

# First United Methodist Church 610 E 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue Miller. SD 57362



Pastor Teresa Whetsel 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter

Collin Otteson, Organist April 19, 2020

Through Thomas the disciple, I learn that questions and even doubt can be stepping-stones to deeper faith.

#### **Welcome and Announcements**

- If you are watching from home, please comment to let us know you are with us. It is the only means we have to track worship "attendance".
- Please also comment with your prayer requests.

# **Centering Time**

### **Prayer Song:**

[sing to the tune of Amazing Grace...
if you aren't comfortable singing it, you can say it]

Into your care, we offer now, our worries, fears and strife.
We turn to you and know you're near—Your light, our love and life.

**Prepare our Place of Worship** – Light your candles and place your worry stones by them.

**Hymn:** "He Has Made Me Glad" TFWS #2270

**Break Bread** – You are invited to have breakfast/brunch or a snack. We will bless the meal and eat together.

**Breaking Open the Word with Scripture:** Acts 2: 24-28

Psalm 16: 5-11 John 20: 19-22 **Message:** "With Glad Hearts"

# Offering:

 Offerings can be mailed in, dropped off at the church office, or you can set up automatic giving. Just see Dawn or Gail at Quoin Bank-no matter which bank you use.

# **Doxology:**

#### **Offertory Prayer:**

Gracious God of Light and Hope: We bring our offering to you this morning, still riding the joy of our Easter celebration of your triumph over the grave! Scripture has reminded us that even in these days we can have peace, for you are with us; our hearts can be glad, for you will conquer all. Silent in the realization of these priceless gifts, we offer ourselves to make this good news known to those who have not yet heard the good news. With praise and thanksgiving, we dedicate these gifts. In Christ's name, we pray. Amen.

### **Breaking Open our Lives with Discussion**

# **Breaking Open our Hearts with Prayer**

#### PRAISE GOD!

**Hymn:** "Let Our Earth be Peaceful" W&S 3159

**Have Goodwill** 

**Benediction** 

The risen Christ appears among us — despite our locked hearts, our fears, our attempts to hide — and says, "Peace."



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