

Hope United Methodist Church

Sunday, May 8, 2016
Seventh Sunday of Easter
Mother's Day
Liturgical Color is White

We gather as God's people to turn to the Lord.

Prelude *Sara Jo Steinbraker*

Welcome and Announcements *Rev. Kermit Shrawder*
Sharing of Joys and Prayer Concerns

+Call to Worship in Song: "Surely the Presence of the Lord" UMH 328

+Call to Worship in Word:

L: But your loyal love, Lord, extends to the skies; your faithfulness reaches the clouds.

P: Your righteousness is like the strongest mountains; your justice is like the deepest sea.

L: Extend your faithful love to those who know you;

P: extend your righteousness to those whose heart is right.

----Psalm 36: 5-10

Mother's Day Recognition *Linda Heape*

+The Hymn of Praise "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" UMH 381

+The Affirmation of Faith UMH 881

Opening Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

+Hymn of Praise "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" UMH 384

+The Responsive Reading Psalm 97 UMH 816

+The Gloria Patri UMH 70

Music Ministry "Thank you, Lord, for Your Blessings" *Sara Jo Steinbraker
Art Whetstone*

The Presentation of Our Offerings

+Scripture Lesson

Epistle: Revelation 22: 12-14, 16-17, 230-21

Pew Bible 241

L: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

P: Thanks be to God.

Message "He Will Wipe Away Every Tear" *Rev. Kermit Shrawder*

+The Hymn of Response "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" UMH 382

+The Benediction

+The Doxology

+Postlude *Sara Jo Steinbraker, Pianist*

Enter to Worship – Depart to Serve

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Lectionary Readings: Week of May 9- May 15, 2016

Acts 2: 1-21

Romans 8: 14-17

Psalm 104: 24-34

John 14: 8-17 (25-27)

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Please welcome Rev. Kermit Shrawder (wife, Mary) who will be at New Hope during my medical leave. If there are pastoral concerns, Rev. Shrawder may be reached at: shrawderk@yahoo.com or by phone: 347-6778

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Prayer Concerns

Please keep the following people in prayer: Kaylie Abstance; Frances Black; Sallie Boone; Terry Boone; Cecil Carter; Rev. Boyd Chewning; Lynn Cooper (dtr Thomas & Heneritta); Lotasha Corly (friend of Metts)) Bentley Ellis; Mary Nell Fairey; Lee Farmer; Buddy Hawkins; Linda Heape; Richard Freshwater and Earl Grooms (cousins of Linda's) Clarence Higginbotham; Kim Gordon; Nikki M'Latamou; Mary Murden; Rose Myers; Gilbert O'Cain; Wesley Patrick; Paula Patterson; Phyllis Pendarvis; Jim Steinbraker; Frank Tourville, Jr.; Willie Mae Walker; Janie Wannamaker; Sandra Wannamaker; Shane Weeks; Eleanor West; Betty Whetsell; Sandra Whetsell; Sue Whetstone.

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