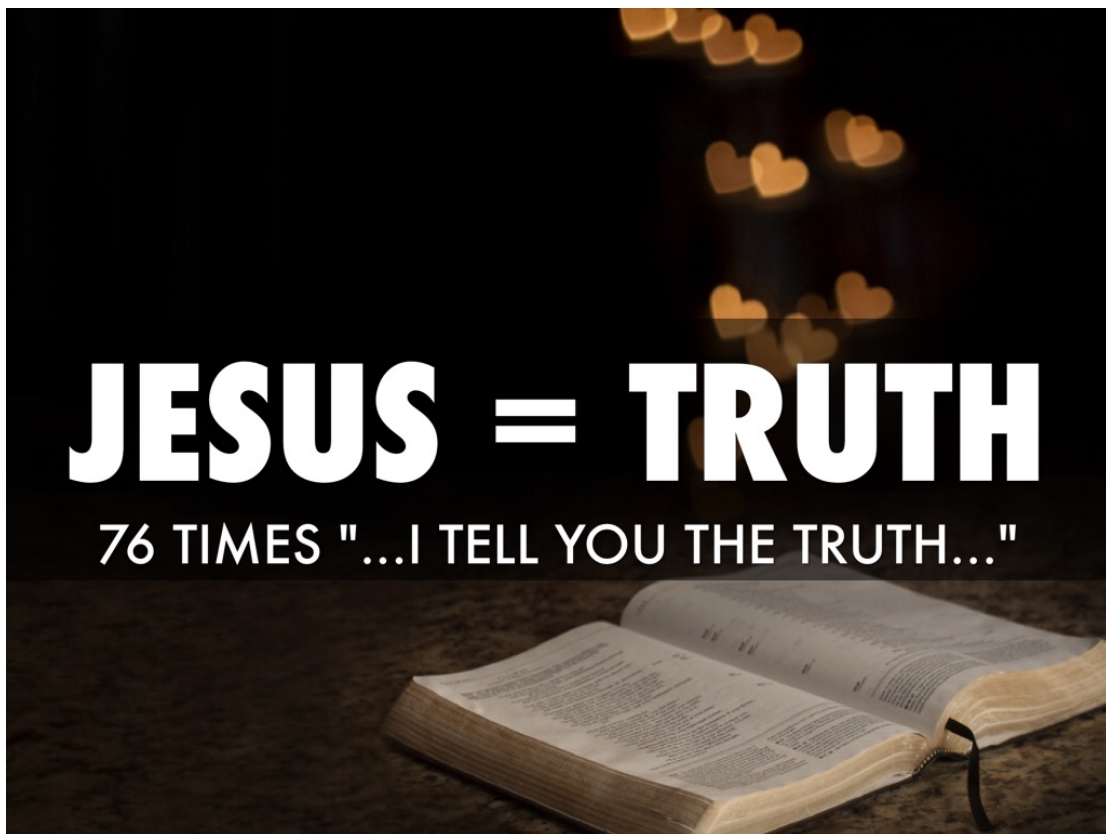


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And He said to them, "Go into all the world and proclaim the good news to the whole creation."  
Mark 16:15 NRSV



*The mission of Richardson Park United Methodist Church is to help people experience the amazing love of God and develop a vital relationship with Jesus Christ.*



Please stand, as you are able, for the Gospel Reading:

GOSPEL READING                      John 20:19-31                      Pastor Carolyn

CALL TO PRAYER                      "Close to Thee"                      UMH 407

Prayers of the People

Silent Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (in unison)                      UMH 895

THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY HYMN "O Sons and Daughters, Let Us Sing"                      UMH 317

Vs. 1,6-9

\*DOXOLOGY                      UMH 94

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;*

*Praise God all creatures here below: Alleluia, Alleluia!*

*Praise God the source of all our gifts!*

*Praise Jesus Christ whose power uplifts!*

*Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

MESSAGE                      "He's Not A Liar"                      Pastor Carolyn

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

Karen L. Collins

Donna L. Daniels

Clyde A. Nafzinger

George J. Przybylski, Jr.

Kimberly R. Przybylski

\*CLOSING HYMN                      "Christ Is Risen"                      UMH 307

\*BLESSING

\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE                      "Amen"

THE CHRIST LIGHT IS TAKEN INTO THE WORLD

POSTLUDE

Improvisation on *W ZLOBIE LEZY*

*The flowers on the altar this morning are given to the Glory of God and in honor of Ruth Gibney by Lynn and Bryant Lafferty.*

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **BOOK CLUB**

The Book Club will return to action on Wednesday, April 11 at 7 PM in the Lounge. The book for the April meeting will be "Kindred" by Octavia E. Butler. Please plan to join us!

### **TRUSTEES ATTIC CLEAN-OUT**

**Saturday, April 21 8 AM**

The Trustees would appreciate any help you can give them to get the attic cleaned out.

**SPRC meets today at 11:30 AM in the Lounge.**

## THIS WEEK

### **Sunday, April 8**

9:00 am Adult Sunday School – Lounge  
10:00 am UMW Unit Meeting - Lounge  
10:00 am Fellowship Time - Extension  
10:30 am Worship and Children's Church  
11:30 am SPRC Meeting - Lounge

### **Monday, April 9**

6:30 pm Girl Scout Troop 279 – Youth Room  
6:30 pm Girl Scout Troop 392 – Extension  
6:30 pm Boy/Cub Scouts 339 - Fellowship Hall

### **Tuesday, April 10**

8:00 pm AA Meeting – Fellowship Hall

### **Wednesday, April 11**

12:00 pm Ruth Circle - Lounge  
7:00 pm Book Club - Lounge

### **Thursday, April 12 Fellowship Hall Reserved**

9:00 am The Shoppe at RPUMC  
11:30 am Free Lunch Ministry  
6:30 pm Chancel Bells  
7:15 pm Chancel Choir  
8:15 pm AA Meeting – Fellowship Hall

### **Friday, April 13 Fellowship Hall Reserved**

10:00 am Disciple – St. James Episcopal

### **Saturday, April 14 Fellowship Hall Reserved**

12:00 pm Mad Hatter Tea

### **Sunday, April 15 Native American Sunday**

9:00 am Adult Sunday School – Lounge  
10:00 am Fellowship Time - Extension  
10:30 am Worship and Children's Church  
11:30 am Trustees Meeting – Lounge  
1:30 pm Memorial Service - Sanctuary



## PRAYER REQUESTS

J. Franklin and Patricia A. Pugh and family, Vincent Pugh and family, the Noss family, the Page family, the Prior family, Shirl Snapp and Greg and Maria and family, Janice and Bill Richards, the United States and Israel, Ben Fay, Joan Stadelman, Jim King, Barb Sayles, JoAnn and Sam Guidry, Joe Tucker, Jerry Toy, Charlene Workman, Jerry and Mike Paoli and families, Colleen, Randy, Olivia and Gillian Ide, Gregg, Joy and Abbi Ide, Shirley Davis, Beca Baird, James Baird, Kim, John, Nick and John III Sagrati, Tyler and Becky Heatwole and Niko, Allie Heatwole, Al, Rob and Liz Heatwole, John Sagrati Sr., homeless animals, Amy Gould and family, Bernie Nowell and family, Karen Messick and family, Lisa Pugliese and family, Sister Morgan, Connie Pondok, Sean Short and Kim, Jessica Etter and family, Felicia Etter and family, Adele, Daisy, Bev, Dave, Sandy, Sharon, Jennifer, Preston, Faith, Grace, Jim Smith, Barbara Rhea, Kathy and Richard Cravey, Valerie, Jeremy, Jenn, Sal, Cody, Glenda, the Przywara family, the Cathell family, the Norvel family, the Sisk family, Rose Davis, Joey Davis, families who have lost loved ones, April birthday celebrants, all children, Ed and Sandy Ide, our police, EMTs and firemen, all those protecting our country and for those lost and their families, Clyde, Debbie, Sara, William, Dot V., our Cub and Boy Scouts and our Girl Scout troops, Janis and family, Nancy and family, Roger and family, Dory, Emmett, Casey and Erin, Donna, Jeff and Makena, Steve and Susan, Aunt Maxine, Helen and Wilson, Penny, Andi, Bob, Donna, Charlene, Joan, Debbie, Karlyn, Frank, Ozzie and Ginny, Mike and Monica, Alvretta Crozier, Anna Mae Shewbrooks, Dot Scarborough, Scott Deaton and family, Marie Walker, Elizabeth Keeth, Susan and Ken Malone, Brenda Williams, Tamson and Constantin and Veronicka, Raven and family, Pat and Chris Rodenhiser, Walter and Jane Campbell, Gary and Jane Campbell, Beth and John, newborns, all who are ill and infirmed, Grant Rogers and family, Houston Rogers and family, military families, travel mercies, Glenda and Tony Donnelly and family, our government and jobs, peace on earth, Randy, Ann Hague, Susan Cribb, Albert Brown, Jim Peel, Kelly Hynson, Randy Comegys, Guy Campbell, Joyce, Beth, Lisa, Crissy, Amber, Ashley, Lori, Betty, Mary, Tabby, Heather, Darryl and Jeane, John and Donna, Gene and Tracy, justice, liberty, Barbara and Bob, Carole, Sami and Jim, Samantha and Leo, Pastor Carolyn, Pastor Bill, Yvette, Betty and Bob, Patty, Sue, Charlotte, Debbie and Debbie, Tami, Wende, Samena Krangar, Kawee Krangar, Christina Krangar, Alicia Krangar.

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### **SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**

Sunday School.....9:00 A.M.  
Fellowship Time.....10:00 A.M.  
Worship and Children's Church.....10:30 A.M.  
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### **SERVING TODAY**

**LAY READER**  
**FLOWERS**  
**GREETERS**

Ryan Warfel  
Rebekah Circle  
Mary Alice Bair and  
Neal Davis

**MINISTERS**  
**PASTOR**  
**DIRECTOR, MUSIC MINISTRY**  
**LAY LEADER**  
**ACOLYTES**

Everyone  
Carolyn Williams  
Donald H. McFarland  
Kathy A. Rogers  
Emmett Swanson and  
Emma Warfel

**SECRETARY**

Harriet-Ann van Boven

**Worship Attendance 4/1**  
**Sunday School 4/1**

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The first services were held under a large tree in 1907 at the corner of Belmont Avenue and DuPont Road. The first church building was completed in 1908 at Glenrich Avenue and Eureka Street. The church relocated to its current location in 1926, and the present sanctuary was built in 1950. Richardson Park United Methodist Church has had a long and distinguished ministry in the community dedicated to producing fruit that is pleasing to the Lord. This tradition continues today.



## SPECIAL MOTHER'S DAY CAMPAIGN

This year on Mother's Day, May 13, RPUMC will honor our mothers and other important women in our lives. If you would like to make a contribution, please fill out the form below and return it to the church office by Sunday, April 29. Your special person will be honored in our May 13 Worship Bulletin.

This year, RPUMC will contribute all donations to our two Girl Scout Programs, Scout Troop 279 and Scout Troop 392. Please make your check payable to RPUMC and specify "Girl Scout Programs."

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### Special Mother's Day Campaign

I/we \_\_\_\_\_ honor the following women:

In honor of: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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In memory of: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Amount of Contribution: \$ \_\_\_\_\_