

Connect Card

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Welcome! Whether you are a visitor or a member, you can always learn more at North Church. Let us know how we can help you.

- I need to update my contact information.
- I'd like to receive North Church's e-newsletter.
- I'm interested in speaking with someone about North.
- I'd like to speak to a Pastor about a personal concern.

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

I am interested in learning more about:

- Children's Ministries
- Youth Ministries
- Young Adult Ministries
- Music Ministries
- Outreach and Missions
- Care and Nurture Ministries
- Hospitality Ministries
- Green Team
- Reconciling Ministries
- United Methodist Women
- Justice & Advocacy

Other/Comments

Please tear here.

Sundays at North

Sunday Morning Hospitality

All are welcome

- 8:30-10:15: Community Room
- Following 11 a.m. service: Community Room

Childcare During Worship

Provided for infants-4 year olds during both worship services & Sunday School

- Infant/Toddlers: Room 103
- Preschool: Room 102

Sunday School (9:45-10:45):

Adult Sunday School

- Affirming Group: Room 202
- Sojourners: Room 005
- Usual Suspects: Room 004
- Power & Light: Room 205

Children Sunday School

- Toddlers: Room 103
- Preschool: Room 102
- Kindergarten – 101
- 1st & 2nd Grade – 104
- 3rd Grade – 204
- 4th & 5th Grade – 203

Youth Sunday School

- Middle School: Room 207
- High School: Room 008

Music

(Following 11 a.m. service)

- Joyful Noise: Room 101
- Carolers: Conference Room
- Choristers: Room 004
- Cathedral Ringers: Room 007

The Happenings

Details can be found in the weekly eNews, Facebook/Twitter, bulletin boards, & Spring Book

Today, Sunday, April 15:

- Youth Group – 5:30 p.m., Club Room, sixth- through 12th-graders welcome.

April 17:

- Mid-North Shepherd's Center – 10 a.m., Oasis Healthy Habits
- Finance Committee Meeting – 6 p.m.

Wednesdays now through May 23: Paul's Pen Pals, 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

April 18: Mid-North Shepherd's Center – 10 a.m., Jane Ambro, "Cancer Prevention;" 11 a.m., Maria Lipman, "Russia Under Vladimir Putin."

April 19: Mid-North Shepherd's Center – 1 p.m., Memoir Writing

April 22:

- Elevation - 4 p.m., Room 203
- Taizé Worship Service - 5 p.m., Chapel
- Youth Group – 5:30 p.m., Club Room
- Green Team – 6 p.m., Club Room

April 24: Mid-North Shepherd's Center – 10 a.m., Oasis Healthy Habits

April 25:

- Mid-North Shepherd's Center – 10 a.m., Ed Alley, "My Favorite Writings;" 11 a.m., Margaretha Geertsema-Sligh, "South Africa."
- North Church Board Meeting – 5:30 p.m., Parlor (contact Mark Grove (mgrove@iupui.edu) with any questions.
- UMW Women of Lydia Circle - 7 p.m., Club Room

April 26: UMW Miriam Circle – noon, Parlor

April 29:

- UMW Luncheon (Sunday Supper) – Following the 11 a.m. service, Fellowship Hall. Tickets are \$10/adult, \$5/children under 10, \$30/family max. (Register at front desk by April 27.)
- Youth Movie Night – 4 p.m. (Register at front desk by April 24.)

May 4: Kids Movie Night – 5 p.m. (Register at front desk by May 2.)

May 6: Youth Sunday – 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Youth will lead the morning services through scripture, sharing faith stories, music and more. All youth are encouraged to participate. The theme will be a continuation of the Lenten retreat theme, "The Anatomy of a Believer."

May 12: Global Interfaith Partnership Umoja Benefit Concert – 3 p.m. to 5 p.m., Fellowship Hall. Admission is by freewill donations to benefit the GIP tuition program.

May 13: "Foot Notes" – A musical presented by the Choristers and Carolers children's choirs – 9:45 a.m., Fellowship Hall. Our feet put in a lot of steps, but are they always on the right path? To the melodic notes of Irving Berlin, Duke Ellington and Broadway tunes, join us for this annual tradition.

May 20: "Harmony Mass" by F. J. Haydn – 8:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. services.

June 3: Children and Families' Ministry End-of-School-Year Picnic at Holliday Park, noon. (Register at front desk by May 30.)

June 3-10: Interfaith Hospitality Network

June 7, June 21, July 5, July 19, Aug. 2, Aug. 16, Aug. 30, Sept. 6, Sept. 20: Farmers' Market

June 11-July 31: Project Transformation Day Camp



April 15, 2018 Third Sunday of Easter

PRELUDE *This Joyful Eastertide* arr. A. Bullard

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Cory Unthank

*PASSING THE PEACE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Let not your heart be troubled

People: Neither let it be afraid.

God grants us peace that transcends understanding.

Leader: Let us sing to God with thanksgiving!

People: May our psalms, hymns and sacred songs give God praise!

*OPENING HYMN #312 *Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise*

JOYFUL NOISE ANTHEM (11:00 a.m.) *This Little Light of Mine*

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine!

Hide it under a bushel? No! I'm gonna let it shine!

Don't let Satan blow it out! I'm gonna let it shine!

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Loving God,

**though violence and heartache seem to plague our world,
your love never fails.**

Light of life, illuminate us through your word

so that in hearing your promises

we may be lifted out of darkness

and into the light and peace of your presence. Amen.

**Please stand as you are able.*

FIRST LESSON Acts 3:12-19 Pew Bible, NT, pg. 113
Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.
People: Thanks be to God.

*CANTICLE OF PRAISE #741 Psalm 4

INVITATION TO PRAYER Ronnie Bell

HYMN OF PRAYER #2183 *Unsettled World* v. 1

EASTER PRAYER FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE Jill Lyday

Leader: This is the good news which we have received,
in which we stand,
and by which we pray for the world:
Christ was raised and Christ is appearing.
Death has been swallowed up in victory.

**People: Thanks be to God who gives us the victory
through our Lord Jesus Christ,
the Light of the world.**

Leader: Therefore, let us pray for peace around the world:

**People: Lord Jesus, Prince of Peace,
guide the nations of the world from war to peace;
direct all people to reject hatred
and embrace understanding;
and lead the rulers of government
and industry to turn swords into plows,
so that every person will be protected
and every community will flourish. Amen.**


HYMN OF PRAYER #2183 *Unsettled World* v. 2-3

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION Ronnie Bell

Leader: God, in your mercy . . .
People: Hear our prayer.

THE LORD'S PRAYER Hymnal pg. 895

HYMN OF PRAYER #2183 *Unsettled World* v. 4

 11:00 a.m. As the Hymn of Prayer continues, Kindergarten – 2nd grade are invited to Alternative Worship in Room 104; please follow the banner leader.

OFFERTORY PRAYER Cory Unthank

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *I Know That My Redeemer Lives* C. Courtney

I know that my Redeemer lives, and that He shall stand at the latter day upon the earth. And though my body be destroyed, yet in my flesh shall I see God. Alleluia! Now we see in a glass dimly, but then, face to face; now I know in part, but then I shall know as I am known. Alleluia!

*DOXOLOGY #94 *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

*GOSPEL LESSON Luke 24:36(b)-48 Pew Bible, NT, pg. 85

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON The Four Easter Commissions: Ronnie Bell
The Peacemaking Commission

*HYMN OF DEDICATION #729 *O Day of Peace That Dimly Shines*

*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

POSTLUDE *The Strife Is O'er* arr. M. Helman

*One white carnation on the altar today is in memory of Ruth Kunz
who passed away on March 25, 2018.*

*A second white carnation on the altar is in loving memory
of Margaret Willey who passed away on April 6, 2018.*

*The flowers on the altar are given for the glory of God and
in celebration of the Mid-North Shepherd's Center's
36th Birthday on April 8th.*

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Accessibility

- Wheelchair(s) located in west entry
- Wheelchair and elevator access in the west and southwest entries
- Pew cutouts in Sanctuary for wheelchairs
- Hearing enhancement devices available at welcome desk in west entry and tables in east entry of Sanctuary
- Large-print hymnals and bulletins are available from ushers

Children

We love children to join us in worship. If you prefer, child care is available for infants-4 year olds in rooms on the main floor. Worship bags are available for all kids in the east entry.

This week's worship leaders:

Ronnie Bell

Pastor of Mission & Outreach

Jill Lyday

Liturgist

Cory Unthank

Minister of Youth & Young Adults

Mark Gilgallon

Director of Music

Heather Hinton

Organist

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Name: _____

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Event Sign Ups

○ UMW Sunday Supper on April 29 at noon.

of children under 10 _____

of adults _____

○ Youth Movie Night on April 29 at 4 p.m.

of youth _____

of parents willing to drive _____

○ Kids Movie Night on May 4 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

of kids _____

○ End-of-School-Year Picnic at Holliday Park on June 3

of kids _____

of adults _____