

EAGLE GROVE & GOLDFIELD UMC

WE GATHER

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE AND BRINGING IN THE LIGHT

***CALLING OURSELVES TO WORSHIP**

L: Glorious God, this is indeed the day which you have made.

P. You cause new life to burst forth with beauty and fragrance.

L. You ordain the creation with splendor and grandeur.

P. We lift our voices to sing your praises. Help us to walk in the confidence of Christ's company, and look forward to the day when we will dine with him in glory.

L. Surround us now with the assurance of your Holy Spirit as we sing.

All: Alleluia, Christ is risen indeed!

***OPENING HYMN**

Easter People, Raise Your Voices

Red #304

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Lord of life and hope, we come to celebrate all that you are, and all that you do for us. Help us to realize that, with you, nothing is impossible and no situation is hopeless. This day, may we be in your presence as we worship. Almighty God, you who have sent Jesus into the world to suffer, die, and rise again for our sake, help us to experience your transforming resurrection power within our lives. We ask this in Jesus' name, the One who is forgiving. Amen.

WE PROCLAIM

SCRIPTURE FOR TODAY

1 John 3:16-24

REFLECTION

"How Shall We Live"

Lavonne Hoover

PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

SONG OF RESPONSE

I Love You, Lord (2 times)

Black #2068

WE RESPOND

We Give our Tithes, Offerings and Ourselves

*Doxology

Red #95

*Prayer of Dedication

Dear Lord, we are so thankful for all of your blessings that you give to us. Use our offerings to spread your love, and your ministries through us. Our offerings, through you, will show Your love to all. Amen.

WE GO FORTH

***CLOSING HYMN**

Living for Jesus

Black #2149

WE GO OUT INTO THE WORLD PRACTICE LOVE

***BENEDICTION**

***WE FOLLOW THE LIGHT**

Let There Be Peace on Earth

Red #431

Announcements

-Reminder that Dial A Devotion comes out with a new devotion every Tuesday. To call and listen to the devotions, call 515-448-3355.

-Newsletter is going out this Wednesday, so if you have anything, please get it to me (Amy) by Wednesday at noon.

-Humboldt UWF invites you to come see guest speaker Mel Schroeder for Guest Day, on Thursday, May 2. The program will be on Honor Flights. Program begins at 2pm in Morehouse Fellowship Hall and a dessert will be served. There will be an opportunity for you to contribute to Honor Flights. If you are interested in attending, please call the church office at 515-332-2083 or email cjroghair@yahoo.com by Thursday, April 25th. If you are so inclined, dress in Red, White & Blue.

-April 28th we will be celebrating the baptism of Cece Wilde, daughter of Jake and Maddie Wilde @ 11:30. This later time is to accommodate Pastor Luke's schedule coming from Fort Dodge. There will be fellowship time with coffee and treats following the 9:30 service for all.