

April 7, 2024
Second Sunday of Easter

Watchword for the Week – If we walk in the light as God is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus His Son cleanses us from all sin. 1 John 1:7

Welcome to our service of worship on this second Sunday in the season of Easter. Yes, that's right. Easter is not just a one-day celebration. It is a 49-day season of the church year. More importantly, the Good News of Easter - the resurrection of Jesus - is something we celebrate whenever and wherever we gather for worship. In our Risen Lord and Savior there is hope, joy, strength and power for living!

If you are visiting with us today we are especially glad you're here. Please take a moment to add your name, address and phone number to the blue Friendship Register as it is passed down the pew. We consider you an honored guest and hope you will return and worship with us often in the weeks to come. If you are looking for a church home – a place where you can share Christian fellowship, learn, serve and grow as a follower of Jesus – we would love to talk to you about joining the Friedberg church family.

Prelude *What a Day That Will Be* Hill

Welcome and Announcements

Hymn *To God Be the Glory* (Burg) # 56
(Children ages 4-2nd grade may leave for Children's Church)

Joys and Concerns

Quilt Dedications

Pastoral Prayer

Giving of Our Tithes and Offering

Prayer
Offertory *When In Our Music God is Glorified* Green
Doxology *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* (Blue) # 817

Holy Scripture John 20:19-31
1 Peter 1:3-9

Hymn *Christ Arose* (Burg) # 357

Sermon “A Living Hope”

Hymn *Sing Hallelujah, Praise the Lord* (Blue) # 543
(All three verses)

Benediction

Choral Amen

Postlude *Sunshine in My Soul* Sweeney

The flowers in the sanctuary today are in honor and loving memory of Earsley and Francis Mendenhall. They are given by their children, Susan and Charles and their families.

On Thursday, April 11 Senior Friends will travel to Salisbury for visits to the NC Transportation Museum and a shopping stop at Nazareth Thrift Store. Lunch will be at the Cracker Barrel in Salisbury. Buses will leave the lower parking lot at 10:00 am. Please contact Carol (bcknouse@yahoo.com 336-764-1353) to reserve your seat.

The Women's Fellowship will host a Chicken Pie take out supper and bake sale on Saturday, April 13, 2024, from 2:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. The plates will be \$12 and include chicken pie, green beans and corn, potato salad, cinnamon applesauce, roll, Moravian slaw and dessert. Ham biscuits will be available for \$2.00 each. There will be a variety of cakes and pies for sale too.

Members of Circle 2 are selling raffle tickets for a beautiful homemade quilt made by Paulette Taylor. Tickets are \$5.00 each or 2 tickets for \$8.00. The drawing for the quilt will be on Saturday, April 13 at the Takeout Chicken Pie plate supper and bake sale. Please see any member of Circle 2 to purchase a ticket.

All parents who have a child in Children's Church will be required to physically come down to the Children's Center on the first floor of the Family Life Center and sign their child out before they are released at the end of worship.

Sunday, April 7

9:15 a.m. Band Prelude
 9:25 a.m. Prayer Partners-Parlor
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 11:00 a.m. Worship/Livestream in the Sanctuary
 4:00 p.m. C.R.O.S.S. Kids
 4:30 p.m. Youth
 4:30 p.m. Chosen Bible Study at the home of Debbie James

Monday, April 8

6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts
 7:00 p.m. Joint Board Meeting followed by separate meetings
 7:00 p.m. C.E. Board Meeting
 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts

Tuesday, April 9

10:00 a.m. Circle 1-Discovery Class
 10:00 a.m. Circle5-Parlor
 6:00 p.m. Circle 3-Discovery Class
 6:30 p.m. Circle 4-MiCasa Restaurant

Wednesday, April 10

9:00 a.m. Chosen Bible Study at home of Lisa Jackson
 7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, April 11

9:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study
 10:00 a.m. Senior Friends Bus Tripp
 7:00 p.m. Men's Basketball
 7:00 p.m. Bethel Bible Study

Saturday, April 13

2:00 p.m. Take-out Chicken Pie Dinner & Bake Sale until 6:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 14

9:15 a.m. Band Prelude
 9:25 a.m. Prayer Partners-Parlor
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 11:00 a.m. Worship/Livestream in the Sanctuary
 4:00 p.m. C.R.O.S.S. Kids
 4:30 p.m. Chosen Bible Study at the home of Debbie James
 4:30 p.m. Youth

FRIEDBERG MORAVIAN CHURCH PRAYER CONCERNS

April 7, 2024

MEMBERS

Jo Brann	Pat Johnson	Isaiah Pennell
Sean Burchette	Robbie Joyce	Kolton Pennell
Neil Carter	Mark Kimel	Mary Lou Pitts
Phil Carter	Renee Kimel	Martha Plyler
Tim Conley	Lucille Leatherman	Marilyn Poorbaugh
Emily Essick	Yvonne Lemons	Renee Prevette
Jerry Evans	Amy Martin	Wanda Russell
Don Faust	Rebecca Mickey	Betty Sink
Debbie Fitts	Margaret Miller	Clay Sink
John Hauber, II	Ted Miller	Rory Smith
J.T. Hopkins	Bobby Myers	Jerry & Gail Tolley
Alvin Johnson	Reba Payne	Pat Watson

Family and Friends Prayer Concerns Submitted Since Last Sunday:
 Shirley Cardwell, Tammy Dalton, Joe Gates, Family of John Kimel, Brandy Larking, Rick Long, Liz May, Percy Snyder, Sheri Stone and Becky Vaughn

MEMBERS AND RELATIVES IN MILITARY

Dylan Coleman	Alex Kennedy	Jon Eric Spaar, Jr.
Ben Greeson	Patrick Mickey	Ryan Spach
Jennifer Greenwood	Daniel Randleman	Brandon Thompson
Dakota Holtzclaw	Colton Scott	Aidan Wheeler

MISSIONARIES AND MINISTRIES RECEIVING FINANCIAL SUPPORT FROM FRIEDBERG

ARMF (Armando Rusindo Mission Foundation)
 Safie Braima - Sierra Leone
 Charlie & Vicki Brent – CRU (Campus Crusade), Texas A & M University
 Michael and Brenda Brent – CRU (Campus Crusade), Croatia
 Anna Stewart Faircloth – Young Life
 Keith Graham - Cookies for Christ
 Dusty and Christin Harrison – Intervarsity, Clemson University
 Hoof and Paw Therapeutic Riding and Activity Center
 Phil III & Eunice Raiford, Commission to Every Nation (CTEN) - Mexico
 Michael and Ceci Tesh, Ray of Hope Orphanage – Kenya
 Friends of Moravian Prison Ministry
 Joey Yokely – Fellowship of Christian Athletes



Thomas was not with the disciples that night, so they told him what happened. He said that he needed to see the nail marks to believe it.

A week later they were together again in a locked room. Jesus came and stood among them again.

Use this code to fill in the blanks below.

= A	= E	= L	= O	= S	= V
= B	= G	= M	= P	= T	= Y
= D	= I	= N	= R	= U	

Jesus said to Thomas,

“ ”

”

“ ”

Thomas said,

“ ”

“ ! ”

Ages 7+

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Jesus Appears to His Disciples

On the evening of the first Easter, the disciples were locked in a room together, out of fear. What happened?

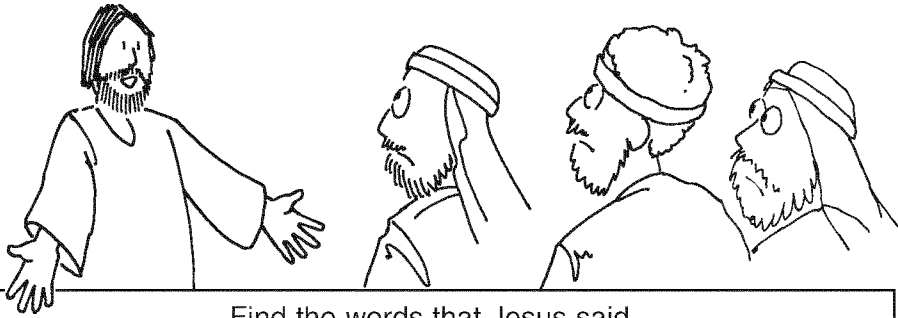
Fit the pieces into the puzzle to find what it was.

E					E
D					J
O					M.
A M		T	G	S	O
		D	A N	C	U
	THE	S	O N	A M	S



The Rev. Jim Newsome-Senior Pastor
 The Rev. Dan Nelson-Assoc. Pastor
 Karen Hill-Director of Youth Ministry
 Heidi Everhart-Director of Children's Ministry
 Debbie Foltz-Music Director
 Jimmie Snyder-Band Director

What did Jesus say?



Find the words that Jesus said.
Write the letter on the line that follows the one given in the alphabet.

“ O D **A** B D A D

V H S G X N T !

A R S G D E **A** S G D Q

G **A** R R D M S L D ,

H **A** L R D M C H M F

X N T .”

Write the name of each picture in the boxes.
The letters in the darker boxes will spell the answer.

Jesus breathed on the disciples and said,

“ _____ ”

