



Hope United Methodist Church

April 14, 2024

Reverend Jeff Rainwater

When Dreams Become Nightmares



SUNDAY, APRIL 14, 2024
10:00 A.M. WORSHIP

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

PRELUDE

My Shepherd Will Supply My Need Dale Wood
With High Delight (Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above) Kenneth Kosche
Cheryl Saborsky, CAGO, organist

WELCOME AND INVITATION INTO GOD'S PRESENCE

***PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Patti Ord

L: The world has been loud this week, calling to us, distracting us, luring us away from the path that leads us to God.

P: But we are here now, Lord. Silence the world around us so that we can hear your promises spoken in this place.

L: The things of this world rust and corrode and fall apart.

P: But God's promises are eternal.

L: Let us worship the Eternal One!

P: We will worship the God of eternity!

Liturgy adapted from Appalachian Preacher (Liturgy Inspired by Enough)

***OPENING HYMN**

Now Thank We All Our God

UMH 102

OPENING PRAYER

Written by Rev. Jeff Rainwater

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SPECIAL MUSIC

Who Am I

Mark Hall, Casting Crowns
Red Sea Youth Band

SCRIPTURE

Ecclesiastes 5:10 & Matthew 16:24-26

Patti Ord

MESSAGE

When Dreams Become Nightmares

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RESPONSIVE HYMN

Take Up Thy Cross

UMH 415

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

Neill Kipp

OFFERTORY

Who You Say I Am

Hillsong
Red Sea Youth Band

***DOXOLOGY**

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

UMH 94

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

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PRAYER CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CLOSING HYMN**

They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love

TFWS 2223

***BENEDICTION**

***MUSICAL BENEDICTION**

God Be with You til We Meet Again

UMH 672

POSTLUDE

This Joyful Eastertide

Kenneth Kosche
Cheryl Saborsky, CAGO, organist

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**AFTER
WORD**
online conversations about
sunday's message

Will be taking a three week break. Conversations will resume on May 6.

Please take your Easter Living Cross Photo from the display cabinet today.



Hope Chancel Bells are participating in the Handbell Festival Saturday, April 20, 3:00 p.m. at Littleton UMC



Earth Day Fair
Sunday, April 21
before and after worship

Bring in batteries,
eyeglasses, and
ink cartridges
for recycling.



Hope Scholarship and Award Applications are available on the website and must be submitted by next Sunday, April 21

Today's altar flowers are from Susan Hillegas in memory of Ollie Gooden.
Happy Birthday in Heaven.

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We would like to express our extreme
gratitude to those who help, before,
after and during worship.

We could not do this without you!

Coffee

Pam & John Hermon

Greeters

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Liturgist

Patti Ord

Ushers

Lead - Tom Vinsh Marvin Becker
Linda Brooks Chris Brooks Stan Hodgson
Phyllis Wicklund

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