

TRADE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

APRIL 12, 2026

SERVICE TIME 9:30 AM

GATHERING

Greet others and make ready your hearts and minds for worship.

PRELUDE

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP

Though darkness seems to envelop us.

Jesus breaks through with a word of peace.

Fears are banished!

Hope is more than restored

Rejoice! The Lord is with us!

We rejoice in the peace and blessings he brings. AMEN.

OPENING PRAYER

Roger Sturgill

*HYMN 364

Because He Lives

APOSTLES' CREED 881

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS

*DOXOLOGY 95

CHOIR

*Were You There
Up from the Grave He Arose
Gone*

PRAYERS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Peter 1:3-9

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Hope in God, Rejoice in God, Believe in God

*HYMN 310

He Lives

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Items in BOLD are unison. Items with an asterisk () denote standing as you are able.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NOTICE: If you want to make changes to the prayer requests or to have an announcement placed in the Sunday bulletin, please contact Irene Grayson.

Pastor: Reverend John Crabtree

Organist: Jeanette Lawrence

Pianist: Irene Grayson