

Driftless Ministries

April 5, 2026

EASTER Sunday

Pastor - Sandy Conrad

(* Indicates to stand)

PRELUDE Tom Baker (RET/NH), Janna Thew (LP)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER OF PREPARATION:

Almighty God, through Jesus Christ You overcame death and opened for us the gate of everlasting life. Grant that we, who celebrate the day of our Lord's resurrection, may, by the renewing of Your Spirit, arise from the death of sin to the life of righteousness, through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

***HYMN #302** *Christ the Lord is Risen Today* all verses

***CALL TO WORSHIP: (Psalm 118)**

L: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!

P: We bless You from the house of the Lord.

L: The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.

P: This is the day which the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it!

***OPENING PRAYER:**

Dear heavenly Father, we ask You now to give us Your Holy Spirit and to give it continuously, that it may strengthen our faith and focus our trust in You alone. Turn us toward You, we pray. Do not allow us to hide from You. Show us how glorious You are and how glorious it is to trust in You. Let our faith in the glorious resurrection of Jesus shine strongly in us every day. Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest! Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING: *Luke 8:1-3; John 20:11-18*

***HYMN #70** **GLORIA PATRI**

***HYMN #314** *In The Garden* vs. 1 & 2

MESSAGE **The Eyewitness**
Rev. Sandy Conrad

***MUSICAL REFLECTION: #186** *Alleluia* (sing first verse twice)

SHARING OF JOYS & CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

HYMN #310 *He Lives* all verses

BENEDICTION:

HYMN TO TAKE WITH YOU

HYMN #672 *God Be with You Til We Meet Again*

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Mon.: 9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.; **Tues.:** 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.;

Wed.: 9:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.; **Thur.:** Visitations; **F - S OFF**

ON THE CALENDAR

Tuesday: Executive Committee Meeting

Wednesday: Wednesday Warriors, 3:30 - 5 p.m. @ New Hope

Food Pantry Open, 5 – 6:30 p.m. @ New Hope

Thursday: Food Pantry Open, 9 - 11 a.m. @ New Hope

Sunday: Communion Sunday

Fellowship Time, 9 a.m. @ Retreat

New Hope Board Meeting, 11:30 a.m.