

Overbrook United Methodist Church  
April 7, 2024  
*Our Vision: Living God's love in our community.*

**Order of Worship**

\*Please stand if you are able  
UMH | United Methodist Hymnal (purple)  
FWS | Faith We Sing (black)

**Welcome & Announcements**

*Please wait for the microphone to be brought before making your announcement.*

**Prelude**

**Song of Gathering\***

“Surely the Presence of the Lord”  
UMH # 328

**Call to Worship\***

Leader: What great joy we have!

**People: Our Lord is risen!**

Leader: Believe with your whole heart in the miracle of resurrection.

**People: We open our hearts to the good news of God's faithfulness to us.**

Leader: Hallelujah!

**People: Hallelujah!**

(Ministry Matters, April 7, 2024)

**Opening Prayer\***

**Lord of Resurrection surprises, open our hearts this day to the presence of Jesus Christ. Erase our excuses for unbelief and exchange them for strong witness to the power of your mercy and love. Give us courage and challenge us to walk the path of discipleship, knowing that Jesus goes before us, leading and guiding our steps. In his name, we pray. AMEN.** (Ministry Matters, April 7, 2024)

**Scripture Reading**

John 20:19-31 | page 115

Psalms 133 | page 575

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

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**A Time for Children**

Jessica Frye

**Sermon | Pastor Dean Lashley**

“Blessed”

**Hymn\***

“Pass It On”

UMH # 572

**Great Thanksgiving and Communion**

**Offering**

**Doxology\***

UMH # 95

**Sharing of Joys, Concerns & Silent Angels**

*Please wait for the microphone to be brought to you before sharing.*

**Pastoral Prayer & The Lord’s Prayer**

**Songs of Sending\***

“Marching to Zion”

UMH # 733

**Blessings\***

Pianist/Organists: Deb Rose, Cheri Harmison, Mary Gates | Liturgist: Darin Jones |  
Pastor: Dean Lashley | Music Minister: Mary Gates | Administrative Assistant: Charleen Tyson |  
Custodian: Randy White

**This Week’s Calendar**

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Monday, 4-8-2024

7:00 pm—Finance Meeting

Tuesday, 4-9-2024

2:30 pm Worship at Brookside

7:00 pm SPRC Meeting

Wednesday, 4-10-2024

7:00 pm Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday, 4-11-2024

10:15 am Bible Study

Friday 4-12-2024

Saturday, 4-13-2024

7:00 am TOPS

7:00 am Men's Group

8:00 am—Spring Cleaning at Church

Carbondale City Wide Garage Sales

Sunday, 4-14-2024

9:30 am Adult Sunday School

10:00 am Children's Sunday School

10:30 am Coffee Fellowship

11:00 am Worship

**Offering**

March 31, 2024: \$ 2,318.00

Weekly Budget: \$3,150.00

**Announcements**

**April Liturgists & Children Message Providers**

Please sign up on the list at the back of the Sanctuary.

**Coffee Fellowship**

Reminder that we have coffee and snacks starting at 10:30 am each Sunday before worship. Come join us for a time of fellowship.

**Community Game Night**

Saturday, April 20<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 – 10:00 pm

**Tuesday's Table**

Tuesday, April 16<sup>th</sup> starting at 5:30 pm

## **Church Spring Workday**

Saturday, April 13th starting at 8 am.

Come join us as we do spring cleaning and organization. We will have a wide variety of jobs for everyone!

## **Prayer Joys & Concerns**

Five Rivers District Prayer Calendar – Today we are praying for our brothers and sisters at Fort Scott 1<sup>st</sup>.

- Ed Harmison as he recovers from hip replacement surgery.
- Joran Krawczak, nephew of Emery and Marcia Elliot, who has been diagnosed with metastatic melanoma.
- Linda McGinnis prayers for recovery following neck surgery.
- Bonnie Bennett niece, Mitzi Merkel, in Arkansas has stage 4 cancer and had a double mastectomy.
- Joyce Morris's grandson, David, prayers and healing.
- Roberta Daniels continued prayers for healing.
- Lori Hollar's son is fighting stage 4 cancer.
- Yolanda Dickinson continued prayers for cancer treatments.
- Hunter Brown, Charleen's grandson, has Leukemia going through treatments.
- Larry Maddux brother, Don, fighting cancer.
- Judy and Larry Maddux daughter, Sarah Calderon, continued prayers for healing health.
- Michelle Curtis ongoing ovaries cancer treatment.

## **Upcoming Birthdays**

Charlotte Harmison, April 8	Harlan Hamman, April 16
Elaina Boyd, April 8	Trudy Anshutz, April 17
Korbyn Todd, April 11	Aaron Boyd, April 19
Jasmine Benham, April 13	Ashton Frye, April 20
Rosemary Topping, April 13	Luke Thompson, April 20
Andrew Chaloud , April 15	Patty Cooper, April 20
Linda McGinnis, April 15	Cliff O'Bryhim, April 22
	Lois Schultz, April 25

## **Upcoming Anniversaries**

Edward & Cheri Harmison, April 14  
Gayle & Emma Warren, April 24  
Alex & Natasha Dahl, April 25