

Second Sunday of Easter

April 12, 2026

This Service is Live-streamed

Text prayer requests to 307-429-0339

Prelude

Morning Prayer

Risen Christ, you meet us along the road of our lives, listening to our fears and questions with patience and grace. Open the scriptures to us, and set our hearts on fire with hope and understanding. Open our eyes to recognize you in life's everyday moments and in one another. Send us out renewed and eager to share the good news that you are alive and present among us. Amen.

Welcome

*Call to Worship:

Leader: We gather as travelers on the road.

People: We come with questions, hopes, and unfinished stories.

Leader: Christ walks beside us, even when we do not recognize him.

People: Our hearts stir as the story unfolds to us.

Leader: At the table, our eyes are opened.

People: Let us worship the risen Christ who travels with us.

*Hymn: *Christ Has Risen* #2115 (FWS)

*Hymn: *In Christ Alone* #3105 (W&S)

Invitation to Prayer Text prayers to 307-429-0339

Sharing the Prayers of God's People

Silent Prayer

Lord's Prayer (using "sins")

*Hymn: *Breath* #3112 (W&S)

Expressions of Discipleship

Offertory:

*Doxology #94 (UMH)

*Community Prayer

God of the journey, we offer these gifts in gratitude for your constant presence. Use what we share to open hearts, foster community, and reveal your love. May our giving reflect lives transformed by encountering the risen Christ. Amen.

Time with the Children

Scripture Reading: John 20:19-31

A Witness: Take Notice

*Hymn: *Mighty to Save* #3038(W&S)

Benediction

Postlude

*Please stand as you are comfortable.
Assisted Listening Devices Available

Those Serving Today

Liturgist: Wendy Justice

Ushers: Karen Bloodsworth & Steve Magnuson

Presentation: Mike Bloodsworth

Soundboard: Rollie Hein

Streaming: Kamari Barth

Offering Team: Cyndi Clements &

Kathy Winkelmann

Music Leader: Larisa Barth

Fellowship: Men's Group

Nursery: Kimberly Hein

Church Bell Ringer: Kamari Barth

Announcements

Pastor Jim's cell # (307) 751-8945

If you are a guest, welcome! Please fill out one of our Guest Forms and place it on the offering plate.

Pastor Jim's Schedule: Personal vacation from **April 13–19** to rest and enjoy Sabbath. Later in the month, Pastor Jim will attend the Wyoming District Gathering in Casper, Wyoming, from **April 23–25**, joining clergy and lay leaders from across the district for worship, connection, and shared discernment. Thank you for your prayers and support.

Evangelism Mission Team: Meeting today, Sunday, April 12th at 10:30 am in the Mini Kitchen. Meeting to discuss the various projects under their leadership and update their plans for our church.

UWF May Meeting: Ladies, we normally would have our UWF unit meeting on May 6th, but the Presbyterian ladies would like us to visit them on that day. It's a great opportunity to get to visit with women from another church! More info coming later. Save the date!

Bell Tower Ringers Needed: We are seeking volunteers to ring the church bell at the beginning of worship services. You can sign up on the Welcome Table or reach out to the church office if you're interested.

Here's What's Happening This Week:

4/13 - Nothing Scheduled

4/14 - **9:00 am** The Closet Open

4/15 - **10:00 am** Acupuncture Clinic

11:00 am Upper Room Bible Study

12:30 pm Circle 5

4/16 - 4/18 Nothing Scheduled

4/19- **9:30 am** Worship Service

Happy Birthday

John Knepper 4/14, Jackie Jolovich 4/15,

Vera Olson 4/15, Ryker Zuniga 4/18,

Sadie Ritterbush 4/19

Happy Anniversary

Billy & Casey Taylor 4/19

February 2026 Financial Numbers:

Feb Income \$13,562

Feb Expenses \$15,670

YTD Income \$29,583

YTD Expenses \$29,249

Endowment Book Value \$37,366

Endowment Market Value \$47,750