

The Third Sunday of Easter

April 19, 2026

11:00a.m.

~ Connect with God ~

PRELUDE

Josh Stevenson

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*HYMN #307

"Christ Is Risen"

A MESSAGE *for* CHILDREN & YOUTH

Andy Bucke,
Director of Congregational Care

PRAYERS *of the* PEOPLE

Anne Carter, Lay Leader

*HYMN #331

"Holy Spirit, Come, Confirm Us"

PRAYER *for* ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Acts 1:1-8; John 10:10

Kevin Ditty

ANTHEM

"Stand for Jesus" by Mike Speck and Stan Whitmire
Chancel Choir

~ Commit to God's Ways ~

SERMON

"Disciples Empowered by the Holy Spirit"
Rev. Eric J. Shafer

OFFERTORY

PRESENTATION *of* OUR LIVES, TITHES, *and* OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY

#94

*PRAYER *of* DEDICATION

Andy Bucke

*THE LORD'S PRAYER

~ *Create New Disciples* ~

*HYMN #402

"Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

"They'll Know We Are Christians By Our Love"
(vs. 1 & refrain)

*We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord
We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord
And we pray that all unity may one day be restored
And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love
Yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.*

POSTLUDE

Josh Stevenson

**Please stand as able*

