Virginia Avenue UMC Bible Study
Thursdays	7:00 p.m.	AA Meeting

Upcoming Dates

Wednesday, March 20	12:00 p.m.	Lent Luncheon Worship at First UMC
	2-4 p.m.	Virginia Avenue Food Pantry
Wednesday, March 27	12:00 p.m.	Lent Luncheon Worship At Beech Grove UMC
Thursday, March 28	7:00 p.m.	Maundy Thursday Worship At Aldersgate UMC
Friday, March 29	7:00 p.m.	Good Friday Worship At Addilynn UMC
Sunday, March 31	9:30 a.m.	Easter Worship at First UMC
Tuesday, April 2	6:30 p.m.	Parish Council Meeting at Addilynn UMC
Sunday, April 7	9:30 a.m.	Breakfast Church Worship and Holy Humor Sunday
Tuesday, April 9	5:00 p.m.	United Women in Faith Meeting

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