A stone tomb with a cross in the background

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March 31, 2024 – Easter Sunday

Carson City United Methodist Church

**March 31, 2024, EASTER Sunday**

**Call to Worship**

Greeting/Announcements

L: He is Risen!!

**P: He is Risen indeed!**

L: The darkness has been overcome. Jesus Christ has defeated our greatest fear, death.

**P: He is risen from the dead, and he is Lord of all, ALLELUIA!**

L: Let us shout our praises to the Lord!

**P: For God has given us eternal life! ALLELUIA! AMEN.**

L: Therefore now, there is no condemnation for those who believe in Christ Jesus.

**P: For the Spirit of God who raised Jesus from the dead is living in us, God who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to our mortal bodies because of his Spirit that lives in us.**

**\*HYMN:** Christ the Lord is Risen Today UMH 402

**\*Contemporary Song:** You Saved the Day (Phillips, Craig, and Dean)

**Opening Prayer: (unison)**

**Heavenly Father, as we celebrate the resurrection of your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ. Remind us Darkness does not win. Death is not victorious. Christ has Risen! Because Christ lives we too live. Let us truly be disciples of Jesus Christ as we live lives that witness to who you are. We ask these things in the name of our Risen Lord, Jesus Christ. AMEN.**

Offering

Doxology UMH 95

Offertory Prayer

Sharing of our Joys and Concerns

**Call to Prayer:** Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus UMH349

Pastoral Prayer/ Lord’s Prayer

GOSPEL: LUKE 24:1-12

OLD TESTAMENT: ISAIAH 53:10-12

EPISTLE LESSON: ACTS 2:25-28

Children sing: O Vicrtory

Children’s Church

**HYMN:** Easter People, Raise Your Voices UMH 304

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**\*HYMN:** Up From the Grave He Arose UMH 322

Benediction

**Carson City UMC – Announcements & Upcoming Events:**

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**Coffee Invite:** Join us for coffee after Sun Worship in our Hall.

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**Mom Group update:** Starting in April 2024 Mom Group will meet the first Thursday of every month instead of weekly.

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**Sweet Treat Sunday:** After worship services on Sun, Apr 21st. Bring your favorite treat and enjoy some fun and fellowship.

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**Noisy Sunday:** there will be a loose change offering collected to raise funds for the VBS program on Sun, Apr 28 during Worship Services. By collecting loose change, we can see the power of several little bits making up a whole lot. Let’s make some noise for Jesus.

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**Vacation Bible School:** Join the VBS team on Friday, April 5th in the Fellowship Hall for a fun time of making decorations for this summer’s VBS, SCUBA!

The dates for 2024 are Sun, Jul 14th through Thu, Jul 18th from 6:00 pm to 8:30 pm. There are helper sign-up sheets in our Lobby.

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A teapot pouring out of a cup

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Call Walthagaye @ 989-640-0238.

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VBS Bake Sale - May 12th

before, during, & after services.

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**Serving & Supporting - CCUMC**

Church Council Chair - Phil Krantz 616-734-2341

SPRC Chair - Ed Osborne 989-640-3039

Finance Chair – Aaron Esch 989-235-1200

Board of Trustees Chair – Joshua Severson 815-878-8925

Children’s Ministry – Roberta Kile 616-255-1275

Audio/Video: Pat Monroe 989-285-4134

**Prayer Request**

Dillan Abell, Cheryl Meyers, Amorena Newman-Wojciakowski, Miranda Selleck, Kathy Hodges, Hank Severson, Bill Heyden, Bob Conley, Beth Gardner, Carol Elliott, Leo McMillan

**Nursery Schedule - CCUMC**

3/31 Open but no supervision 4/7 Lauren Monroe

4/14 Arianna Esch 4/21 Alex Krantz

**For CCUMC**

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| **Weekly Attendance** | **Weekly**  **Giving** | **Date** |
| 44 | $1308.00 | 03/10 |
| 50 | $1978.00 | 03/17 |
| 75 | $1003.00 | 03/24 |

**Our Church in Ministry This Week - CCUMC**

Mon: P.T. Class 6:30 pm

Tue & Thu: COA Meal 10:00 am–2:00 pm

Tue: A.R.K. 3:00-5:00 pm



**THE BEAUTIFUL EASTER FLOWERS PURCHASED**

**IN HONOR, OR IN MEMORY OF A LOVED ONE**

Roberta Kile in memory of

Esther Mumby & Wally Kile

Larry & Elaine Nalett in memory of

Mother & Dad Nalett & sister Gloria

Judy Evitts in memory of

Bob & Virgina Brooks, John & Ruth Brooks, Bill & Ethel Durbin

Paula Flotka in memory of

George & Gertie



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Sunday Worship Service: 10:30 am

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9:00 am-12:00 pm

After hours by appointment

Pastor: Ian McDonald 906-322-5318

Administrative Assistant: Bonnie Seaman 989-763-1674



Weekly Sunday Bulletin now available on our website

at www.carsoncityumc.com

*“**Risen Jesus, thank You for coming and dying on the cross that I might have life eternal. I worship You”*

CCUMC Mission Statement

Disciples of JESUS CHRIST who are LOVED

by God, LOVING God, LOVING Others,

and SERVING this World.