

# Welcome to Worship

Sunday, March 31, 2024

6:00 AM

**“Do You Believe?”**



Website: [www.vistaumc.org](http://www.vistaumc.org)

Church Office hours Monday - Thursday 9:00 – 4:00

(Closed for lunch between 12:00 and 1:00)

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## ORDER OF WORSHIP

<b>Processional Hymn:</b>	<i>He Lives!</i>	Insert
<b>Greeting/Announcements</b>		Pastor Deb
<b>Pastor:</b> This is the day the Lord has made.		
<b>People:</b> Let us rejoice and be glad in it.		

<b>*Call to Worship</b>		Liturgist
Liturgist: Alleluia! Christ is risen!		
<b>People: Christ is risen indeed!</b>		
Liturgist: Darkness has been vanquished!		
<b>People: The brilliant light of hope has come!</b>		
Liturgist: Come let us worship and celebrate the Good News!		
<b>People: Alleluia! Christ is risen! Amen!</b>		

<b>*Opening Hymns</b>	<i>Allelu! Allelu! Everybody Sing Allelu!</i>	Insert
	<i>Hallelujah! Praise Ye the Lord!</i>	

### Unison Prayer

God of Awesome Joy, be with us this day as we celebrate the resurrection of your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ. Let the light of your love flood into our lives and through us to all those who have been captured by darkness, that the light may give them healing, freedom, and hope. As we witness the surprise of the women at the tomb, the appearance of the Savior to Mary, and her good news brought to the disciples, let us remember that this good news exists for us today. Darkness does not win. Death is not victorious. Christ is Risen, for us, for you, and for me. We are raised with Christ to a new life of hope and service. Let the joy of this good news swirl around in our hearts. Let excitement for service and ministry burst forth from us. Let us truly be the "Easter People" that you have called us to be. For we ask these things in the name of the Risen Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen

<b>Psalm</b>	Psalm 118: 1-2, 14-24	Liturgist
<b>Gospel Lesson</b>	John 20: 1-18	
<b>Liturgist:</b> This is the word of God for the people of God.		
<b>People:</b> Thanks be to God!		

<b>Children's Message</b>		Pastor Deb
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<b>Sermon</b>	Do You Believe?	Pastor Deb
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<b>Invitation to Prayer</b>	<i>Alleluia</i> , verse 1	Insert
<b>Prayers of the People</b>		Pastor Deb
<b>Lord's Prayer (sung)</b>		Insert

## Invitation to the Offering

### Offertory

*Easter Song by Anne Herring*

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Liturgist

Carolyn Dwyer

### \*Offertory Response

*Alleluia, Alleluia, verses 1-3*

Insert

### \*Prayer of Dedication

Liturgist

### Closing Hymn:

*Lord of the Dance*

Insert

### Benediction

Pastor Deb

### Liturgist:

Dottie McIntyre

### Stephen Minister:

Dottie McIntyre

### United Methodist Church Mission

To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

### Our Mission at Vista de la Montaña United Methodist Church

To reach out to others to help them meet their needs and to welcome them into our family of faith as we gather for worship, fellowship, education, and service.

All church services are live-streamed and recorded.

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### Compassion Connection

#### In Need of Continued Prayers for Healing

Dr. Chuck & Sandy Crown, Jan Crown, Charlotte De Windt, Florence Duckett, Kay Gragg, Bill Gureck, Fran Hampton, Bob & Eileen Herd, Peggy Hoeft, Pam Holder, Barbara Horton, Ken & Sharon Hunt, Don & Betty Little, Margaret Overman, Allen & Barbara Phillips, Diane Podlasek, Sharon Poole, Pete Rice, Mary Louise & Walt Roberson, Art Schweitzer, Cliff Terry, and Howard & Mary Lou Young.

#### Prayers for our Churches

Each month churches in the South District pray with and for each other. This month we pray for the pastors, congregation, and community of the following:

El Mesias UMC, Nogales

First UMC, Bisbee

First UMC, Eloy

Our sister church, Fuente de Vida in Agua Prieta, Mexico.