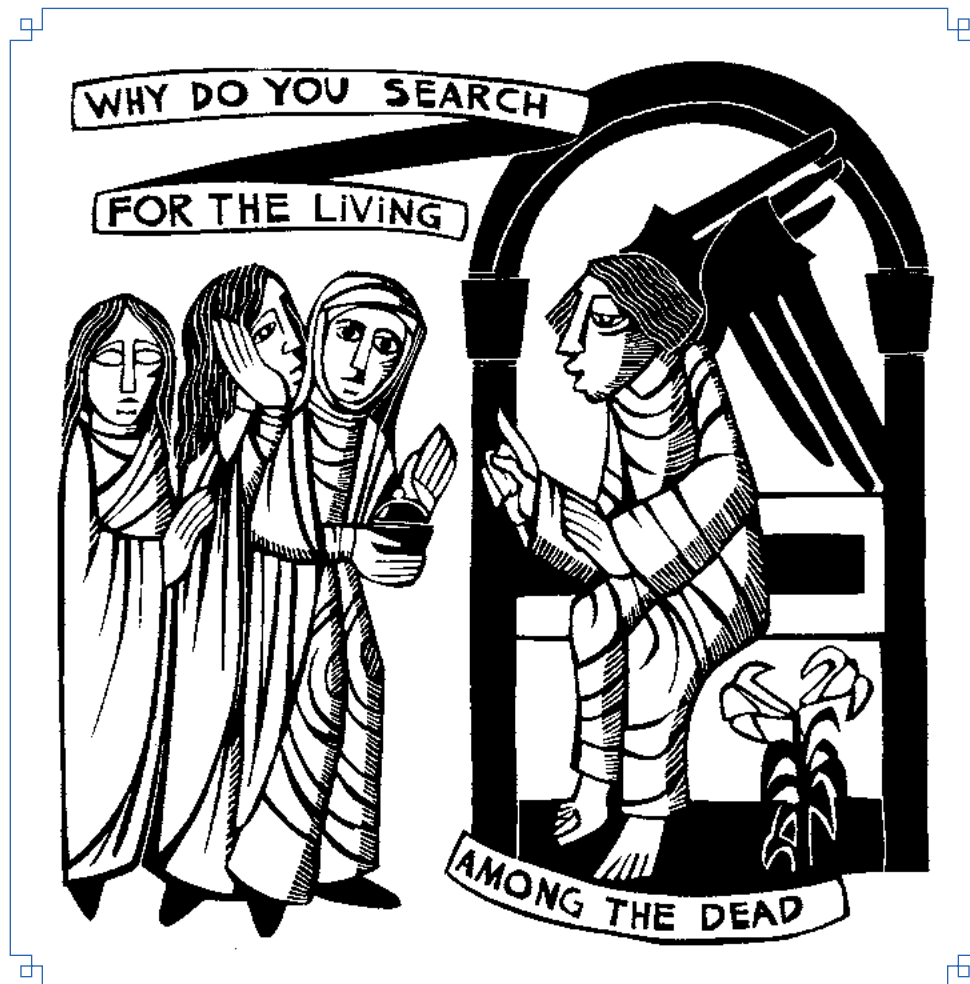


New Covenant Fellowship

April 9, 2023

“Hosanna—Save Us!” by Pastor Renée



But the angel said to the women, “Don’t be afraid. I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He isn’t here, because he’s been raised from the dead, just as he said. Come, see the place where they laid him.

—Matthew 28:5-6

ORDER OF SERVICE

Christ the Lord is Risen Today

Welcome (Kathy Kearney-Grobler)

O Happy Day

In Him the Fullness of Deity Dwells

Matthew 28:1-10 (Roberto & Cheryl)

Was It a Morning Like This

Prayer (Paco Zamora)

I Can Only Imagine

“Hosanna—Save Us!” (Pastor Renée)

Goodness is Stronger than Evil

Save Us O Lord

Benediction (Jackson Courter)

Behold His Kingdom Now is Come



BENEDICTION

Creator of the universe,

you made the world in beauty,

and restore all things in glory

through Jesus our risen King.

We pray that, wherever your image is still disfigured

by poverty, sickness, selfishness, war and greed,

the new creation in Jesus the Messiah

may appear in justice, love, and peace,

to the glory of your name.

Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Memorial Service—On Friday April 14, Visitation for Lenita Epinger will be 10am-12 at Sunset Funeral Home, 710 N Neil St, with a Memorial Service at Noon. A repast at Community United Church of Christ 805 S 6th Street will follow. Photos Needed! If you have a photo of Lenita in a church setting, her husband Tom would like it for the program.

Beyond Our Building—While we treasure the gift of worshipping together in person, many more are blessed by our pastor’s notes and online worship. 540 individuals visited our website in March for a total of 1,379 views. That is a 60% increase from March 2022, when we had 335 visitors for 861 views.

Leadership Team—Next meeting April 10.

Congregational Conversation—tentative date: April 30, Sunday.

Viewing and Discussion—Please join us to watch “Reparations 101,” a brief recorded webinar from the International Coalition of Sites of Conscience, 7pm on Wednesday, April 19, in the NCF sanctuary. Jeff Trask will lead the discussion afterwards, and of course there will be snacks.

Poker Party—Mark your calendars for the next Open Fellowship event: Poker Party, Sunday, April 23, 4pm. All experience levels welcome. [Click to sign up for poker.](#)

Free Concert—David LaMotte in Family-Friendly Concert, Sunday, April 16, 3:00-4:30 PM. [Sample here.](#) First Presbyterian Church Champaign.

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March tithes: \$26,170; **Family fund:** \$225; **Reparations:** \$1225. Thank you!

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Wednesday: Pastor Renée’s Sabbath