

Prayer List:

Please pray for our prayer partner church and their Pastor
Dios Viviente Aldea Pueblo Nuevo, San Juan Ostuncalco
Pastor Martin de Leon Juarez

Georgie, Kelly, Joe, Pastor Bonnie & Rick, Mary Hamilton. Joan & Paul, Bev,
Janet Atwater, Nicole, troubled student, Lois Leab, Terry and all those
who are suffering

Calendar of Events:

- Food Pantry - each Saturday from 9:00-11:00 a.m.
- SFC Choir Practice - Thursday's at 6:00 p.m.
- Worship Committee Meeting - 4/14/26 @ 7:00 p.m. (via Zoom)
- Sonshiner's Breakfast Meeting - 4/19/26 @ 8:00 a.m. (Pierce Hall)
- Search Committee Meeting - 4/20/26 @ 2:00 p.m.
- General Committee - 4/27/26 @ 7:00 p.m. (in person & on Zoom)
- Community Breakfast - 5/3/26 @ 8:00 a.m.
- Annual Church Picnic - 7/19/26 (details to follow)

Financial Stewardship:

Weekly \$1,076.75 is needed to meet our budget.

General Offering: 4/5/26 - \$1,326.00

- Methodist Apportionment - \$134.00
- Front Door Fund - \$10.00

Apportionment: Presbyterian	\$1,242.00	Methodist	\$5,496.00
Individual Apportionments Due:	\$46.00		\$134.00
Donations Received:	\$138.00		\$670.00

Thank you all for your continued generosity!!



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Stephentown Federated Church

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Sunday, April 12, 2026

Second Sunday of Easter

Welcome!

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

BELL CALLS US TO GATHER FOR WORSHIP

WELCOME

Announcements, Joys, and Concerns

HYMN SING

MUSIC FOR REFLECTION

A Mighty Fortress Is
Our God

CALL TO WORSHIP:

One: Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. By his mercy God has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

All: **We rejoice, for we are children of God.**

One: We proclaim our faith: no power can overcome Christ's love, and as his body, we have received salvation.

All: **In love and joy, we praise the Lord!**

* **HYMN #304 (P)** *vv 1-2* Easter People, Raise Your Voices

*** PRAYER FOR TRANSFORMATION AND NEW LIFE:**

Holy God, we sing your praises. You have brought us new life and freed us for love. Shake us free of anything that inhibits us from living fully as your new creation. Help us to live into your resurrection in relationships mended, wounds healed, communities restored, and wrongs made right, that we might reach for your hand and to witness together, "My Lord and my God!" Amen.

Response #186(P)

Alleluia

YOUNG PEOPLE IN WORSHIP

ANTHEM

Love Grows Here

FIRST READING

Acts 4:32-33

GOSPEL READING

John 20:19; 24-25

SERMON

We Have Seen The Lord

HYMN #384 (P)

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

PASTORAL PRAYERS:

Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

THANKSGIVING FOR OUR GIFTS

* Response #95 (P)

Praise God . . .

* **HYMN #308 (P)**

Thine Be the Glory

Please be seated

CHARGE AND BLESSING

Sending Forth & Blessing

Response - #310 (P) *(refrain only)*

He Lives

POSTLUDE

O Worship the King

* Please stand if you are able . . . thank you

Code for Hymnals:

(P) - Methodist Hymnal (Purple) (B) - In Faith We Sing (Black)
(G) - Worship & Song (Green) (PH) - Presbyterian Hymnal

Guest Pastor - Rev. Bob Lowenthal

Pianist - Bev Westfall

Please join us for Coffee hour after the service