

## On the Square, Steeped in Prayer!

**Prayer List:** Rita Allen, Debbie Barnes, Tom Brainard, Donna Cain, Terry Castilyn, Sandy Cobb, Heather Davis, Carol Delly, Lucy Dinces, Dave Donley, Craig Eppler, Carolyn Garmon, Monica Gasztonyi, John & Claudia Germaine, Adam Gross, Karen Hersman, Sylvia Hill, Lois Hosmer, Mary Ann Jackopin, Kim Kelly, Frances & Larry Kelley, Kathy Kent, Shirley Krieg, Damien McCormack, Kay Merchant, Danny Mihalek, Mary Mills, Ron Mraz, Fran Nicholson, Kevin Partello, Leyna Pettorini & Eben, Ann Phelan, Bill Porterfield, Erin Potter, Dan Powers, Colin Reichman, Judy Riczinger, Jeremy Searson, Don Shimskey, Michael Siders, Betty Silvi, Taylor Vlastic, Cherry Webb-Neugebauer, Sherri Wheeler, Phyllis Wilcox, Devin Williams, Jeanne Wise, and Pastor Jan Yandell. Prayers for Katie & Mary, Chris, Benjamin, and JB. Prayers for Brandy and Alison.

Continued prayers for people who are living with conflict and safety concerns, or are struggling in the aftermath of natural disasters, storms, or conflict. Prayers for those who are victims of violence. We pray for those suffering from addiction, cancer, illness, mental health concerns, and for care-givers. We pray for those who are homeless and those who face food insecurity. Prayers for missionaries, first responders, and our active military, including Jakob Kealoha & Serenity Rodriguez; Owen Updike, The Harmuth Family, Dr. Kenneth Heida Jr., Audrey Berndt, and Karen Hersman's grandson Josh. Prayers for all those serving on the USS Paul Ignatius and all military on active duty.

Prayers for those who have lost loved ones, including the family of John Buchanan, who passed away on March 29<sup>th</sup>, the family of Geri Brown, who passed away on March 29<sup>th</sup> also, and the family of Silvia Deaton, who passed away earlier in March. Also, prayers for the family and friends of James Urbanick, who was found deceased in March. Prayers for the family of Annie Kline, who passed away on March 31<sup>st</sup>.

We pray for peace.

### Garden Club Meeting

Sunday, April 12<sup>th</sup>

11:15am

Adult Sunday School Room  
(across from the nursery)

Questions? Contact Cory Calhoun!

### Coming Up This Week:

Monday CJ's men's study – Adult Sun Rm 6-8pm  
Grief Share – 7pm Chapel  
Tuesday Tabernaculo Study/Worship 6:30pm Chapel  
AA 7pm Parsons Hall  
Wednes AA 11am Adult Sunday School Room  
Euchre Night! – Adult Sun Sch Room 6pm  
Thursday Food Pantry 9-12 Chapel  
AED Training – Circle Room 12:15pm  
Stitchers Group 10am-2pm Sewing Room  
Prayer & Tea Time 2:30pm Library  
Collins Bells 6pm Bell Room  
Minister Tamika's women's Bible Study –  
Adult Sunday School Room 6pm  
Tabernaculo Study/Worship 6:30pm Chapel  
AA 7pm Parsons Hall  
Chancel Choir 7pm  
Saturday Tabernaculo de Painesville event/Sanctuary  
& Circle Room 4pm  
Sunday 8:30 worship in sanctuary  
10am worship in sanctuary & online/radio  
Bible Study w/ Michael Huston 8:30am Res  
Carol's Bells—Carol Ford Bellroom 11:15am  
Tabernaculo Spanish Worship 12pm Chapel

### Friends of the Week

Alice & Bob Megargle  
&  
Wesley Mahne

Cards for our friends of the week are available for you to sign in the Circle Room! Thank you!

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#### Rev. Edgar Brady

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## CELEBRATING EASTER SUNDAY!

## CHRIST IS RISEN! HE IS RISEN, INDEED!



Painesville United Methodist Church  
71 N. Park Place, Painesville, OH 44077

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Rev. Edgar Brady

April 5, 2026 –8:30am service

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Rev. Edgar Brady  
 April 5, 2026 – 8:30am  
 CCLI License #192345  
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Organ/Piano: Bob & Mary Brown Praise Band Director: Riley Strickland  
 Lead Usher: 8:30 am Cathy George  
 Liturgist: 8:30 am Deb Kendrick  
 Greeters: 8:30am Les & Marilou Walbeck

**Welcome and Announcements** \*please stand as you are able

**Prelude** "Easter Fantasy" arr. Kohlmann

**\*Call to Worship**  
 Leader: Come and see; come and rejoice. God calls us together for a celebration.  
**People: We have come seeking Jesus of Nazareth. We want to know the One who comforts and heals.**  
 Leader: Enter into this time of worship with thanksgiving; receive once more the good news of peace.  
**People: God is our strength and our song; God has acted in Christ for our salvation.**  
 Leader: The gates of righteousness have opened to you; Jesus promises to meet you along life's way.  
**People: Christ is risen; what a joyous moment! Christ is risen; we want to tell the world!**

**\*Hymn of Praise** "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" UMH #302

**\*Passing the Peace of Christ**

**Praise Band** "This Is Amazing Grace" Phil Wickham

**Call to Confession**  
 Liturgist: All who are weeping and forlorn are welcome at the feet of Jesus. Listen, for you will hear your name. All who have survived the sword will know grace, even in the wilderness; watch for Christ's appearing. All who fear God, feel that presence which prompts our awe and wonder. Come to rid yourself of the burden of sin.

**Prayer of Confession (in unison)**  
**God of all people, be our God. We have forgotten who you are. We have turned away from what is right and good. We have participated in those actions which sent Jesus to the cross. We have rejected Christ as out of date and impractical. We set our minds on things of the earth rather than on your will. O God, we do not want to continue our destructive ways. Grant that we may see and believe the fullness of life you intend for us. Strengthen us to live as resurrection people. Amen.**

**Prayer Requests** Pastoral Prayer The Lord's Prayer

**Scripture Lesson** John 20:8-18 NRSV-UE

**Message** "Somebody Stole My Jesus" Rev. Edgar Brady

**\*Offertory** "Because He Lives" Gaither

**\*The Doxology** "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH #94

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

**Service of Communion** The Great Thanksgiving Book of Worship, pages 66-67 (on screen)  
*In the United Methodist Church communion is open to all—regardless of age, membership status, attendance at any other church, or any other circumstance. Grape juice is served rather than wine, and gluten free bread is available in a designated serving dish.*

**\*Hymn of Dedication** "He Lives" UMH #310

**\*Commission and Blessing**  
 Leader: Darkness has lifted, and light has come to us; God is building us into a faithful community.  
**People: God's mighty deeds have caught our attention; our minds have been turned to what is important.**  
 Leader: We have experienced anew faith's transforming power; now God sends us out as witnesses to resurrection.  
**People: We are alive to recount the deeds of God; we will sing again the songs of our salvation.**  
 Leader: Go quickly and tell what you have encountered: goodness reigns, and tombs have no power to destroy.  
**People: We depart from worship with glad anticipation; we take up our service to the risen Christ with joy. (Amen!)**

**Exit Music** "Voluntary and Air" Purcell

*We invite you to join us for coffee and fellowship in the Circle Room after worship!*

Thank you for worshipping with us today! Please let us know you're here by filling out a connection card in your pew and dropping this in the offering plate—or, check in online at [www.pumconline.org](http://www.pumconline.org) (or using the QR code.)



**Happy Birthday!**

Apr 5 – Tom Hunter

Apr 7 – Matt Williamson

Apr 10 – Michael Huston

**Have a happy birthday!**



**Food Pantry item of the Week**

This week's food pantry item of the week is:

**Small jars of peanut butter**

We appreciate your donations to sustain this community outreach ministry! Non-expired items can be brought in Mon-Wed 9am-4pm or after/between Sunday worship services.

**This week's WKKY 104.7 FM Radio Broadcast is presented by:**

Jerry & Roberta Kalb  
 Happy Easter!

Thank you for your support of our radio ministry!

**The altar flowers are presented by:**


Cory Calhoun

Happy Easter!



**Mar. 29<sup>th</sup> Offerings**

Total:	\$ 8588.04
Operating:	\$ 5953.40
Building Fund	\$ 1328.28
Food Pantry	\$ 215.70
Kitchen Project	\$ 40.00
Radio	\$ 304.16
Other Giving	\$ 746.50

 **Scan the QR code for Online Giving!**

**March 29<sup>th</sup> Attendance**

Worship 8:30am	40
Worship 10am	134
YouTube 10am	118

Going to miss a Sunday in person? Tune in on WKKY 104.7 Radio or YouTube Sundays at 10am!

**Thanks to our partners:**



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*This year's Easter Flowers are  
presented by:*



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Barb Alban presents these lilies and daffodils in memory of her husband, Bob Alban.

Barb Alban presents these tulips in memory of Bob's parents, Phyllis & Henry Alban.

Barb Alban presents these hyacinths in memory of her parents, Mildred & Floyd Hall.

Don & Beverly Baines present this tulip in memory of their parents.

Lee & Cheryl Behnke present this lily in honor of grandchildren Ellie, Brooke, Olivia, & Austin.

Lee & Cheryl Behnke present this lily in honor of their parents, Mike & Rachel Abbott and Bill & Ginger Behnke.

Jeanne Benson presents these lilies in honor of son Bruce and niece Cathy Bonwell,  
both returning home after 20 years.

Julie Benson presents these hyacinths in honor of her grandchildren Ella and Luke Benson.

Julie Benson presents this hyacinth in memory of her father Edwin Benson and her grandson Owen Benson.

Cathy Bonwell presents this hyacinth in memory of her parents, Bobbie & Bob Bonwell.

The Bowers/Fritz family presents this lily, daffodil, and hyacinth in honor of Clarence & Shirley Bowers.

Rev. Edgar & Bertha Brady present this lily in memory of Mary Brady.

Rev. Edgar & Bertha Brady present this lily in memory of Phyllis Moore.

Rev. Edgar & Bertha Brady present this lily in memory of Ben Brady.

Rev. Edgar & Bertha Brady present this lily in memory of Lillie Brady.

Rev. Edgar & Bertha Brady present this tulip in memory of Ruby Stine Heags.

Rev. Edgar & Bertha Brady present this tulip in memory of Melvin Heags.

Rev. Edgar & Bertha Brady present this tulip in memory of Daisy Heags.

Rev. Edgar & Bertha Brady present this tulip in memory of Jessee Thomas Heags.

The Brolund family presents this lily and daffodil in memory of Karen Brolund.

Dennis Cahill, Cindy Childs, and Isabella Bucko present this daffodil in memory of Ray Childs.

Dennis Cahill, Cindy Childs, and Isabella Bucko present this daffodil in memory of Cory Bucko.

Dennis Cahill, Cindy Childs, and Isabella Bucko present this tulip in memory of Cassie Bucko.

Dennis Cahill, Cindy Childs, and Isabella Bucko present this hyacinth in memory of Colleen Cahill.

Debbie Burton & Carolynn Tribby present this lily and this hyacinth  
in memory of their parents, Tom & Mary Tribby.

Shawn & Cory Calhoun presents this lily in honor of her son Cole.

Shawn & Cory Calhoun presents this daffodil in honor of her son Chase.

Shawn & Cory Calhoun presents this tulip in honor of their daughter Madison.

Shawn & Cory Calhoun presents this hyacinth in honor of their daughter Mackenzie.

Ron Call presents this lily in memory of his wife, Patricia Call.

Ron Call presents this hyacinth in memory of his mother, Ruby Call.

Paul Crouser presents this lily in memory of Paul, Roy, and Mary Lou Crouser.

Martha Curd presents this hyacinth in memory of Shawn Brooks.

Martha Curd presents this hyacinth in memory of Joel & Elva Bates.

Patti & Mike Elmore present this lily in honor of their grandmothers, Edith and Lena.

Laura Farren presents this hyacinth in memory of her husband, Grieg Farren.

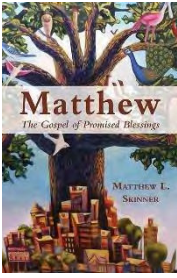
Mary Ann Jackopin presents this lily in honor and memory of loved ones.

The Kalb family presents this tulip in memory of Marcia Parsons.

The Kalb family presents this hyacinth in memory of Bill Parsons.  
Charlotte Kieffer presents this daffodil in memory of her husband Ron Kieffer.  
Charlotte Kieffer presents this hyacinth in honor of her grandkids.  
Dolores Luckay presents this lily in memory of her parents, Earl & Anna Hite.  
Dolores Luckay presents this lily in memory of Andy Thompson.  
Dolores Luckay presents this hyacinth in memory of Dave Hosmer.  
Susi Mathis presents this hyacinth in memory of her loving husband, Tim.  
Bridgette, Jim, Zachary, and Zane Mauter present this daffodil in memory of Donald & Jane Mauter.  
James Morse and family present these lilies in memory of Irene & Bailey Morse.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nagy present this tulip in memory of their parents.  
The Nicholson family presents this lily in memory of Nick Nicholson.  
Debra Poe presents this tulip in loving memory of Robert L. Poe.  
Debra Poe presents this hyacinth in loving memory of Paul and Joan Brckak.  
Katie & Shawn Ritts present this tulip in honor of granddaughter Savannah.  
Katie & Shawn Ritts present this tulip in honor of granddaughter Charlotte.  
Katie & Shawn Ritts present this hyacinth in honor of grandson Dean.  
Katie & Shawn Ritts present this hyacinth in honor of grandson Lilly.  
Katie & Shawn Ritts present this hyacinth in honor of grandson Bo.  
Mary Salchow presents this daffodil and tulip in honor and memory of family and friends.  
Herb & Marcia Searson presents this lily in honor of loved ones.  
Katie Sivula presents this lily in memory of Genny Sivula-Phillips.  
Katie Sivula presents this lily in memory of Ralph & Doris Harlan.  
Philip and Luke Streiff present this tulip in honor of Mary Salchow.  
The Strickland Family presents this lily in celebration of Easter – He is Risen!  
The Strickland family presents this daffodil in memory of Maria’s grandmother Kay Davis, who loved flowers.  
The Strickland family presents this tulip in memory of Maria’s Auntie Sharon, who loved flowers.  
The Strickland family presents this hyacinth in memory of  
Maria’s grandmother Nancy Campbell, who loved flowers.  
Rollie Walrath & Pearl Austin present these daffodils in memory of Shari and Kaeden.  
Emily Walker presents these daffodils in honor of all of God’s beautiful creations.  
Maxine Williams presents this hyacinth in memory of her buddy Joe.  
Maxine Williams presents this hyacinth in honor of Katie, Austin, and Aiden.  
Denice Winter presents this hyacinth in memory of her aunt, Jeanne Moore.  
Denice Winter presents these lilies in memory of her parents, Andrew and Carole Cottage.  
Ed Winter presents these hyacinths in memory of Geraldine and Jack Winter.

*Thank you to all who sponsored our lovely Easter lilies, tulips, daffodils, and hyacinths!  
Your Easter flowers are available to take home after worship on Easter Sunday, or on  
Monday, April 6th, from 9am-12pm. Flowers left behind will be considered a  
donation. Happy Easter—he is Risen indeed!*

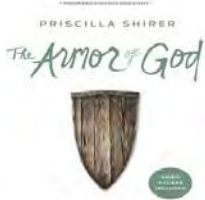
## PUMC Announcements April 5, 2026



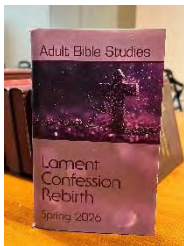
### New Tuesday Bible Study Coming Soon!

Join Rev. Brady for this in person or online study on **"Matthew: The Gospel of Promised Blessings"** by Matthew L. Skinner. This study will begin April 14th and continue for 6 weeks. Join him in person at noon in the Chapel (feel free to bring your lunch with you) or join him in person/online in a hybrid-style setting at 6:30pm on the same Tuesdays. Books are available for \$13 from the Church Office. Please sign up in the Circle Room so we can add you to the group. (If the cost of his book would prohibit you from attending please contact Maria in the Church Office.)

### New Women's Bible Study Starts This Week!



All ladies are invited to join Minister Tamika Moore for this 7-week study on **"The Armor of God"** by Priscilla Shirer. This study will meet on Thursday nights in the Adult Sunday School Classroom (across from the nursery) at 6pm starting April 9th. To participate in this study, it is recommended that each attendee order their own book through this link: <https://www.lifeway.com/en/product/the-armor-of-god-bible-study-book-with-video-access-P005838473>. (You can also find this by visiting lifeway.com and searching for "The Armor of God" by Priscilla Shirer.) Doing so will allow the bearer to access video resources online that go along with the study. (If the cost of this book would prohibit you from attending or if you need assistance placing your book order online, please contact Maria in the Church Office.) Please sign up in the Circle Room so we know to expect you for this study. Let's study the Armor of God - together!



### Weekly Sunday Morning Bible Study!

Join Michael Huston in the Resource Room on Sundays at 8:30am for this weekly Bible study from Cokesbury. (Booklet available in the classroom for \$15. If the cost of this book would prohibit you from attending please contact Maria in the Church Office.) The book changes quarterly but you are welcome to join the class at any time! The Resource Room is across from the choir room in the Education Wing - main level. To access from the parking area, enter through the glass atrium doors, head down the hallway on the right and it will be the first classroom on your left!

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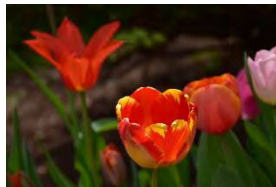
## Parables

Julie West will be leading a new 16-week study on the Parables of Jesus starting on Sunday, May 17th. Bring your Bible with you and join her after worship at 11:30am on Sundays in the 2nd floor Adult Sunday School Room (elevator accessible; above the Circle Room). No book purchase needed; bring your Bible with you! If you'd like to be a part of this study, sign up in the Circle Room! All are welcome!



### **Adult Fellowship Time: Euchre Night!**

Join us for **Euchre Night on Wednesday, April 8th in the Adult Sunday School Classroom starting at 6pm**. Dinner will be provided, but we do ask that those who attend bring either an appetizer or a dessert to share. From 6-6:30pm, instruction in how to play Euchre will be offered for those who have never played before or those who would like a refresher. At 6:30, enjoy playing Euchre! Please RSVP by signing up in the Circle Room or contacting the Church Office so we know to expect you and can ensure there is plenty of space and food! Welcome!



### **The Garden Club is ready to resume!**

**The first meeting of the Garden Club this season will take place on Sunday, April 12<sup>th</sup> at 11:15am in the Adult Sunday School room.** All who would like to participate are welcome to attend! This meeting will discuss planting plans, planting dates, and watering/care schedules throughout the season. Questions can be directed to Cory Calhoun or contact Maria in the Church Office.



### **Men's Fellowship Lunch**

**All men are invited to join Rev. Brady for a special time of fellowship after worship on Sunday, April 19<sup>th</sup> from 11:30am-1pm in the Adult Sunday School Room.** Please RSVP in the Circle Room if you plan to attend. Thanks to our volunteer chili-makers for providing the lunch for this event! If you'd like to bring a dessert or appetizer to share, you are welcome to do so.

### **A few other things to put on your radar:**

**Join the Handy Group! Our Trustee Chair, Jerry Stokes, is starting a "handyman/handywomen" group that will do small projects around the church.** The first group meeting will take place on Saturday, May 30<sup>th</sup> from 9AM-12PM. Meet in the Circle Room and let's fix up a few things!

**The Praise Band will be having a Night of Praise worship evening on Sunday, May 24<sup>th</sup> at 6pm.** Please mark your calendars and plan to join us!

**Our annual Memorial Day picnic will take place on the front lawn on Monday, May 25<sup>th</sup> from 5:30-7pm.** A sign up sheet for potluck items and setup/cleanup help will come out in a few weeks – but please plan to join us for this wonderful kickoff to summer event!

**Graduation Sunday will be on June 7, 2026.** If you have a high school, trade school, college, or military/police/fire/other academy graduate that you would like to recognize, please contact Margie in the church office by May 20<sup>th</sup> to be included in the service on June 7<sup>th</sup>. Thank you!