



Believe in the Resurrection

The Order of Worship for April 12, 2026
SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER
10:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

SERVING THE CHURCH

- Preaching Rev. Dr. Robert Cook
- MusiciansDr. J. Frederick Davison, Brenda Slick
- Liturgist Debbie Young
- Acolyte
- Sunday School Teachers Racheal Marconi, Erin Herrmann
- Audio Video Tech Ben Herrmann
- Closer Paul Sauder

Plan to stay after Worship for the
GREENCASTLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
2026 ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING.

*Coffee & Fellowship will be in the Social Room,
hosted by Care Cell #3*

* *Please stand as able*

Centering Thought

*Jesus' willingness to accommodate Thomas' unbelief is
a reminder that God can handle our doubt.*

Welcome and Brief Announcements

The Prelude *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* Beethoven
arr. Victor Labenske from Higher Ground, Victor Labenske, Lillenas publishing
Brenda Slick, *piano*

*The Call to Worship

Leader: Gather us in, the brokenhearted and the joyful.

All: Gather us in, the weak and the strong.

Leader: Gather us in, the fearful and the brave.

All: Gather us in, the young and the old.

Leader: Gather us in, to sing of God's works.

All: Gather us in, to praise Jesus Christ.

Leader: Gather us in, to worship and wonder.

All: Gather us in, to know of God's love.

*Hymn #1 *Holy, Holy, Holy*

*The Prayer of Confession (Unison)

**Merciful God, we confess in a world so filled with
division and fear we find it hard to see with your eyes.
All too often we are drawn into arguments and pick
sides, we find ourselves fighting for our own cause and
do not always stop to think of your vision of our world.
We turn from those who are hurting and in need
because our own lives are too complicated or busy. We
cannot bear the burdens of the world and so we shelter
ourselves in our comfortable lives. Open our eyes to**

those you place in our path. Open our hearts to the needs of those around us. Open our minds to your call upon our lives. Renew us and empower us for the work of the kingdom through Christ our Lord, Amen.

*The Assurance of Pardon and Peace

Leader: Friends! Believe the good news! In Jesus Christ we are forgiven and set free to live the new life!

All Thanks be to God!

*The Gloria Patri #581

The Children's Time with Their Pastor

The Prayer for Illumination (unison)

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that as the Scriptures are read and your Word is shared, we may hear joyfully what you say to us today. Amen.

The First Scripture Reading

I Peter 1:3-12

Solo *Come to Jesus*

Fred Davison, *baritone*

Chris Rice, arr. Mark Hayes

Brenda Slick, *piano*

*The Gospel Reading

John 20:19-31

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord!

All: Thanks be to God!

The Message *Honest Doubt*

– Pastor Bob Cook

*Response to the Word The Apostles Creed

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*Prayer Hymn #443 *There is a Redeemer*

Joys, Cares and Concerns

The Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (unison)

*The Doxology

*The Dedication of Our Tithes and Our Lives

*The Closing Hymn #611 *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*

*The Blessing

The Postlude *He Is Exalted with Rejoice; the Lord is King
and All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* Twila Paris
arr. Lloyd Larson, from *Forever Exalted!* by Lloyd Larson, Lillenas publishing
Brenda Slick, piano

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, April 12 2nd Sunday of Easter

10:00 am **Worship** / ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING
Coffee Fellowship in the Social Room
Prayers for Great Conewago Presbyterian Church, Gettysburg

Tuesday, April 14

3:00 pm Mission Committee Meeting

Wednesday, April 15

9:00 am Greencastle-Antrim Food Pantry
9:00 am Prayer Group
6:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal
7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal
7:00 pm Ladies AA Meeting

Thursday, April 16

5:30 pm Board of Deacons Meeting

Saturday, April 18

11:00 am Property & Maintenance Meeting

Sunday, April 19 3rd Sunday of Easter

10:00 am **Worship** followed by Coffee Fellowship
Prayers for Lower Marsh Creek Presbyterian Church, Gettysburg
<https://carlislepby.org/calendar/>
2:00 pm Dementia Caregivers Meeting
5:30 pm Youth Group

PRAYER CONCERNS

June Marshall	John Stanton
Patti Sechrist	Leslie Moose
Alan Shope	Donna Bingaman
Tim Walck	Emmie White
Mindy Grosh	Terri Brust
Michael Paylor	Helen Taulbee
Kathy Kendall	Bonnie Speaks
Dan Patton	Cindy Widder
Bethany Yeager	Donna & Sarah Stillwagon
Penny Mohler	Carla Vickers
Cathy Thomas	Kevin Taulbee
Sue Lum	Brandon Fisher
Frank & Tracey Toston	Cora Crider
Sally Snyder	Kim Tartaglia
Chelsea White	Bill Heacox
Lynne Leap	Amanda Lain
Marvin & Nancy Rice	Steve Miller
David Myers	Julie Miller
Kenny Reed	Frank Custis
Todd Smith	Tinninis & Seidel families

Please keep **the Eberhardt family** in your prayers
as they grieve the loss of their daughter, Kate.

*This prayer list reflects our love and support for our church family.
Please submit or review names on the list to balance healing requests
with general community/member prayers. Thank you.*

YOUTH GROUP

I would like to thank all those involved with the clean-up and repair of the Youth Group room following the water leak. Our youth are blessed to have a congregation that values their space and worked diligently to restore it to its functional use. We appreciate all you did!

-- Colleen, YG Leader



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SAVE-THE-DATE

Saturday, May 16, 2026

1:00-3:00 p.m.

Tea Party Social

It takes a village

*Look forward to sharing and
counting our blessings.*

There is a sign-up sheet is
on the table outside
the Sanctuary.





Become Involved!

There are many other ways you can become involved with our Rainforest Falls Community Camp.



PRAY!!

Please pray for all of our planning efforts, and many hours of preparation behind the scenes.

Pray for the volunteers and staff that will be leading these precious children to a deeper walk with Jesus.

Most importantly, pray for the kids that will enter our church June 15-19.



Volunteer!

There are many areas of Community Camp that we will need your help! We will also need many hands prior to Community Camp week to help decorate/set up.

Donate!

We are collecting brown packing paper. See our Amazon wishlist for more ways to donate.

