Upcoming Events At A Glance:

Apr 5 6:30 pm Small Group Bible Study

Apr 11 6-8 pm Youth Group

Apr 12 6:30 pm Small Group Bible Study

Apr 15 6:30 pm One Board Meeting

Apr 19 6:30 pm Small Group Bible Study

Apr 19 Newsletter Items Due

Apr 26 6:30 pm Small Group Bible Study





Youth group will meet on the second Sunday evening of the month from 6-8 pm for all 7th-9th grade youth. If you have any questions, please contact Devin Martens, pastor Doug Carroll, or Kathy Sleezer.

<u>Did You Know?</u>: That on the 3rd Sunday of every month, St. John's (in Pearl City) offers a **free** community Grace Meal, beginning at 11:30 am. Due to COVID this is currently carryout only. You can call St. Johns at 443-2215 to reserve a meal for pickup. *Next Grace Meal: April 18th

<u>Those Who Serve</u> <u>Greeters</u> <u>Liturgist</u> <u>Sunday School</u>

*Until further notice we will not have regular greeters and readers.

Apr 4 Jason Barklow No Sunday School
Apr 11 Jason Barklow Melissa V.
Apr 18 Jason Barklow Melissa V.
Apr 25 Jason Barklow Melissa V.

Communion: Apr 4 (Pre-packaged) **Organist/Pianist:** Ann Pals



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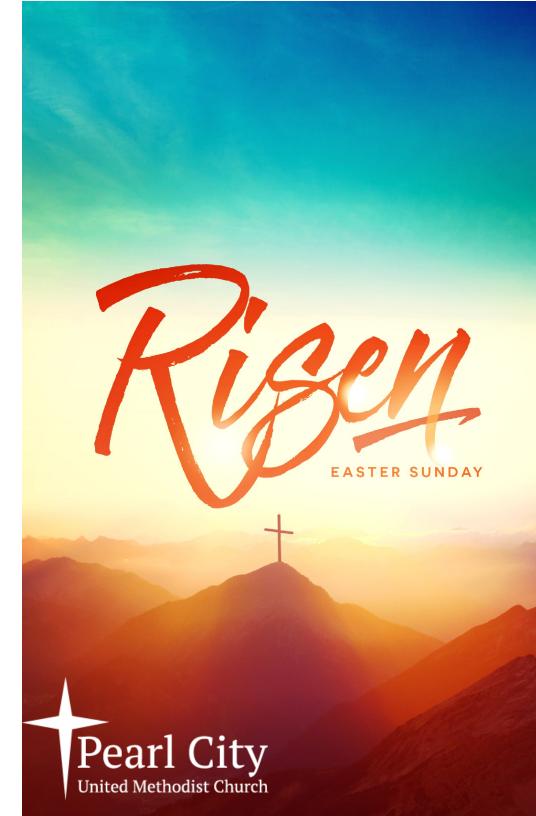
Pastor's email: carroll.douga@gmail.com

Church Office Hours: Thurs 10:30-3:30

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First United Methodist Church of Pearl City

Easter Sunday

April 4th, 2021

PRELUDE

WELCOME/ ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Christ is Risen!

People: Christ is risen indeed!

Leader: Our Lord has overcome the power of death,

People: In Christ we live forevermore! Leader: This is the Lord's doing;

People: It is a marvelous thing in our lives! Leader: This is the day that the Lord has made;

People: Let us rejoice and be glad in it! Leader: Let all God's people rejoice; **People:** Alleluia! Amen! Alleluia!

OPENING PRAYER

HYMN PRAISE "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" #302 vs 1-4

HYMN PRAISE "Up From the Grave He Arose" #322

• PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

• OFFERATORY PRAYER

• THE LORD"S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Corinthians 15:1-8

SERMON Why we celebrate "Resurrection Sunday."

-Pastor Doug Carroll

COMMUNION

CLOSING HYMN "Christ is Risen" #307

DISMISSAL AND BLESSING



Concerns:

Cody Hardy-20 yr old w/serious things going on in life, Bentley-3 yr old with cancer, doing better Kurt Mills-Phyllis's cousin— stage 4 cancer of appendix and is declining rapidly Julie Brady— knee surgery, is recovering Those affected by covid

Our Friends at Home:

Dorothy Willhite, Connie Brady, Marcelle Rosenstiel

Joys:

*Joys & Concerns/Prayer Requests: Please email all prayer requests/ joys to pearlcityumc@gmail.com and we will add them to our bulletin and they'll be included in our worship service.. These can be a prayer or even a joy! You can also leave a message on the Pearl City UMC answering machine at 815-443-2177. We also have a sheet on the table in the Narthex that you can add your joys/concerns to before the service begins.

The Easter Lilies at the Alter were sponsored by:

Sandy Kohl: in Memory of Gene Kohl

Reita Sheffey: (2) in Memory of Darrell Sheffey, & parents

Steve & Janis Sheffey:(2) in Memory of Darrell Sheffey, and in Honor of their parents, children & grandchildren.



Thank you to everyone who helped with the Resurrection Easter Egg Hunt. We had several adults and youth help and without them, we wouldn't have been able to pull it off!



Please Join Us! Small group/ Bible study to be held at Steve and Janis Sheffey's house on Monday nights from 6:30 -8:00 pm. Please bring a Bible and sermon notes.