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Steps Along the Giving Path

1. **Begin to give.**
2. **Plan what to give for the coming year.**
3. **Increase percentage of income given.**
4. **Begin to give a tithe (10% of income).**
5. **Give beyond the tithe (10% of income).**

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Hartzell Mt. Zion United Methodist Church

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“The Journey Leads Here”

*Easter
Sunrise
Service*

April 5, 2026

6:30 am

John 20:1-18

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HARTZELL MT. ZION UMC

BREAKTHROUGH PRAYER

Every Day
11:24AM/PM

Lord, we pray that you....

- 1 Open our spiritual ears to hear and our spiritual eyes to see so we can establish Kingdom connections.
- 2 Give us spiritual discernment and wisdom so we can speak with holy boldness in every interaction.
- 3 Let our words be authentic and plant a seed of Your unconditional love.
- 4 Let Your light shine through us so others may walk toward it and not see us, but see YOU!



“Pray that the Lord your God will tell us where we should go and what we should do.”
Jeremiah 42:3 NIV

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April 5, 2026 6:30 am
Processional Emmanuel
Worship Leader Lydia Washington Heads
Greetings Please Stand

****Vision**

Leader: Let us recite our vision together
People: **We are an inviting church that shows love by nurturing our members and empowering them to grow spiritually in God's word and reaching out to share the good news of Jesus.**

****CALL TO WORSHIP: (Remain Standing)**

Leader: We don't know where to find Jesus.
People: **The days have been dark. The news has been sad.**
Leader: We don't know what to do with our grief.
People: **The cross has claimed his life. The tomb has shrouded our hope.**
Leader: We don't know where to turn for comfort.
People: **Who has stolen him from us? Why are we alone at the tomb?**
Leader: We don't know where to look for answers.
People: **Tears and sorrow blind us in our grief. We don't know where to find Jesus.**

****Opening Hymn** UMH #504
"The Old Rugged Cross"

Opening Prayer (Please be seated)
God of mystery and might, on a dawn shrouded in grief and pain, you surprise us with the light of your wondrous love. We come to the tomb expecting death, but find life instead. Take us back to that moment, when fear was healed by hope and death was banished by life. In the holy awe of Easter morning, may our sing out our joy, for Christ, our Lord, has risen today! Amen.

****Announcements & Recognition of Visitors**

Prayer For Illumination (read by all) (Remain Seated)
Lord open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen

Happy Easter

****Scripture Lesson**
Old Testament Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24 (Remain Seated)
New Testament John 20:1-18 (Please Stand)

*****Affirmation of Faith & Gloria Patri**

****Song of Praise** Jubilant Voices Choir
"Hosanna"

****Pastoral Prayer/Altar Call**

****Ministry of Music** Jubilant Voices Choir
"No Greater Love"

****Easter Sunrise Speeches** Mrs. Allison Craver

****Sermon** Pastor Tiffanie Postell
"THE JOURNEY LEADS HERE"
John 20:1-18

****Invitation to Christian Discipleship**

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

*****Offertory Scripture** Proverbs 3:9
"Honor the Lord with your wealth and with the firstfruits of all your produce;"

****Offertory** (Giving of tithes and offerings)

"You Can't Beat God Giving"

****Offertory Response** AAHH #650

"Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"

****Closing Hymn**

****Extinguishing of the Candles & Dismissal**