Broad Street United Methodist Church

May 4, 2025

Third Sunday of Easter

Welcome! We are happy you are here today.

The order of worship is found in this bulletin.

*Indicates congregation stands, if able.

PRELUDE Linda McCardell

GREETING/ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Temaris

*CALL TO WORSHIP (read responsively) Pastor Temaris

Christ is risen.

Christ is risen indeed!

Risen Christ, you come to us, hidden and unrecognized, and you bless us.

We greet you with awe and wonder.

You give us your gifts, and nourish our souls.

We welcome you with gratitude and joy.

You give us the spirit of your peace, and call us to love.

We serve you with faith and hope. Alleluia!

unfoldinglight.net/2022/04/03/3rd-sunday-of-easter

*HYMN **Amazing Grace** UHM 378

OPENING PRAYER (pray together)

Cindy Borgstrom

Almighty God, through your only Son you overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life. Grant that we who celebrate our Lord's resurrection, by the renewing of your Spirit, arise from the death of sin to the life of righteousness; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

HYMN Majesty UMH 176

WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GOD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (pray together)

Cindy Borgstrom

Almighty God, through your only Son you overcame death and opened to us the light of eternity. Enlighten our minds and kindle our hearts with the presence of your Spirit, that we may hear your words of comfort and challenge in the reading of the scriptures, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*PSALTER Psalm 30(led by Doug Papp) UMH 762

SCRIPTURE LESSON John 21: 1-9 Doug Papp

When We All Get to Heaven

UMH 701

WE OFFER OUR PRAYERS TO GOD

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE (pray responsively)

Cindy Borgstrom

Joining our hearts and minds in prayer, let us call on the name of the Lord, saying:

Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for Pastor Temaris and all leaders in our Church. May they be continually inspired to open the Scriptures and reveal the Good News of the resurrection. Lord, hear us.

Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for our political and civic leaders. May they selflessly strive to address the concerns of those for whom they are responsible. Lord, hear us.

Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for those who do not trust in God. May they be filled with the presence of the risen Christ in this Easter season. Lord, hear us.

Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for our faith community. As we gather to share the Eucharist, may we, like the first disciples, recognize Jesus in both the Word and the breaking of bread. Lord, hear us.

Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for all in the congregation and the community who are sick and for all who have asked for our prayers. We pray for the recently deceased and for those whose anniversaries we recall at this time. May they rejoice in the fullness of life that was promised to them as faithful followers of Jesus. Lord, hear us.

Lord, hear our prayer.

Now let us pray for our own needs and those of others dear to our hearts.	
We pray for	Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.
Merciful God, as we lift these prayers to you, we thank you for your blessings and ask you to	
continue being a source of joy for us through Christ, our Lord. AMEN.	
WE CELEBRATE HOLY COMMUNION INVITATION UMH 12	

CONFESSION and PARDON
THE PEACE
OFFERING

OFFERTORY HYMN Bless Thou the Gifts UMH 587
*DOXOLOGY UMH 95

* OFFERTORY PRAYER Pastor Temaris

Gracious God, like the disciples who followed Jesus and cast their nets, we come before you today offering what we have. Take these gifts, bless them, and use them to bring abundance where there is need, just as you filled the disciples' nets with fish. May our offerings be multiplied to serve local and global communities in miraculous ways. In the name of Christ, we pray. Amen davidsbell.org/offertory-prayers/

*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

UMH 15

*THE LORD'S PRAYER

UMH 895

*BREAKING THE BREAD

*GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

WE SCATTER TO SERVE CHRIST IN THE WORLD

*HYMN Come Thou Fount UMH 400

*WORDS OF BLESSINGS (pray together)

Pastor Temaris

Let us go from this place, casting the net of God's love wide. May we live our lives with the compassion and care of the one who includes all, the one who breathed the creation into being and looked around and declared it good. Very, very good. Go in peace to do likewise.

Written by Sally Johnson, United Methodist Creation Justice Movement

CLOSING CHORUS

Sent Forth By God's Blessing

UMH 664

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Communion Offering

Camden Neighborhood Center



Please remember our families and friends in prayer

Evelyn Kraft, Shirley Woolman, Carolyn Shinn, Tony Hoffman, Linda Hoffman, Kristen Godfrey, Bobbie Kroh, John Venditti, Bryon Wright, Travis Montone, Zachary Montone, Rosemarie Serlenga, Dana Painter, Sue Graves, Jim Graves

Requests for inclusion on the prayer list, removal from the list, or to have a name remain on the list longer than two weeks can be emailed to:

office@broadstumc.org or placed in the offering plate.

Please continue to pray for those on the prayer list in previous weeks.

Planning head... mark your calendars

Sunday School for Children & Adults - 9:45 AM

Sunday Worship - 11:00 AM (September - mid-June)

Thursdays - 7 PM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal in Lucas Hall

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