

# The Order of Worship

## Easter Sunday -- Holy Communion Service

### 8:45 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. -- April 24, 2011

Prelude .....	<i>Handbell Choir</i>
<i>Praise to the Lord, the Almighty</i>	
Congregational Response	
<i>Leader: Christ is risen!</i>	
<i>All: <b>Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!</b></i>	
Processional Call to Worship .....	<i>Combined Choirs</i>
<i>Hallelujah Chorus</i>	
Welcome and Registration of Attendance .....	<i>Rev. Randy Kanipe</i>
Announcements .....	<i>Rev. John Turlington</i>
* The Peace	
* Hymn of Praise No. 302 .....	<i>Congregation</i>
<i>Christ the Lord Is Risen Today</i>	
* Psalter No. 748 (with response) .....	<i>Congregation</i>
<i>Psalms 16:5-11</i>	
* Affirmation of Faith No. 880 .....	<i>Congregation</i>
* Gloria Patri (8:45)	
Morning Prayer .....	<i>Rev. Kanipe</i>
Dismissal of Children (11:00; ages 4-1 <sup>st</sup> Grade)	
* Hymn of Preparation No. 304 .....	<i>Congregation</i>
<i>Easter People Raise Your Voices</i>	
Scripture and Sermon	
<i>John 20:1-18 (Pew Bible, p. 1136)</i>	
<i>A Sight for Sore Eyes</i>	
Sacrament of Holy Communion	
The Invitation .....	<i>Page 12</i>
The Confession and Pardon	
The Offertory	
<i>The Risen Christ</i>	
* The Doxology No. 95	
The Great Thanksgiving .....	<i>Page 13</i>
The Lord's Prayer	
The Giving of the Bread and Cup	
* Hymn of Commitment No. 310 .....	<i>Congregation</i>
<i>He Lives</i>	
* Dismissal with Blessing	
Postlude	

\* *The Congregation will please stand as they are able.*

**The Awakening -- 9:45 a.m.**  
**Sermon Lesson: *John 20:1-18***  
**Sermon Title: *A Sight for Sore Eyes***  
**Rev. Randy Kanipe**

**Welcome Friends** -- We are glad that you have chosen to worship here today. We pray that you will receive God's blessing today and that you will worship here again. If you are seeking a church home, we hope that you will consider this congregation. Please call on us if we can help you in any way.

**Committee meetings this week:**

**Trustees Committee**, Thursday, April 28, 6:30 p.m., Room 101

**Announcements:**

Children in Children's Church may be picked up in Room 209 following the 11:00 worship service.

In celebration of Easter, there will be no afternoon activities today.

Thanks to everyone who gave of their time during this especially busy week while our church was hosting families from the Interfaith Hospitality Network. As always, your kindness and thoughtfulness made them feel comfortable and welcome.

Thanks to everyone who accepted our "40 Cans in 40 Days" Lenten Invitation and so generously gave to ACTS. We will be sorting, boxing and delivering the cans on Wednesday, April 27. If you would still like to donate, you may bring your food items anytime prior to Wednesday evening. If you have a truck and would be available to help us deliver the cans, we would be grateful.

Congratulations 2011 Graduates! We want to honor you on Sunday, May 1. To do this we need a graduate/senior/current picture, a baby picture and two additional pictures taken through the years. We also need your parents' names, the name of the school you're graduating from (with degree, if college), and your future plans. Please call the church office to make reservations if you and your family plan to attend the graduate breakfast on Sunday, May 1, at 8:00 a.m. (If leaving voice mail, please give your name, phone number and number attending breakfast.)

The United Methodist Men will meet on Monday, April 25, at 7:00 p.m. for their monthly dinner and business meeting. In order to help the ladies from the Laura O'Bryant Circle of the United Methodist Women plan and prepare the meal, a dinner reservation is needed. You may do this by completing a blue reservation card (found in the pew pockets), jotting your name and "UMM Dinner" on a piece of paper and depositing those in the offering plate or calling the church office by 9:00 a.m. on Monday.

# WATKINSVILLE FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

## The Congregation: Ministers

### ---- The Church Staff ----

Rev. Randy Kanipe, Pastor  
Rev. John Turlington, Minister  
to Youth and Young Adults  
Rev. Anne Hansen  
Minister of Christian Formation  
Chris Argo, Minister of Music  
Carol White, Organist  
Ian Johnson, Pianist  
Kathy Peacock,  
Administrative Assistant  
Cheri Skinner, Financial Clerk  
Andy White, Maintenance  
Martha Jo Collins, Nursery  
Loretta Bridges, Nursery  
Kay Benton, Custodian  
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Fax: 706-769-9729  
Pastoral Emergencies:  
706-206-2431  
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e-mail: [watkumc@watkumc.org](mailto:watkumc@watkumc.org)  
Our web page can be accessed at:  
[www.watkumc.org](http://www.watkumc.org)



## This Week at WFUMC

### Today

8:45/11:00 Easter Worship Services  
9:30 am Coffee (9:30-11:00)  
9:45/11:00 Sunday School  
9:45 am The Awakening  
9:45 am Bible Blast Adventure  
4:00 pm IHN Families Depart

### Monday, April 25

12:10 pm Alcoholics Anonymous  
4:00 pm Cub Scouts - Tigers  
6:00 pm Cub Scouts - Wolves  
6:30 pm Cub Scouts - Bears  
6:30 pm Boy Scout Troop 80  
6:30 pm Cub Scouts - Webloes  
6:30 pm Karate Kids for Christ (5-8)  
7:00 pm United Methodist Men  
7:10 pm Karate Kids (ages 9-12)  
8:00 pm Karate Kids (ages 13-adult)

### Tuesday, April 26

1:30 pm Al-Anon  
6:30 pm Women's Softball Game  
7:00 pm Alcoholics Anonymous  
7:00 pm Band of Spiritual Sisters

### Wednesday, April 27

10:00 am Prayer Shawl Ministry  
5:30 pm Wonderful Wednesday  
6:00 pm Fellowship Supper  
6:30 pm Karate Kids for Christ (5-8)  
6:45 pm Youth Bible Study  
7:00 pm Chancel Choir  
7:10 pm Karate Kids (ages 9-12)  
8:00 pm Karate Kids (ages 13-adult)

### Thursday, April 28

6:30 pm Trustees Committee Meeting

### Friday, April 29

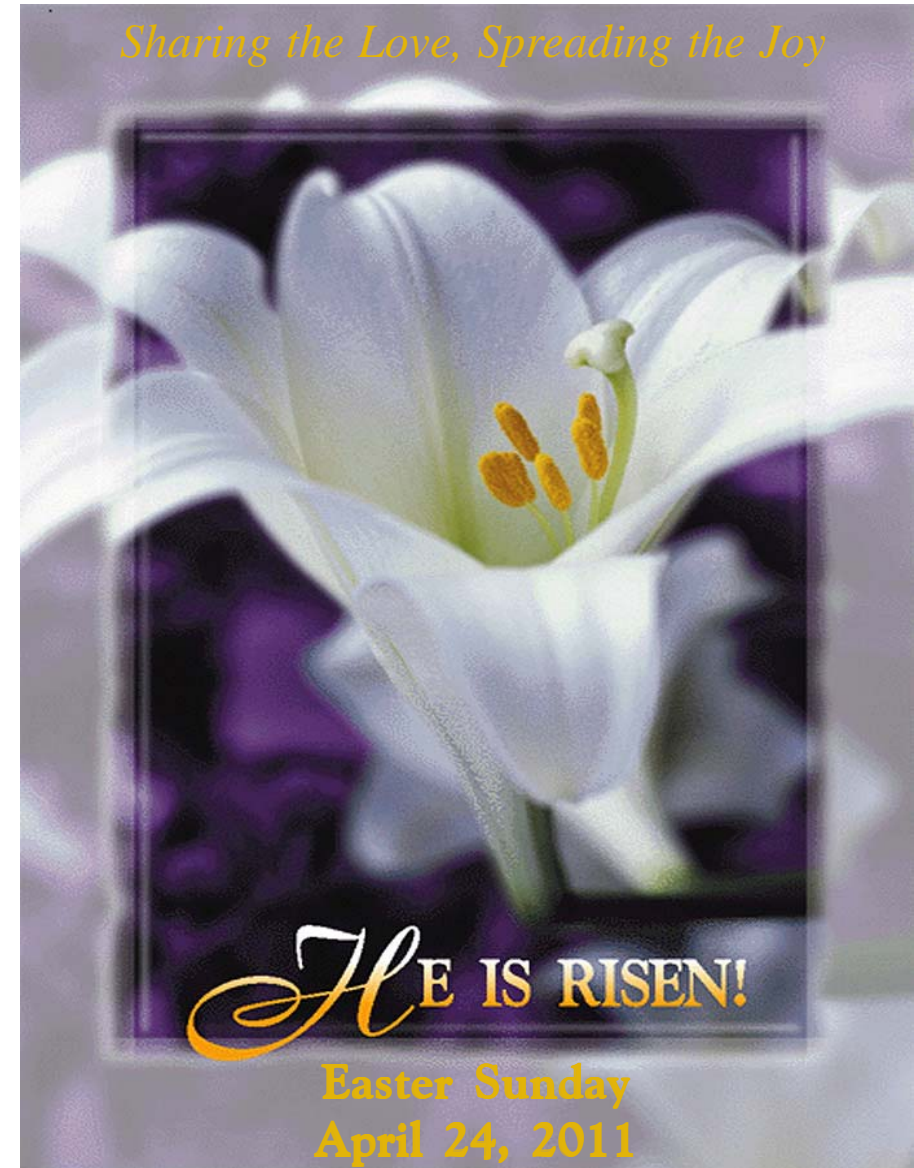
10:45 am UMM at Our Daily Bread  
7:00 pm Alcoholics Anonymous

### Saturday, April 30

### Sunday, May 1

*Youth Sunday & Graduate Recognition*  
8:00 am Graduate Breakfast  
8:45/11:00 Worship Service  
9:30 am Coffee, Fellowship  
9:45/11:00 Sunday School  
9:45 am The Awakening  
9:45 am Bible Blast Adventure  
11:00 am Karate Kids for Christ Graduation  
12:00 n Confirmation Class  
12:30 pm Karate Kids for Christ  
Graduation Reception  
5:00 pm Handbell Practice  
5:15 pm Lam[b]inin Youth

*Sharing the Love, Spreading the Joy*



**Additional Announcements -- April 24, 2011**

The Prayer Shawl knitting and crocheting group will meet on Wednesday, April 27, at 10:00 a.m. in room 101. All knitters and crocheters are welcome.

This year's Lenten Offering will be used to fund our 2011 Summer Youth Mission Trip. Our goal is \$2,000 and our youth have decided to tithe 10 percent of this offering to our new building, which they see as a mission to our church family and our community. If you would like to give to this, please be sure to mark your checks or envelopes "Lenten Offering." Thank you!

We will be honoring our first graduating class from Karate Kids for Christ on Sunday, May 1, during the 11:00 Worship Service. Congratulations to: Levi Doss, Elijah Doss, Isaac Doss, Mason Archer, Matthew Archer, Sam Cannon, Jennifer Bond, Jennifer Scott, Ella Jenkins, Wyatt Bridges, Molly Meeks, Hailey Bridges, Dylan Gooch, Drew Seila, Cameron Land, Carson Burch, Garrett Burch, Tucker Cox, Mac Veale, Tom Cannon, Mairi Ridgeway, Devin Ridgeway, Bryan Holcomb, Jordan Amos, Gabe Hein, Jackson Dismuke, Ivey Meeks, Jared Brooks, and Lane Brooks. A reception for the graduates will be held at 12:30 in the Fellowship Hall.

Don't forget the church's annual pork barbeque on Saturday, May 7, from 4:00-7:00 p.m. You may purchase tickets (\$7.00) from any UMM member or by calling the church office (706-769-6088). Eat-in or take-out plates are available. The Laura O'Bryant Circle members will be holding a bake sale in the Fellowship Hall during the barbeque and would appreciate your business.

Mark your calendars and save these dates. More information about both events will be coming soon.

**Memorial Day Red Cross Blood Drive** — Monday, May 30, 1:00-6:00 p.m.

**Vacation Bible School** — June 6-10, 9:00 a.m.-noon

Please see insert for other announcements.

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*The altar flowers are presented to the Glory of God  
in loving memory of our parents,*

*Mr. & Mrs. C. E. Colbert, Mr. & Mrs. W. C. Moore, and Mr. & Mrs. Judson Steen  
by Bob & Lucretia Moore and Chuck & Mary Steen*

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**Fellowship Supper Menu for Wednesday, April 27:**

*Taco soup, chips, cheese bread, salad, desserts*

**Set up/clean up:** Seekers Sunday School Class

**Please note:** Reservations must be made by noon on Monday.

**Prices:** \$5/adults; \$3/children; \$15/maximum family price

**April 24, 2011**

**WE WILL BE LOYAL TO THE CHURCH WITH  
OUR PRAYERS**

**Prayers for**

The Parker Family, upon the loss of Judy's mother, Ruby Hayes  
Cecil Hall, beginning radiation treatments

Gus Verner

Bob Willis, recovering from surgery

CPL Tony Mullis, friend of Michael Boucher, wounded in Afghanistan

Jean Bell, St. Mary's Hospice House

Prayer of Praise that Rusty Wilkes is home from Shepherd Center

Mark and Natalie (Tucker) Holmes, recovering from motorcycle accident

Ann Logan, Hilda Bowman's sister-in-law, return of cancer

Alwayne Wood, Hilda Bowman's sister

Martha Stewart, Becky Wilkes' mother

Tom Strickland, cancer

Our shut-in friends and family

Our church leaders; our local and national leaders; our military

The unchurched, the homeless, the poor, the hungry, the unemployed, the lame, those in prison, our brothers at the Potter's House, and those who do not know Christ as their Savior

**OUR PRESENCE - Sunday, April 17**

**Worship Attendance:**

8:45 am Service -- 106

9:45 am Service -- 18

11:00 am Service -- 154

**Sunday School Attendance:**

Adults -- 112

Children -- 20; Youth -- 16

**OUR GIFTS**

**April Budget Needs:**

\$ 46,944.92

Received through 4/17/2011

\$ 30,472.43

**AND OUR SERVICE**

Ushers ..... 8:45 am - Ben Burns, Bill Bowman, Emmett Loyd

11 am - Craig Barron, Mark Collins, Larry Darnell, Wayne Fair

Acolytes ..... 8:45 am - Kaya Pollack; 11 am - Chad Anderson, Alexis Barnhart

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**Mission Statement:** Our mission at Watkinsville First United Methodist Church is to focus intently on God, to help us and others grow as disciples of Jesus Christ, to serve others and to bring the Word of God to the lost and unchurched. We accomplish this by using our strengths of outstanding ministries for children, youth, music and through Christian education. By the grace of God, we can fulfill our mission by developing diverse worship experiences, promoting participation in small group activities, and committing to the Christian stewardship of our prayers, presence, gifts and service.

### Announcements -- April 24, 2011

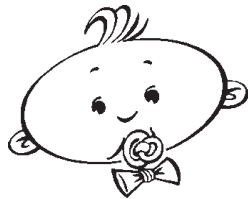
We would like to thank everyone who helped make our Youth Mission Trip Country Dinner a success. We raised \$420 for the mission trip. The youth were a big help that night serving and cleaning up. They were Kira Pollack, Rebecca Kanipe, Patrick Silcox, Nathan Adams, and Ben Kiracofe. We would also like to thank Randy Kanipe for the blessing; Jean Robinson, Betty Dawson, and Barbara Loyd for the cornbread; Terry Silcox, Barbara Smith, and Sally Hiss for desserts; Mindy Hogg, Ann Farmer, and Tracy Farmer for helping in the kitchen; Jeff Smith for making the coffee; and Peggy Sommer for helping with set up and clean up.

-- Thanks, Kenneth and Katrina Farmer

The WFUMC Book Club is currently reading *Memoir of Going Home* by Rhoda Janzen.

A.N.G.E.L.S. Circle is sponsoring a Mother's Day Mission Project to collect layette supplies to send to UMCOR. We will be collecting these items through the end of May. All items must be new. A complete kit consists of the following:

- 6 cloth diapers
- 2 shirts (undershirts or onsies)
- 2 baby wash clothes
- 2 gowns or sleepers
- 2 diaper pins (must have plastic closures)
- 1 sweater or jacket (must be open in the front; hooded sweat shirts are acceptable if open in front)
- 2 receiving blankets 30"X30" or 30"X32"



If you would like to participate in this mission project, you may make up and donate a completed kit or purchase individual items from the list and A.N.G.E.L.S. members will make the kits from your donations. Thank you.