# SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP April 28, 2024

Prelude Youth Bells "Amazing Grace" Lamb

Welcome & Announcements Alan Miller

Choral Call to Worship
"Let All the World in Every Corner Sing"

McCutchan

\*Invocation

\*Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, World without end. Amen, Amen.

\*Hymn of Praise 74
"O God Our Help in Ages Past"

ST. ANNE

Anthem Chancel Choir "To Love Our God" Hayes

Where does the wind come from? Where does it go?
Blowing north then south, how does it know?
The rain flows gently to the sea, yet the sea is never full.
How can these things be? How can they be?

Humanity works hard to make a name, Toiling in the sun, yet nothing gained. We all return to dust from whence we came. All is empty, all is vain.

To love our God, the reason we live;
To love our God, the highest call.
Nothing satisfies our soul, gives life meaning, makes us whole,
For this purpose we were made... to love our God!

Pastoral Prayer

\*Hymn of Faith 572

"I Love to Tell the Story"

COLEMAN

Dedication of Our Gifts Joan Hager

Offertory Danielle Scott & Martha Mikula "How Firm a Foundation" Pote

## RECEPTION FOR MARTHA MIKULA, SUN., MAY 5

In February, Martha Mikula announced that she will be stepping down as Director of Music this May.

In order to say thank you and to celebrate her 7 years of leadership and ministry among us, we will have a reception on May 5 in the Pine Room immediately following worship. Please make plans to join us for food, fellowship, and a time of celebration. We are thankful to God for Martha and her time leading us so well!

## **GRADUATE RECOGNITION - MAY 5**

If you know of a graduating High School Senior or College graduate, please let the church office know, 672-2996 or <a href="mailto:obc@obcva.org">obc@obcva.org</a>.

## CHILDREN'S CHOIR FOR MOTHER'S DAY - MAY 12

We would like to invite all children K-5<sup>th</sup> grade to be part of a special choir for Mother's Day. Children are encouraged to join the children's choir rehearsal after the children's sermon.

The regular 6 p.m. Wednesday night Children's Choir activities will continue in addition to these Sunday morning rehearsals.

We look forward to your children (or grandchildren) participating in this special music ministry!

## **YOUTH CHOIR TOUR**

On Thursday, June 6, 2024, we will have the pleasure of hosting a touring youth choir from Church of the Savior United Methodist in Cincinnati, OH. They will present a concert of choral and handbell music at Orange Baptist at 7:00 p.m. on June 6. Prior to the concert we will serve them a meal in the Pine Room. Following the concert, we need to provide housing for the 19 youth and 7 adult chaperones. If your family is able to assist in providing housing, please contact Betsy Smith either by e-mail or cell phone: besmith1276@gmail.com; 614-390-7080.

## PRAYER LIST

Concerns within church family:

Larry Lloyd

Karen Wheeler

Faye Coffey

Joe Kube

Carl & Janet Pendleton

Carolyn Rogers

Jim Cluff

Bob Reeves

Gene Wagner

Debbie Wiegel

Concerns

Kenny Pu

Berta Han

Cali Tolbo

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Mike Hen

Mary Lou

Cindy Bu

Michael I

Denny Pa

Kathryn Higginbotham Sharon Faerber

Bill Kling

Danielle Scott

Lovedy Papproth
Betty Coleman
Luther Dofflemoyer
Sibyl Johnson

Bertha Krise Erline Arthur Carolyn Tusing Bart Daniel

Ken & Betsy Daniel Emma Pugh

Larry Bowles

CBF Field Personnel:

Cindy & Eddy Ruble Greg & Sue Smith

 ${\bf Mission aries:}$ 

The Camp Family

## Concerns of friends & family:

Kenny Pugh
Berta Harris
Debbie Miller
Cali Tolbert
Mike Henderson
John Henry Ryder
Mary Lou Baker
Cindy Burke
Michael Daubert
Danny Patton
The Bomar Family of

St. Thomas Episcopal Church

Kathy Hale Sarah Rogers Carol Watson

Brooke Wheeler-Downing

Doris Haney
Aileen Green
Betty Olithint
Carl Phillips
Shenna Stoner
Keith Woodson
Meredith Cook
Barbara Muller
Jane Pratt
Zach McClung

Paul Williams III Jack Samuels Gene Dunniyan

Ivan Letner Iimmy Kestner

Darryl & Brenda Hutchinson

Daniel Lewis Debbie Soudek Jannie Willis

## **DEACONS**

Christina Bowles Amy Fitch Charles Horn Tom Reynolds Allan Wilson Katie Feagans Bill Hager Jeff Moubray Vicky Schafer \*Doxology 253

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Children's Sermon

Mary Beth Miller

Scripture

Acts 8:26-40

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Sermon

Alan Miller

Get Up and Go

\*Hymn of Commitment 501

"Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love"

CHEREPONI

Receiving of New Members

\*Benediction

\*Congregational Response

Share His love by telling what the Lord has done for you, Hare His love by sharing of your faith, And show the world that Jesus Christ is real to you every moment, every day.

\*Postlude

Danielle Scott

\*Please stand if able.

Hearing assist devices available in Vestibule.

## MINISTERING WITH YOU

Rev. Alan F. Miller, Pastor

Director of Music
Mrs. Martha Mikula
Accompanist
Ms. Danielle Scott
Chair of Deacons
Mr. Todd Feagans
Minister of Youth
Rev. Lindsay Wiles
Administrative Assistant
Mrs. Melinda Cunningham
Vice Chair of Deacons
Mr. Jonathan Wiles

**Unified Budget Receipts** 

\$ 3,594.00

In Person Attendance: 116

Contributions may be given online at www.obcva.org

Nursery: Kaitlin & Ben Hargett

May 5 – Caroline Baldwin and Kathy Kahlenberg Nursery is available for infants through 3-year olds.

## Wed., May 1: (Last One)

Dinner at 5:30 in Pine Room. (Fried Chicken)
Cost is \$5 per person.
Adult Bible Study (Pine Room) 6PM.
Youth Bells (Handbell Room) 6 PM.
Children's Choir (2<sup>nd</sup> floor Children's Choir Room) 6 PM.
Chancel Choir rehearsal, 7 PM.

We hope you were blessed during worship today. If you would like to learn more about our church and ministries visit our website at www.obcva.org.

If you have a prayer need or would like a deacon to reach out to you, please email <a href="mailto:deacons@obcva.org">deacons@obcva.org</a>.

Are you interested in learning more about becoming a member, or getting more involved at OBC? Please get in touch with me via the contact information below. I would love to talk about your part in our shared life and mission together!

– Alan Miller, Pastor

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FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER April 28, 2024