

St. John’s United Church of Christ

201 West Market Street Germantown, OH 45327

April 20th, 2025, 10:30AM

Easter

Liturgist: Pat Schaeff

Organist: Decker Jones

Pastor: Mark Anthony

Announcements

Lighting of the Candles

Welcome

Passing of the Peace

Prelude

Why Seek The Living Among the Dead?

***Call to Worship:**

Leader: Christ is risen from the dead!

People: Bestowing life upon those in the tombs and the grip of death!

Leader: Christ his risen!

People: Christ is Risen, Indeed! Alleluia

***Hymn**

Christ the Lord is Risen Today!

R216

Verses 1-4

***Opening Prayer**

Leader: Let us pray

All: Eternal, gracious God, through Christ you raised Life from Death, Hope from Despair, and Freedom from Fear. The night is over; the dawn appears. May love light our way to your presence. We ask this in Jesus, name. Amen.

Musical Offering

Rejoice, He is Alive!

Chancel Choir, Trumpet , Piano

Children’s Moment

Scripture

Ezekiel 36: 24-28/ Romans 6: 3-11

Luke 24: 1-12

Message

Empty Graves, Open Horizons

Mark Anthony

***Hymn**

Revelation Song

Gilead’s Grace

***The Offering**

***Initiation Rites**

Confirmation of Joyce Morris and Kevin Ousley

Baptism and Confirmation of Jared Morris

Communion (See Insert)

***Closing Hymn**

Crown Him With Many Crowns

R 234

Verses 1-2,4

***Dismissal with Blessing**

Postlude

Walk in Newness of Life

**All join us in standing as able*

<u>Calendar of Events:</u>			
Tuesday (04/22):	12-2PM	Food Pantry	Brombaugh Room
Thursday (04/24):	12-2PM	Food Pantry	Brombaugh Room
Tuesday (04/29):	12-2PM	Food Pantry	Brombaugh Room

Staff:

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Liturgist: Pat Schaeff

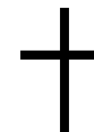
Special Music Group: Chancel Choir

Tech: Kendall Peters, Rich Miletic, DJ Truax,
Grace Gregor, Tom Weaver



*St. John's United Church of Christ is an
inclusive congregation where God's love
is felt by all, for all, and in all we do
through worship, mission and community.*

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