

April 4, 2023

## IN OUR HOUSE

### **\*7:00PM Thursday, April 6 Maundy Thursday**

We will share the Last Supper. This service will be in-person only.

### **\*12:00 Noon Friday, April 7 Good Friday**

This will be a solemn service of reading and reflection. This service will be streamed only; available on the website from noon on Friday through Saturday.

**\*10:00AM Sunday, April 9 Festival of the Resurrection! Easter Sunday** In addition of a brass quintet to our worship experience and the Sanctuary will be graced with the spring flowers given in memory and honor of our loved ones.

Our celebrations will include the



### **The Easter Offering**

The beneficiaries of the Easter Offering will be refugees and asylum seekers here and abroad. The Presbyterian Church USA and American Baptist Churches USA are active in efforts to help refugees and asylum seekers. A generous match of \$500 from the Steeple Coffeehouse will be made to the congregation's contribution. You may use the Easter envelope in your offering box, envelopes in the pews, with Easter Offering noted, or make checks payable to UCF with Easter Offering on the memo line.

## COMING UP AT UCF!

### **\*Saturday, April 8 Steeple Coffee House -Doors Open at 7:00PM**

The Cadleys will be at the Steeple Coffee House for their CD release event of their latest work, "I Never Knew". This is going to be an amazing evening of music with special guests Nick Piccinini on Fiddle and Roger Williams on Dobro along with John Dancks on Bass, Perry Cleaveland on Mandolin and vocals, Cathy Cadley on guitar and vocals and John Cadley on guitar and vocals. This CD has already won a SAMMY and is a great work of music! With all of this amazing talent, I can only say that you really do want to get here early. We will have the doors open at 7:00 with the show starting at 7:30PM. We are expecting a big turnout!!!

Suggested donation is \$20.00/person which includes all offered beverages and a dessert.



Because we are expecting a larger audience, we would appreciate baked goods that are hand held...cookies, bars, brownies. They are easily served and freeze better. Please let Kathy Z, 315.440.2715; [kez1938@gmail.com](mailto:kez1938@gmail.com) know if you can provide treats!

### **\*10:00AM Sunday, April 23 Special Earth Day Service**

**\*3:00PM Sunday, April 30 Spring Pops Concert – Beneficiary for *Interfaith Works (IFW) Refugee Resettlement***

UCF is proud to partner with the Syracuse University Brass Ensemble and Interfaith Works of Central New York to raise funds for its refugee resettlement program. The Pops Concert will include such pieces as: Widor's *Toccata*, Billy Joel's *Billy the Kid*, *Star Trek*, Alan Menken's *Tangled* and *Ghostbusters* among others. A free-will offering will be taken.



**YOU CAN HELP SPREAD THE WORD!** Attached to this email is a poster for the concert. Please email it to friends and neighbors. You might also post it on your Facebook page. Enhance UCF's visibility.

**Concert Volunteers Needed**

Before the concert we need volunteers to: remove things off the chancel (1:00 ish), replace things back on the chancel (4:00 ish), assist in our parking lot (2:15 ish) and again at 4:15 ish, and ushering, 2:30 - 3:15. You can sign up on the board in the church hallway, or contact Julie H.

**NEW LIFE IN FAITH AND NEW LIFE IN THE EARTH SEND PICS!!!**



*Lenten rose at Steven and Andrea L.'s*

We have been watching heaven and earth for signs of new life. Send pics from your gardens. We will share in our Easter week email.

**THIS WEEK'S THANKS**

- \*March 25 Coffee House Bakers: Arlee C., Linda E., Andrea L., Janet P., Mary Jane W.
- \*Dick and Shirley A. for Memorial Garden Spring Clean-Up
- \*Gloria M. for all her work from afar, creating and communicating information for the community about our worship and ministry (especially Holy Week and Easter), and advertising for the Spring Pops Concert
- \*From the Lynn and Doug S.:

*Dear Linda, Members of the Board, Staff and Congregation: Our sincere thanks for all you do to answer the Lord's call, in our church, community and world. Thank you for the cards, visits, treats, and especially for your prayers. We find much joy and comfort in them/through them and your friendship. Happy Spring! Happy Easter! May the Lord keep you in his care! Love and hugs, Lynn and Doug S.*

**THIS WEEK'S CONCERNS**

- \*Continuing war in Eastern Europe