



Along the Way with Jesus
Easter Sunday Meditation
Matthew 28:1-20

Sermon Summary: Believing in the resurrection of Jesus is the key to all of Christianity.

1. You may have about Jesus, but have you him?
2. People will still believe the resurrection never happened, and that's the devil's only .
3. Even can be and can make

Is it time for you to be a disciple or is it time for you to make disciples?

Welcome to Hopewell!

We are sincerely pleased that you joined us in worshipping God and Jesus Christ today. If you have any questions, please ask! Nursery facilities are available for young children during the worship service. The nursery is located along the south side of the sanctuary.

This Week

Upcoming Events

Hopenstone Youth Group
NO YOUTH GROUP

WiFi Password: hopewellmc

April 20, 2025

Welcome!
Hopewell Mennonite Church

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"HOPE is what we DO"



Worship: 10:30 AM

Elder Team: Pat Bechtel, Marty Gaff, Greg Dunham

Pastor: Joel Short

A Congregation of Mennonite Church USA

*Please stand if you are able

April 20, 2025

Easter 2025: Along the Way with Jesus

Gathering in Jesus' Name

*Worship Music

Welcome: Pat Bechtel – Worship Leader

(Please sign the Welcome Pad and, if visiting, please include your address)

Call to Worship: From Psalm 118

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures forever.

People: The Lord is our strength and our might, and has become our salvation.

Leader: The Stone that the builders rejected has become the chief Cornerstone.

ALL: This is the Lord's doing! Christ is risen! He is risen indeed!

Prayer

Praise and Prayer

*Worship Music

Congregational Prayer

Hearing God's Word

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Song

Into the World in Jesus' Name

Announcements

*Benediction

*Sending Song: "God Calls Us"

(Leader) God calls us to be followers of Christ (echo)
and by the Spirit's pow'r
grow as communities of grace, joy and peace
so that God's healing and hope
flow through us into the world

Praises & Prayer Requests

* Peace in our world

* Joyce Miller

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* Sister Church – Cornerstone

**Sharing Praises and Prayer Requests:

1. Be brief
2. Be appropriate
3. Keep it local (personal)
4. Give your name
5. Get permission if sharing about someone else

Birthdays & Anniversaries

April 29 – Kendra Comstock

May 1 – Andrew Dykstra

Announcements

Attendance Last Sunday - 29

Offering Last Sunday - \$700

- Hopewell is taking bids for mowing and care of the cemetery grounds. Responsibilities include mowing, trimming, seeding and watering new graves as needed, some fertilizer and/or mole control as needed. Please submit bids by April 12th to Mike Birky, 750 S Baums Bridge Rd, Kouts, IN 46347, 219-712-8347.
- **Free books** on the kitchen counter. Feel free to take as many as you like.
- Hopewell is now using Instant Church Directory, a mobile app and online directory. Install the mobile app from the Google Play Store (Android) or Apple App Store (iPhone) and check your contact information, as well as upload a photo. For help, talk to Joel Short.
- The Food Bank of NW Indiana's Mobile Market will be serving residents of Lake & Porter County on Tuesday, April 29, 11 a.m., at St. Helen Church in Hebron, 302 Madison Street.