Rittman United Methodist Church

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**POINTS to PONDER**

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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

***Wed. April 5th:* 6:00pm – Fill Easter Eggs**

***Sat. April 8th:* 10:00am – Easter Egg Hunt**

***Sun. April 2nd: Palm Sunday***

***Thurs. April 6th: 5:30 – at Sterling UMC***

 ***Soup Supper with***

***Maundy Thursday Service @ 6:30pm***

***Fri. April 7th: 7:30pm – Good Friday***

***Tenebrae Service***

***Sun. April 9th: Easter***

 ***7:00am – Sunrise Service***

 ***8:00am – Easter Breakfast***

***Sunday School & Worship @ regular times***

***Tues. April 11th: noon – 6:00pm***

 ***Red Cross Bloodmobile***

**6:15pm – Preschool Board Meeting**

 ***7:00pm – Admin. Council Meeting***

***Tues. April 18th:***

**6:30pm – Set-up for Food Pantry &**

**Community Dinner**

***Wed. April 19th:* 4:00 – 5:30pm –**

 **Food Pantry & Community Dinner**

***Tues. April 25th: 7:00pm***

 **Trustee’s Meeting**

**Sunday School** **@ 9:00am**

**Worship Service @ 10:00am**

**Office Hours**

 8:30am – 1:30pm

 Mondays -Thursdays

*Living Our Faith through Word and Action*

 We serve

 a Risen Savior! 



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**He Lives!**



**“For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.”**

**John 3:16-17**

**April**

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|   |  |  |  |  |  | **1****Joyce Williams’** **Living Wake** |
| **2 Palm Sunday***9:00am –* Sunday School*10:00am –* Worship Service | **3** | **4***6:30pm* – Prayer Circle **@ home**  | **5***11:00am* – Prayer Circle **@ home*****6:00pm –***  ***Fill Eggs with Candy****6:00pm –* Choir Practice*7:00pm* – 2:11 N. Practice | **6** ***5:30pm: @ Sterling UMC: Soup Supper with*** **Maundy ThursdayService *Following at 6:30pm*****NO BIBLE STUDIES TODAY** | **7 Good Friday*****7:30pm – Tenebrae Service*** | **8****10:00am –** **Easter Egg Hunt** |
| **9 *EASTER*** ***7:00am –*** ***Sunrise Service******8:00am – Breakfast****9:00am –* Sunday School*10:00am –* Worship Service**HOLY COMMUNION** | **10 \_\_\_\_****\_\_\_\_\_\_** | **11 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*****12 – 6pm:* Red Cross**  **Blood Drive*****6:15pm –* Preschool**  **Board Meeting***6:30pm – Prayer Circle* ***@ home******7:00pm –***  **Admin. Council Mtg.** | **12 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_***11:00am* – Prayer Circle **@ home***6:00pm –* Choir Practice*7:00pm –* 2:11 N Practice**Pastor Ruthie is on vacation** | **13 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** *6:30pm* –  Women’s Bible Study  **No Men’s Bible Study** **From Monday, April 10th ---** | **14 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_****Through Sunday** | **15 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_****April 23rd \_\_\_\_\_** |
| **16 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_***9:00am –* Sunday School*10:00am –* Worship Service***Betty Winchell \_\_\_\_\_*** ***preaching*** | **17 \_\_\_\_\_** | **18 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_***6:30pm – Prayer Circle* ***@ home******6:30pm –* Set-up for**  **Food Pantry/Dinner** | **19 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_***11:00am* – Prayer Circle **@ home*****4-5:30pm*** *–* **Food Pantry/****Community Dinner***6:00pm –* Choir Practice*7:00pm –* 2:11 N Practice | **20 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_***6:30pm* –  Women’s Bible Study  **No Men’s Bible Study**   | **21 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** | **22 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** |
| **23** *9:00am –* *Sunday School**10:00am –**Worship Service****Lydia Stahl \_\_\_\_\_\_\_*** ***Preaching***  | **24** | **25**6:30pm – Prayer Circle **@ home*****7:00pm*** –  **Trustee’s Meeting** | **26***11:00am* – Prayer Circle **@ home***6:00pm –* Choir Practice*7:00pm –* 2:11 N Practice |  **27***10:00am –*  Women’s Bible Study*6:30pm* –  Women’s & Men’s  Bible Study  | **28** | **29**  |
| **30***9:00am –* *Sunday School**10:00am –**Worship Service* |  |  |  |  |  |  |

 **Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday**



**Offering Tabulators**

**Lori Ullman**