



April 2, 2023

Sermon Series: Being God's Hero in Discouragement

Welcome

Rev. Kevin D. Reed

Prelude

Diana Smith

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

Call to Worship

Rev. Kevin D. Reed

Parade of Palms

Hymn #278

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

Prayer Concerns

Special Music

Choir

His the Scepter

Scripture

Exodus 12: 1-30

Message

Rev. Kevin D. Reed

The Cost Is Always Too Much

Hymn #277

Tell Me the Stories of Jesus

Communion

Sending Forth

Postlude



Church Wi-Fi Password

The church Wi-Fi password is
proverbs15:3 (small p and no spaces)



Hearing Loop Installed

Set your hearing aid to T-Coil.
For information, see our Ushers.

Please Pray For:

Larry Haney's exploratory kidney and hernia surgery has been postponed.

Marguerite's brother, Allen Wagner, passed away in Texas, where he would winter. The service will be here next week.

Lois Cook is moving to Waterford Crossing Nursing Home.

Audrey Mather had her gallbladder removed. She is home now and recovering well.

Ongoing Medical Concerns:

Barb Bice

Harold & Betty Collins

Martha Dinkeldein

Jerry Freet

Joe Gerencser

Betty Gwin

Stan Heckaman

Joan Knepp

Brian MacGowan, receiving treatments for vision issues

Denny Myers

Kurt Schwartz

Marilyn Strakowski

David Willis, Sue Matthews' nephew

Traci, daughter of Dennis & Dianne's friend

Cancer:

Weekly Events

Sunday Morning Worship

9:00 a.m. Sunday School

10:00 a.m. Worship Service

Office Hours

Tuesdays through Thursdays,

9:00 a.m. to noon.

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MEETINGS, SPECIAL EVENTS & PROGRAMS

UPC CODES

We need only 93 more UPC codes from any Our Family and Spartan products to have enough to send in to receive \$100 for missions. Just put them in the white box on the table in the narthex. Thanks!

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

Join us for the community Good Friday Service, here at the church at 3 pm on Friday, April 7th.

EASTER FLOWERS

The sign up sheet is posted for Easter lilies and other spring flowers. The cost is \$10. Please sign up if you'd like to purchase one in memory or honor of a loved one. You may place your donation in the offering plate. Please mark your offering envelope accordingly. The deadline to sign up is April 2. If you have a certain picture you would like to use for your loved one, please send it to Sandy at sandy.macgowan@gmail.com.

EASTER BREAKFAST

There will be an Easter breakfast at 9 am on Easter Sunday, April 9th. See the bulletin board outside the office or Sue Matthews to sign up to bring something to share or to volunteer to help out.

THRIFT SHOP VOLUNTEERS

The annual Appreciation Breakfast will be held on Saturday, April 15th, in the Fellowship Hall. We will have a guest speaker for your enjoyment. Please mark your calendar and be sure to sign up on the sheet just outside the office.

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER BREAKFAST

The National Day of Prayer Breakfast will be held on Thursday, May 4th, from 7:00-8:00 am at Dal-Mar catering hall in Nappanee. Please RSVP by calling (574) 773-7773 by April 30th. The guest speaker will be Hon. Steven L. Hostetler.

MEETINGS

- Thrift Shop Meeting at 9 am on Monday, April 3rd.
- Finance Meeting will be at 7 pm on Thursday, April 20th.

CHECK OUT THE NEW KIDS IN WORSHIP AREA!

- Weekly Bulletins!
- God Sightings!
- Stickers/Stencils/Notepads!
- Crafts!



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Vacation Bible School 2023 will be June 4-7th! Please plan to join us for a Stellar VBS that is Out of This World! We will have traditional VBS nights June 4-6, with a family dinner and activity night on Wednesday, June 7th. In the coming months, we will be looking for volunteers to help for the 3 Traditional VBS nights as well as to join us to meet our families on June 7th during family night. We would love to see as many members of our congregation as possible for dinner that evening! Stay Tuned!

SUMMER CAMP

Summer church camp registration is now open. Through beautiful locations, exciting activities, and intentional relationships, campers and guests are encouraged to reflect, grow, and amplify their impact in the world. Get details at impact2818.org. Contact the office before you register online to receive the camp code that gives you a 50% discount.

Sermon Notes— The Cost Is Always Too Much