



The First United Methodist Church  
of Delran

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Friday, April 3, 2026

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# Order of Service

Welcome

Song

*The Wonderful Cross*

Scripture

*The Word of Forgiveness: Nolan Smith*

*Luke 23:34*

Jesus said, "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they are doing."

Song

*Lead Me to the Cross*

Scripture

*The Word of Hope: Sue Kralle*

*Luke 23:43*

Jesus answered him, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in paradise."

Song

*How Deep the Father's Love For Us*

Scripture

*The Word of Relationship: Terri Pagani*

*John 19: 26-27*

When Jesus saw his mother there, and the disciple whom he loved standing nearby, he said to her, "Woman, here is your son," and to the disciple, "Here is your mother." From that time on, this disciple took her into his home.

Song

*CH #349: Oh How He Loves You and Me*

Scripture

*The Word of Abandonment: Jake Harrell*

*Mark 15: 34*

And at three in the afternoon, Jesus cried out in a loud voice, "Eloi, Eloi, lema sabachthani?" (which means "My God, My God, why have you forsaken me?").

Song

*UMH # 288: Were You There-Verse 1-2*

Scripture

*The Word of Longing: Bob Blazewitz*

*John 19: 28*

Later, knowing that everything had now been finished, and so that Scripture would be fulfilled, Jesus said, “I am thirsty.”

Song

*UMH # 288: Were You There-Verse 3*

Scripture

*The Word of Victory: Brian Blatchley*

*John 19: 30*

When he had received the drink, Jesus said, “It is finished.” With that, he bowed his head and gave up his spirit.

Song

*UMH # 288: Were You There-Verse 4*

Scripture

*The Word of Connection: Pastor Michael Smith*

*Luke 23: 46*

Jesus called out with a loud voice, “Father, into your hands I commit my spirit.” When he had said this, he breathed his last.

Song

*UMH # 288: Were You There-Verse 5*

Benediction



# Weekly Services & Meetings

## Sundays

Sunday Worship @ 10am  
Bible Study w/Pastor @ 9am  
Coffee Talk @ 9:30am

## Mondays

Ladies Bible Study Via Zoom @ 7pm

## Wednesdays

Bible Study @ 11am  
Praise Team @ 6:15pm  
Handbells @ 7pm

## Thursdays

Quilters 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday @ 7pm  
Bible Study @ Blasewitz's  
2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday @ 7pm

## Outreach & Programs

### Basin & Towel

Collecting donations of laundry soap for the month of April.

### Altar Flowers

\$13 per vase. Sign up on bulletin board in Narthex.

### ShopRite Shirley

Purchase gift cards to use from Shirley after services or from the office during the week.

### Prayer Quilts

In need of a prayer quilt? Contact Joyce Kelly  
[sajkelly@comcast.net](mailto:sajkelly@comcast.net)

## Youth Group

**April 5**

Easter: No Youth Group

**April 12**

Meeting 1:30-3:00pm (Pizza)

**April 19**

Methodism 101- Confirmation Class 1:30pm

**April 26**

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### Staff:

Rev. Michael Smith, Pastor

Javera Chaudhry, Pianist

Destiny Schultz, Nursery Coordinator

Jake Harrell, Education Coordinator

Mandy Cavanaugh, Administrative Assistant