Mountainside
United Methodist Church
Connecting People with Jesus

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April 9, 2023 - Easter Sunday

Welcome

Prelude: Alex Seman

Call to Worship
God of life, through Jesus Christ you have bestowed upon the world the light of life.
Sanctify this new fire,
and grant that our hearts and minds may also be kindled with holy desire
to shine forth with the brightness of Christ's rising,
that we may attain to the feast of everlasting light;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Come as a Child

Affirmation of Faith
Creator God, how lovely is the dwelling you have made for us!
You who create all things, we gladly awaken in your presence.
You are our maker, our host, and our home.
Risen Christ, how lovely is your dwelling with us!
You invite us to feast at your table:
to be nourished by your teaching, to be healed by your grace,
and to share in this banquet of life
with all the other poor sinners of this world.
You who taught and healed, you who died and were raised,
you who are the Bread of Life, feed us with your presence,
fill us with your spirit, and lead us by your word.
We desire with all our heart and mind and strength
to die and live with you in the mystery of eternal life.
Holy Spirit, love of God, how lovely is your dwelling with us!
Wisdom of God, how gracious is your invitation to feast at your table.
You make of us one body, the Body of Christ.
God, we give our hearts to you, that by your grace
We may devote ourselves to lives of compassion, justice, and joy,
For the sake of the transformation of the world, in the name of Christ. Amen.

Song of Faith

Scripture Matthew 28:1-10

Message "Come and See, Go and Tell" Rev. Blaine Wimberly

Song of Faith

Generosity Moment

Offertory Prayer
Alleluia! Christ is risen! We, your Easter people, celebrate with amazement the gift of Jesus' resurrection. Our joy is unending! Today, we have received again the greatest gift that you have to offer: the gift of redemption and the promise of everlasting life. We renew our commitment to our faith. As a sign of our gratitude, we give generously of ourselves and of our possessions. May these gifts change ordinary lives into extraordinary life filled with the hope and promise of Easter. in the name of the RIsen One we pray. Amen.

Musical Response

Announcements
Joys and Concerns
Blessing of Food
Prayers of the People
Lord's Prayer

Song of Faith:

Benediction

Fellowship Time

Mountainside United Methodist Church

Mission

To make disciples of Jesus Christ
for the transformation
of our community and the world.

Vision

To be a thriving Christ-led people in the East Mountains, inviting all generations to a transforming experience of God's Grace.

WORSHIP + CONNECT + GROW + SERVE

Announcements / Calendar

Easter Egg Hunt & Breakfast

There will be an Easter Egg Hunt for the kids at 9:30 on Easter Sunday morning (NEXT WEEK). We need help hiding eggs and helping kids find them. We do NOT need candy .

We will also have a Grab-n-Go breakfast between services (8am-10:30) on Easter Sunday. There is a sign up sheet in the Narthex for food contributions and/or volunteers.

For more information contact Claudia Broadwater at *ceejay8700@gmail.com*.

CLOTHING DRIVE

We are having a clothing drive for the Four Corners Native American Ministry.
Please bring clean clothes sorted by Women, Men, and Children to the Welcome Center.
We will be gathering clothes, packing, and sorting at the church
from 10am to 2pm on April 29th.
If you would like to help please let Jane Leigh know: Jkj0902@gmail.com

Church Events

Monday, April 10
3:00 Tea with Christy on Zoom

Tuesday, April 11
9:00 Holy Yoga
6:00 Lent study (hybrid)

Wednesday, April 12
1:30-2:30 Line Dancing
5:00-7:00 Kids' Connection
6:00-7:00 Choir rehearsal

Easter Sunday, April 9

7:00 Sunrise service with communion in the outdoor chapel
8:00 *Come and go breakfast*
9:00 Live stream worship
9:30 Easter egg hunt
10:30 Worship in the sanctuary

Community Events

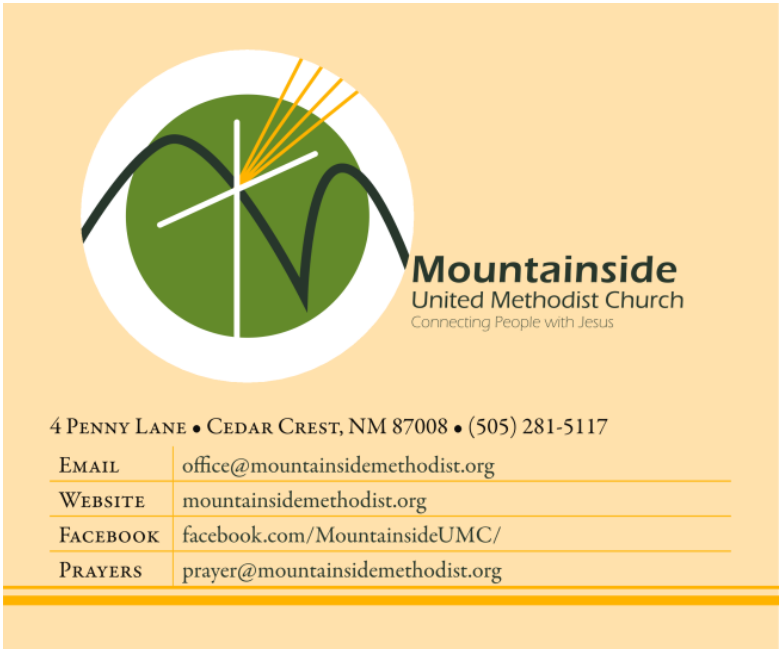
Twelve Step Groups

~AA Mon, Wed, Friday noon;
Tuesday and Friday 4:00 pm

Thursday, April 13
3:00 Tea with Christy on Zoom
5:00 Worship Committee on Zoom

~Al-Anon Friday 10:00 am

Fitness
~Zumba Monday, Thursday 9:00 am
~Dance Aerobics Wed 9:00 am
~Dance Fitness Friday 9:00 am
Upward Extend T,TH 5:30-7:30



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