

We Welcome You To

SPICELAND FRIENDS CHURCH

April 21, 2024

Good Shepherd, in you I have everything I need. Thank you for guiding me along the path of life.

PRELUDE Connie Brown, Pianist

WELCOME Sandi Swann

* WORSHIP IN SONG

"He Is Lord" – #34

"Seek Ye First" – #713

Hayley Painter, Song Leader

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

CHILDREN'S STORY Amanda Judge

All children will be worshipping with us until after the children's story. Preschoolers are invited to go to Jr. Church with Josie Weber downstairs. Children (grades 1-5) may go with Jessica Noteboom to the Family Center. Nursery is available for parents with babies or toddlers.

SHARING OUR HEARTS

PASTORAL PRAYER

SCRIPTURE Debra Weber

Exodus 3:1-6

MESSAGE Sid Martin

"What Do You See?"

COMMUNION AFTER THE MANNER OF FRIENDS

"I am sending you to them to open their eyes and turn them from darkness to light, and from the power of Satan to God, so that they may receive forgiveness of sins and a place among those who are sanctified by faith in me." *Acts 26:17b-18*

* SONG OF DEDICATION #562

"Be Thou My Vision"

* BENEDICTION Sid Martin

* POSTLUDE #633

"Open Our Eyes, Lord"

* All who are able may stand

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

TODAY – We welcome **Sid & Barb Martin** to our service. Sid was pastor at Spiceland Friends from 1990 to 2002. They currently live outside of Centerville.

MONDAY – DEADLINE FOR MAY NEWSLETTER ARTICLES – 9:00 a.m.

MONDAY – WALKING GROUP – 10:00 a.m. in the Family Center.

WEDNESDAY – WALKING GROUP – 10:00 a.m. in the Family Center.

THURSDAY – COMMUNICATIONS & PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE – 9:30 a.m. Fold newsletters in the Family Center.

THURSDAY – BIBLE STUDY – 11:00 a.m. in the Mary M. Room.
Nancy Wadman will be leading a study of the book, *Resilient*, by John Eldredge. Books are available for \$15.

THURSDAY – There will be no CROCHET GROUP this week.

NEXT SUNDAY – **Eric Bowman** will be preaching on "Therefore Ye are Born." Scripture – 1 Peter 2:2.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you have a **Prayer Concern or Celebration** that you would like to share, please fill out, sign, and date a green card found in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. You may pick up a sheet listing Prayer Concerns in the Welcome Center or at the west door.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Continued)

A **Baby Dedication** will be held on Mother's Day Sunday, May 12. See **Eric Bowman** if you are interested in having a baby or young child dedicated at our Mother's Day service.

Graduate Recognition Sunday will be May 19. Graduate information needs to be turned in to **Nancy Wadman** by Sunday, **April 28**. There are forms on the table in the Welcome Center.

Upper Rooms – The May/June devotionals are available in both regular and large print in the Welcome Center.

Scripture readers are needed for the month of May. There is a sign-up sheet in the Welcome Center.

199 Years and Counting: In celebration of the Easter season, Spiceland Friends presented the play, "The Last Supper." The cast of characters included Tom Pyle, Pastor Sid Martin, Bob Wills, Scott Phillips, Mike Bryson, Ed Bryson, Paul Weber, James Putnam, Mike Van Osdol, Lee Stacy, Cory Owens, Jacob Pyle, and Shane Neal. The play was presented in the church sanctuary in 1997.

Life Lifter to Share: "But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint." *Isaiah 40:31*



Happy Birthday to: Rachel Heindl, Randy Clapp, April 22; Hayley Painter, April 23; Megan Chandler, Don Rutledge, May 25; Pam Pyle, Emmett Noteboom (5th), April 26; Angela Speer, April 28.

Happy Anniversary to: Ron & Sandy White, April 21.

Greeters: Jane Rose and Marilyn Pew

Ministry Coordinator: Nancy Wadman

Communications Coordinator: Lisa Knotts



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"Remove the sandals

from your feet,

for the place on which

you are standing

is holy ground."

Exodus 3:5, NRSV



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Morning Worship – 10:30 A.M.

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