

WEEKLY SERVICE INFORMATION

Sunday Service with Eucharist 10:00 a.m.

In-Person or Livestream at www.ChurchoftheMessiah.org/Livestream
Children’s Church · Fellowship Hall (After Worship until Communion)
Today’s Teachers: Mandy Nixon, Mary Lafferty, Wendy O’Rourke,
Dottie Cleveland

Third Sunday Of Easter · April 19, 2026

PRAYER: Merciful Savior, who did not turn away from Peter in his failure but met him in love and restored his calling: free us from the weight of shame, restore us when we fall, and strengthen us to love you more than these; that we may follow you with humble and joyful hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

First Reading: Genesis 2:21-3:13 **Page 2**

Second Reading: 1 Peter 5:4-12 **Page 1050**

(Response after each lesson: Thanks be to God.)

Gospel: John 21:12-19 **Page 934**

(Responses: Glory to You, Lord Christ. ... Praise to You, Lord Christ.)

Sermon: “CHRIST HIMSELF WILL RESTORE” / Pastor Marty O’Rourke

Reader: Debbie White

Eucharistic Ministers: Jim Bohannon & Conway Telefyan

Prayer Team: Ellen Belfi & Julie Hall

THIS WEEK AT MESSIAH

Today	10:00 am	Sunday Service (Sanctuary & Livestream)
Monday	7:00 p.m.	Parish Prayer Meeting (online via Zoom)
Thursday	9:30 a.m.	CBS Day Class
	7:00 p.m.	CBS Evening Class

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THERE ARE STILL OPENINGS ON THE MESSIAH MEDIA TEAM: If you are Interested in supporting various ministries using audio or visual resources, this is the Team for you! Contact Debbie DeBose to discuss the many available possibilities.

JOYFUL NOISE MEETS ONLINE NEXT WEEK: We will meet on Zoom next Tuesday, April 28, at 7:00 pm. See Pastor Marty or Wendy for details, and come join the fun!

THE ULTIMATE TEA—Ladies of Messiah, save the date and invite your friends to our annual **Women’s Spring Tea** on Saturday, May 16, at 10 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Please sign up in the foyer to bring a finger food if possible.

JOIN US ONLINE IN PRAYER each Monday at 7:00 pm on Zoom. Enter Meeting ID 928 2372 1136 into your Zoom app, or go to www.bit.ly/Monday-Prayer.

WELCOME, VISITORS! We’d love to get to know you! Please fill in the attached “Welcome Visitors” form and drop it in the offering box, or submit a Digital Connection Card at www.churchofthemessiah.org/contact. Check us out online at ChurchoftheMessiah.org and Facebook.com/ChurchoftheMessiahChesapeake. Contact us at 757-436-2545 or messiah@churchofthemessiah.org with questions.

CAUTION: PHISHING TEXTS AND SCAM EMAILS. Please be cautious when responding to emails, texts, or phone calls that may be scams. If something seems suspicious or too good to be true, it’s always best to verify before clicking links or sharing any personal information. Our pastors will never contact you by phone, text, or email asking you to send them money, gift cards, etc. Stay safe and alert!

MESSIAH BUDGET NEWS

As of March 31, 2026:	Budgeted giving to date:	\$104,051.91
	Actual giving o date:	<u>\$85,216.08</u>
	Under budget:	\$ 18,835.83

PRAYER REQUESTS

We believe God answers prayer! If you would like our prayer ministry to pray for your special need, write your request below, tear off the tab, and place it in the offering plate. God bless you!

Date: _____

Name: _____

Prayer Needs: _____

- Include in bulletin
- Prayer team only
- Prayer team and bulletin