

Welcome to worship! The glow of Easter remains in our hearts. Therefore we gather to glorify God for his saving act in Christ. Join together in love and unity before our Creator and Redeemer.

## CALL TO WORSHIP

PASTOR: Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures;

***CONGREGATION: He was buried, and he rose again the third day according to the scriptures:***

PASTOR: Now if Christ be preached that he rose from the dead, how say some among you that there is no resurrection of the dead?

***CONGREGATION: But if there be no resurrection of the dead, then is Christ not risen:***

PASTOR: And if Christ be not risen, then is our preaching vain, and your faith is also vain.

***CONGREGATION: Yea, and we are found false witnesses of God; because we have testified of God that he raised up Christ: whom he raised not up, if so be that the dead rise not.***

PASTOR: For if the dead rise not, then is not Christ raised: And if Christ be not raised, your faith is vain; ye are yet in your sins.

***CONGREGATION: Then they also which are fallen asleep in Christ are perished. If in this life only we have hope in Christ, we are of all men most miserable.***

PASTOR: But now is Christ risen from the dead, and become the firstfruits of them that slept.

***PASTOR AND CONGREGATION: : For since by man came death, by man came also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive.***

I Corinthians 15:3,4,12-22

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **April 24** -This Friday - Musical Zone Rally at Grand Gorge. Each church will be providing 1-2 musical numbers. *Make sure to attend!*
- **April 26** - Pastoral vote
- Be sure to check out our church web site for updates, bulletins, and pictures of recent church events.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

- Our sister church to pray for this week is **Tunkhannock, Pennsylvania**. At present there is no pastor.
- Margie Henderson, Neighbors **Jim** and **Yvonne**, the Millville church, Chris and family, Margo and family
- Recent requests for physical needs -
  - **Sarah Mincer** (in hospital), **Laura Newman** (Zanesville pastor's wife—recovery from nasal-sinus surgery), **Marion Vamosy** (surgery this Friday), **Pat Gleason**, **Lillian Jamison**, **Dean Hughes**, **Mary Braun** , **Howard Mickle** (and Bonita), **Pastor Dixon**, **John Tylutki**
- Recent requests from our Cobleskill church: **Yvonne**, **Julie**, **Laverne**, **Helen**, **Ralph**, **Kathleen**, **Genevieve**, and **Sharon**.
- Continue to pray for:
  - **Pastor Roger Ellers** , **Noreen**, **Doris Cook**, **David Rison**, **Marie Rooney**, **Nora Johnson**, **Keith Posson**, **Mark Vosburgh**, **Rosemary Snyder**.
  - Our **young people**, especially:
    - Lyndsay France
    - Seth and Isaac Owens (passport difficulties)
    - Keith Posson
  - The village of **Middleburgh**, that we will reach people with hungry hearts and have fruitful results in our ministry.
  - Our service personnel, especially **Wesley Lum**, **Jacob Eggleston**, **Donnie Gray**, and **Anthony & Joyce Willey**.
- Pray for our President, Congress, and Supreme Court, that they may make righteous choices.
- Please let us know of anyone who is ill, facing a time of hospitalization, or would like a home visit.

# Because He Lives

God sent His son, they called Him, Jesus;  
He came to love, heal and forgive;  
He lived and died to buy my pardon,  
An empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives!

## *Refrain*

Because He lives, I can face tomorrow,  
Because He lives, all fear is gone;  
Because I know He holds the future,  
And life is worth the living,  
Just because He lives!

How sweet to hold a newborn baby,  
And feel the pride and joy he gives;  
But greater still the calm assurance:  
This child can face uncertain days because Christ lives!

## *Refrain*

And then one day, I'll cross the river,  
I'll fight life's final war with pain;  
And then, as death gives way to vict'ry,  
I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He lives!

## *Refrain*

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## *Suggested Daily Scripture Reading*

	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>
OT	Joshua 19:1-20:9	Joshua 21:1-22:20	Joshua 22:21-23:16	Joshua 24:1-33
NT	Luke 19:28-48	Luke 20:1-16	Luke 20:27-47	Luke 21:1-28
PSA	Psalms 88:1-18	Psalms 89:1-13	Psalms 89:14-37	Psalms 89:38-52
PROV	Proverbs 19	Proverbs 20	Proverbs 21	Proverbs 22
	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>	
	Judges 1:1-2:9	Judges 2:10-3:31	Judges 4:1-5:31	
	Luke 21:29-22:13	Luke 22:14-34	Luke 22:35-53	
	Psalms 90:1-91:16	Psalms 92:1-93:5	Psalms 94:1-23	
	Proverbs 23	Proverbs 24	Proverbs 25	

*SERVICES — SUNDAY: Sunday School 10:00 AM, Morning Worship 11:00 AM, Cobleskill 4:00 PM, Evening 7:00 PM — WEDNESDAY: Midweek Service 7:00 PM — FRIDAY: Women's Meeting 10:00 AM*