

**Intercessions**

**Birthdays**

Anne Galindo, Sue Cohen, Julia Gagnet, Avery Puffenberger, Caroline Ashton, Linda Fravel, Bennett Puffenberger

**Anniversaries**

Dewayne & Jennifer Perry  
Donald & Linda Baumgartner

**Prayers**

Matthew B., Rick Mueller, Jeny Mazza, Leslie Milauc, Marty Wendler

**Hospitalized**

Steve Ashton

**Continued Care**

John Adam Tallman,  
Joyce Willard, Rachel Small, Mary Sabin, Mike Waggoner

**Military**

Captain Matthew Swiergosz, Sgt. Valerie Warren, Sgt. Jason Warren,  
Pvt. Max Elliott, SSGT Sean Stuart, LCpl Will Kenyon, TSgt Kenney Dupre, A1C Gage Graham

**Service Ministers**

**Rector:** The Rev. Dr. J. Paul Board

**Christian Education Director:** Jennifer Vasquez

**Director of Music:** Brad Cresswell

**Organist:** Jane Weber

**Guest Musicians:** St. Paul's Chimes Choir

**Livestream Engineer:** Bekah Vasquez

**Lectors:** Marty Baker 8AM, Steve McNally 10AM

**Chalice Bearer:** Marty Baker 8AM, Lori Board 10AM

**Altar Guild:** Michele Alexander, Sue Cohen, Stephanie Mattoni, Renee Small

**Ushers:** Dorton Family 8AM, Sachs Family 10AM

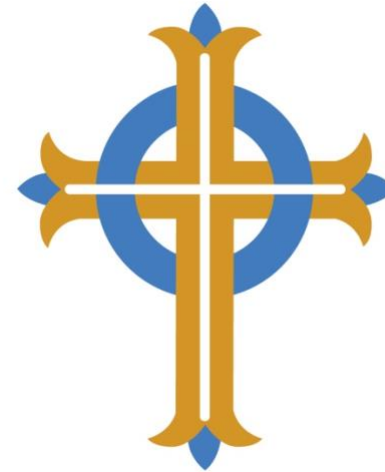
**Altar Flowers**

In memory of Mr. & Mrs. Willis Hazard and Mr. & Mrs. Albert Cassidy by Dave & Dru Hazard.

**Chancel Flowers**

In loving memory of Hal Shafer by Rosalie, Kathy, & Terri.

Given in loving memory of the birth anniversary of Trish Barker by Courtney Byrne.



Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
April 16, 2023  
Second Sunday of Easter  
8AM & 10AM

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## Order of Service for April 16, 2023

Prelude: This Joyful Eastertide arr. Jan Bender

### The Word of God

Processional: That Easter Day with Joy was Bright	H193 (vs. 1-3,5)
Salutation	BCP 355
Gloria	S280
The Collect	Insert
First Lesson: Acts 2:14a, 22-32	Insert
Psalms 16	Insert
Second Lesson: 1 Peter 1:3-9	Insert
Sequence: My Faith Looks Up to Thee	H691
Gospel: John 20:19-31	Insert
Sermon	The Rev. Dr. J. Paul Board
Nicene Creed	BCP 358
Prayers of the People	Insert
The Confession of Sin	BCP 360
The Peace	
Announcements	

### The Great Thanksgiving

Offertory: Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring	J.S. Bach, chimes choir
Eucharistic Prayer A	BCP 361
Sanctus	S125
The Lord's Prayer	BCP 364
Breaking of the Bread	S154
Communion	R155, R200, R238
The Post Communion Prayer	BCP 365
The Blessing	
Recessional: We Walk by Faith, and Not by Sight	H209
Dismissal	
Postlude: Come Ye Faithful, Raise the Strains	arr. Wilbur Held

## Announcements

### Maumee Churches United Earth Day Cleanup

Join Maumee Churches United, with support from Partners for Clean Streams, as a "citizen scientist" to clean up trash along the Maumee River on Earth Day.

### Diocese of Ohio Bishop Ordination

The Reverend Anne B. Jolly will be ordained and consecrated as a Bishop in the one holy catholic and Apostolic Church, and Bishop Coadjutor of The Episcopal Diocese of Ohio. The ordination will occur on Saturday, April 29, 2023, at 11:00 AM. It will be held at the Cleveland Public Auditorium in Cleveland, OH. There will be a reception to follow.

### Vacation Bible School

Registration for Vacation Bible School is officially open! Visit the church website to sign your child up for the summer. VBS will run from June 19-23. There is no cost, just lots to learn!

### Under One Roof – LPGA Event

Under One Roof has been selected by the Dana Open LPGA Committee as one of this year's charities to benefit from the tournament's proceeds. The 39th Annual Open will be held on July 10-16, at High Meadows Golf Club in Sylvania, OH. Advanced tickets will be available from now until June 30. To attend the event, and for ticket information, please visit the church website.

### Christian Education:

**Adult Education:** Join us tomorrow at 8PM on Zoom as we extend our series, "Easter Stories with John Dominic Crossan." To prepare, please watch Crossan's Lecture titled "The Execution of Jesus." The link is available on the website or by contacting Jennifer V. All are welcome, even if you don't have a chance to watch the video.

**Godly Play** for children aged 3 through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade meets after Communion in the Tower Room.

**Youth classes:** All youth (grades 3-12) are invited to Sunday School from 11:15-11:45 for our series, "Holy Troublemakers and Unconventional Saints." Grab your coffee hour snacks and join us in the Skylight Room.

## Prayers of the People Honoring God in Creation

### Form 1

*Deacon or other Leader*

Blessed God, whose love calls the whole creation into covenant with you, and who puts in our hands responsibility for the care of the earth and its creatures: we pray for all to whom you have given life and being, saying, “Merciful God, keep your planet and people in peace.”

For the well-being of the earth; for its resources of water, air, light, and soil, that they may be tended for the good of all creatures, we pray:

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