

April 7, 2024
Second Sunday of Easter
North Warren Presbyterian Church
Reverend Burfoot S. Ward, III, Pastor
Cathy Peterson, Pianist

*"We trust God's Spirit to work in us,
through our words and deeds,
wherever we are."*

Prelude

Register Attendance

Please sign the friendship register located in the pew rack, your name only if you attend regularly, completely if you are new or visiting.

Announcements

Call to Worship "YOUR REASONABLE SERVICE" No. 679
(read responsively)

***Hymn** "Rejoice, the Lord Is King" No. 370

*Invocation

*Prayer of Confession

Mighty God, whose Son Jesus broke the bonds of death and scattered the power of darkness: forgive us by your marvelous mercy, arm us with such faith in Him that, facing evil and death, we may overcome as he overcame, Jesus Christ, our hope and our redeemer. Amen.

*Words of Assurance

Gloria Patri p. 813

***Offering Response** "Doxology" p.815

*Offering Prayer

Children's Message Rev. Ward

Scripture Lesson John 20:19-31 p. 1686

Sermon "Unlocking the Doors" Rev. Ward

Joys and Concerns

***Hymn** "I Know Whom I Have Believed" No. 527

*Benediction

Postlude

*Those Who Are Able, Please Stand
We welcome all who have come to worship with us.
We pray that this service will be a blessing to you.



Lay Leader today is Susan Stout.

Ushers/Greeters for today are Gloria Lindell and Marcia McKown.

Video/Sound Booth operator is to be announced.

Nursery worker is Amanda Knopf.

The Sanctuary flowers today are given by Amy Ransom in memory of Sandy and Julie Ransom.

The Easter Banners are from the Flower Committee to praise Christ our Redeemer.

After Church Coffee hosts for today are Denny and Chris McClellan. Take a few moments to stop down in Fellowship Hall and enjoy some conversation and refreshments.

Looking Ahead

Monday, April 8 - 2 - 4 pm *Total Solar Eclipse*

Wednesday, April 10 - 6:30 pm Qadosh Practices in bell room

Thursday, April 11 - 12:30 pm Ladies Prayer Luncheon meets in Fellowship Hall. All women are invited. Please bring a sandwich; dessert and coffee provided.

Sunday, April 14 - 9:30 am Sunday School for all ages
11:00 am Sunday Worship Service

Monday, April 15 - 10:00 am Women's Bible Study in the series on Psalms will meet in Fellowship Hall, #5 - "When Scars Become Beauty Marks."

Tuesday, April 16 - 7:00 pm P.F.I.E. Committee meets upstairs

Wednesday, April 17 - 6:30 pm Qadosh Practices in bell room

Sunday, April 21 - 9:30 am Sunday School for all ages
11:00 am Sunday Worship Service
6:00 pm Session meets in Fellowship Hall

Offering plates are located at the entrances to the sanctuary. Please place your tithes and offerings in the plates on your way in or out of the service. You can give electronically by downloading the app, going to our website, or snapping the QR code on the front cover and clicking on the “Donate Now” button on the first page. Our new invitation code is **TB43VX**. THANK-YOU!

North Warren “Trash and Treasure” will take place this year on April 27th. The Boy Scouts of Troop 13 will be holding a yard sale in the Dave Clark Pavilion with the proceeds going to the North Warren Community Playground. If you would like to donate items for the sale, you can drop them off any day at the church and place them in the youth room (please no clothes).

Sermon Outline for April 7, 2024

Rev. Ward

TITLE: *“Unlocking the Doors”*

TEXT: John 20:19-31

I. Introduction: On the _____ of the first _____, the _____ were meeting _____ locked _____.

II. _____ presence _____ the _____ of _____.

III. Jesus _____ a _____ that will _____.

IV. Jesus accepts _____ as _____.

V. Jesus wants to lead you to new life in Him by . . .

“ _____ !”