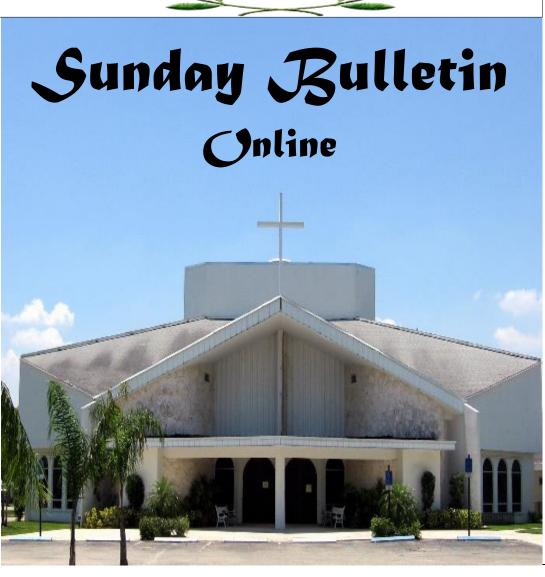
April 2, 2023 Palm Sunday





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10:30 AM Service

Live Stream Available

Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/CokesburyMargate

COKESBURY MISSION STATEMENT

"To shine the light of Jesus Christ in the local and global communities for God's glory."

Isaiah 60:1 and Matthew 5:14-16

COKESBURY VISION STATEMENT

"To be the good NEWS"

Nurture - Evangelize - Welcome - Serve (Worship)

(Monday is Pastor Joseph's day off; available for emergencies ONLY)

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Morning Devotions Tuesday through Friday at 8:00 am ZOOM*

Wednesday Bible Study 10:00 am (In-person) and 6:30 pm – ZOOM (Email Invitation) Every 2nd Wednesday - Small Group instead of 6:30 Bible Study **ZOOM (Email Invitation)**

Please read lesson fifteen prior to meeting

Wednesday Intercessors at 4:30 pm - Conference Call*

*Conference Call: 425-436-6397 then Access Code 252234 then #

SMALL GROUPS

Following are Groups with leaders' names, numbers, meeting times and methods of meeting. Please join one of our groups!

Norma Brandenburg/My Sisters

954-951-2154

First & Third Tuesdays at 2:00 pm in the Library

Linda Goedke/Leader

Chelsia Binns/Coordinator

954-914-6217

Second Wednesday of the Month at 6:30 pm via ZOOM

Joscelyn Richards/Patsy Watkins

Carlene Walden/Coordinator

240-556-3988

First Thursday of the Month at 6:30 pm via Conference Call*

Tim Murphy/Leader/Coordinator

954-675-9931 Every Friday at 6:30 pm via ZOOM

Young Adults – Third Sunday – 5:00 pm – ZOOM - Pastor Joseph

JOYS

Freedom to worship especially Holy Week

PRAYER REQUESTS

Victims of tornados in Mississippi

Families of victims of Nashville school shooting

Carlene Walden: For Stanley Moses, 97 years old in hospital with intestinal issues and for his family.

John Monico: For Walter Ross on the loss of his wife, Betty.

Cokesbury United Methodist Church

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Office Hours: Monday – Friday * 10:30 am – 4:30 pm

All the Members of the Congregation **Ministers:**

Reverend Joseph Kim **Senior Pastor: Acting Director of Music:** Norma Brandenburg

Worship Leader: Pat Uber

Secretary: Linda Goedke & Sharon Updegraff

Treasurer: Diane Witcofski **E-Ministry:** Tim Murphy **Custodian**: Phil Gough **Church Council Chair:** Ron Huffman

Trustee Co-Chairs: Ron Huffman & Don Goedke

Finance Chair: Don Cunningham

SPRC Co-Chairs: Chelsia Binns & Joscelyn Richard

WEEKLY OPERATIONAL EXPENSES FOR CUMC IS \$5,055.31

03/26/23 Deposit was **\$3,147.00** Tithes & Offerings

222.00 Designated

\$2,925.00 Operational

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PALM SUNDAY - APRIL 2nd, 2023

10:30 AM - COMBINED SERVICE

* Please stand as able

INTRO VIDEO

PROCESSIONAL TFWS 2031

"We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise"

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

* UM HYMN 277 – "Tell Me the Story of Jesus" (v. 1, 2, 3)

OPENING PRAYER

GLORIOUS DAY CANTATA

"Save Us"

"Our Eyes Have Seen the Glory"

--Cokesbury Singers

OFFERTORY TFWS 2070 - "He Is Exalted"

DOXOLOGY

OFFERING PRAYER

* SCRIPTURES: Luke 19:28-44

HOMILY: "This Is the Day"

HOLY COMMUNION

- * CLOSING HYMN 278 "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" (v. 1, 2, 3)
- * BENEDICTION
- * RECESSIONAL TFWS 2032 "My Life Is in You, Lord"

SUNDAY ANNOUNCEMENTS

April 2nd, 2023

Children and Youth meet **Sundays** 4:00-6:00 pm in Settle Hall. We still need a Part-time Youth Director.

Ladies Exercise Class meets Mondays and Thursdays at 10:00 am in Settle Hall.

Lent banks are available in the Narthex; please return them **Easter Sunday**.

The **Upper Room** for March/April is available in the narthex. They are no longer being paid for by our congregant who moved. \$1.00 for regular print and \$1.50 for large print. Thank you.

United Methodist Men will meet **Saturday**, **April 8**th at 9:00 am in Settle Hall for breakfast, meeting and a program. All men are welcome.

The Cokesbury Easter Egg Hunt is back! Saturday, April 8th at 10:00 am outside Lowe Chapel. Donations of small candy that will fit in a plastic egg are needed but **NO** chocolate! Please bring your donations to the church by Monday, April 3rd; as always, *Thank You.*

~~~~~HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE~~~~~~

Palm Sunday Service April 2nd at 10:30 am

Maundy Thursday April 6th Service at 7:00 pm

(Foot washing & Communion)

Good Friday Service

Easter Egg Hunt
Easter Sunday

April 7th at 7:00 pm

April 8th at 10:00 am – Lowe Chapel April 9th Sunrise Service at 7:00 am followed by a light breakfast in

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Service.

Remember to bring your Lent banks!

PLEASE JOIN US IN SETTLE HALL FOR REFRESHMENTS

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Movie Night will be **Friday**, **April 14**th at 6:00 pm in Settle Hall and ZOOM. We will be showing *Miracles from Heaven*. Bring snacks to share.

Wedding for Bettie and Wayne Sparks' grandson, Kyle and Melanie, **Saturday**, **April 15**th, in Miami. "Congratulations!"

The Sisters Group will meet Tuesday, April 18th at 2pm in the library.

Lunch Bunch will be **Tuesday**, **April 18**th at 12:30 pm in Settle Hall. Bring a dish to share and enjoy the fellowship! Everyone is welcome!

More Food Pantry Volunteers are needed especially on Wednesdays from 10:00 am - 1:00 pm to help bag produce. No training is required.

Our next **Food Pantry** drive-through giveaway is **Wednesday**, **April 12**th from 4:00 - 5:30 pm. (In accordance with Federal Civil Rights Law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Civil Rights Regulations and Policies, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex (including identity and sexual orientation) disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity.)

Cokesbury's Ten Commandments

- 1. Begin and end each day with personal, family, or Church morning devotion
- 2. Attend Sunday worship faithfully
- 3. Stay connected by joining a small group ministry
- 4. Grow spiritually by attending a Bible Study
- 5. Lead at least one person to Christ and to Cokesbury UMC
- 6. Give your offering and the full tithe with joyful hearts
- 7. Pray for the leaders of our church, community, and country
- 8. Be equipped for works of ministry and serve our church with humility and team spirit
- 9. Do all you can to help Cokesbury live out its mission now and to fulfill the vision God has given to us in the future.
- 10. Glorify God through your lifestyle.

Message of Salvation

Grace...Heaven is a free gift

"The wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord." (Romans 6:23) We cannot earn our way to heaven and none of us really deserve to go. It is a gift.

Man...We are all sinners

"All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." (Romans 3:23) Every person who has ever lived has missed God's standard of perfection.

God...He loves us

"God is love." (1 John 4:8) While God loves us and doesn't want to punish us, we should also know that he is a just God, He must punish sin. "The soul who sins shall die." (Ezekiel 18:4)

Christ...God balanced justice and love through His son Jesus

Jesus is the infinite God-man, God in the flesh. He died on the cross and rose from the dead to pay the penalty for our sins and to purchase a place for us in haven, which he offers as a free gift.

Faith...The gift of eternal life is received by faith.

Saving faith is not merely intellectual assent. It is trusting in Jesus Christ alone and what He has done rather than what we can do to get us into heaven. "...what must I do to be saved? Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you will be saved." (Acts 16:30b, 31) The Bible says, "Whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved." (Romans 10:13) You can do that now by simply praying, "Lord Jesus, I know that I am a sinner and do not deserve eternal life. But I believe You died and rose from the grave to purchase a place in heaven for me. Jesus, come into my life, forgive my sins, and save me. I am now placing my trust in You alone for my salvation and I accept your free gift of eternal life."

If you, having read this, trusted Jesus for eternal life, please let us know. We want to rejoice in what God has done in your life and help you grow spiritually.

Please contact: Pastor Joseph Kim