

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 11, 2025

WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS CONGREGATIONAL GREETING

PRELUDE “*With High Delight Let Us Unite*” arr. John Leavitt

* OPENING RESPONSE

L: As a mother comforts her child

A: God will comfort us.

L: As a mother nourishes her baby at her breast

A: God will nourish us, giving us all we need.

L: As a mother selflessly sacrifices for her child

A: God continually gives to us ...without measure, with great cost.

*OPENING PRAYER (in unison)

Compassionate and caring God, who comes to us and watches over us like a loving mother, for your creative and creating energy, we give you thanks. For your laboring in love for us, we give you thanks. For the shelter of your wings which protects and caresses us, we give you thanks. For feeding us and pushing us to take our first steps, we thank you. For your forgiving heart which never condemns us, we give you thanks. Day by day may we grow in likeness of you. Year by year may we grow in holy wisdom. In this hour may we feel you near as you hold us in your arms. Amen.

***HYMN** “*The Lord’s My Shepherd*” UMH #138

GATHERING SONG “*Where Children Belong*” TFWS #2233
CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

JOYS AND CONCERNS & MORNING PRAYER

LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

ANTHEM “*The King of Love My Shepherd Is*” arr. John Ness Beck

***DOXOLOGY** “*Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*” UMH #95

***HYMN** “*Near to The Heart of God*” UMH #472

***SCRIPTURE LESSON** Luke 1: 26-38 Pew Bible NT page 69

SONG “*Let It Be*”

When I find myself in times of trouble. Mother Mary comes to me, speaking words of wisdom, Let It Be. And in my hour of darkness She is standing right in front of me, speaking words of wisdom, Let It Be. Let It Be, Let It Be, Let It Be, whisper words of wisdom Let It Be.

HOMILY

Rev. Tom Wall

***HYMN** “*Savior Like A Shepherd Lead Us*” UMH #381

*BENEDICTION

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** “*Go Now in Peace*” Don Besig and Nancy Price
Go now in peace. Never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of every day. Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true. Know He will guide you in all you do. Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see. God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.

***THE POSTLUDE** “*God Be With You Till We Meet Again*” arr. Daniel L. Gibby
Cayce UMC Handbells

*Please remain seated for the Postlude-Thank you.

*(congregation standing as able)

ACOLYTE

Lyza Sellers

TRUSTEE OF THE MONTH

Steve Wichmann

AV TECH

Elliot Bridges
Dylan Bridges

Nursery Helper

Jane Wall

USHERS

Diane Rollison
Ben Taylor

**THIS WEEK AT CAYCE UMC
COMMITTEE MEETINGS
AND EVENTS**

May 12

6:00 pm SPRC

May 13

6:00 pm Trustees

May 15

11:00 am Missions

6:45 pm Young Adults
at Republic Biergarten



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*Parents, please accompany your child if they leave the worship area during the service.

****Offering envelopes are available in the pews for your use.**

CAYCE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Reverend Tom Wall, Pastor

Mrs. Debbie McDonald, Pastoral Assistant

Ms. Camille Jones, Director of Music Ministries

Ms. Kathryn Williams, Hand Bell Choir Director

Mrs. Cynthia Hutchison, Office Administrator

Mrs. Ashley Wise, Nursery Coordinator

Rev. Sam Harmon, Pastor Emeritus

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The mission of
Cayce United Methodist Church
is to change lives and transform communities
for Christ.

9:30 am Sunday School

10:30 am Worship



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WELCOME GUESTS

We are pleased to have you as our guests today at Cayce United Methodist Church. If you are looking for a church home, please see the pastor following the worship service. If you need assistance, please see one of our ushers.

ALTAR FLOWERS

Altar flowers available on Sundays in May 2025

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Jay & Cathy Coker in honor of their daughter, Mary Alice, on her May 14th birthday and by Keith & Sabrina Williams in honor of our Spiritual Life Group.

May 25 - one vase

If you would like to donate flowers, please contact the church office at 803-794-3200 or email us at cayceumcoffice@gmail.com.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOW!

SENIOR ADULT LUNCHEON

There will be a lunch picnic for the Senior Adults on **Thursday, May 29th, at 1200 pm** in Chambers Hall. The menu will be hot dogs, hamburgers with all the fixings/sides and desserts. Their will be live music for our entertainment. The cost will be \$10.00 per person and must be paid when signing up. Money may be placed in a box with the sign up sheet or in the offering plate. If paying by check, please make check payable to the church with “Adult Luncheon” in the memo. **If you plan to attend, please sign up outside the church office by March 25th.** Come enjoy fun and great fellowship!

IN ATTENDANCE

April 27	May 4
Sunday School.....47	Sunday School.....54
Worship.....66	Worship.....62
Online.....253	Online.....304

ONLINE GIVING

We are pleased to inform you that our church now offers a convenient QR code option. By simply scanning this code using your phone's camera, you will be directed to our church giving website.





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THANK YOU

Dear Pastor Tom, Debbie, Cynthia, Camille and Church Family, Our hearts are full of love and gratitude for all the love, comfort, support and many acts of kindness you extended during Mom's declining health and since her passing. Thank you so, so much for everything. Mom loved each and every one of you and we do, too.

Marilyn, Owen, Jr, Jeanette
And all The Livingston Family



HEALTH/HYGIENE KITS

The Ecuador Mission team is collecting items for health/hygiene kits that are given out in its health clinic. Soap, wash cloths, sun tan lotion, tooth brushes, tooth paste, floss, body lotion are solicited. There is a box/basket near the church office.

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ATTENTION GRADUATES

Graduation Sunday will be **May 18th**, when our graduates will be recognized during our worship service. If you are a **2025 graduate**, please notify the church office with your name and graduating school.

