



# EPWORTH REHOBOTH BEACH

Worship Order, Announcements & Prayers

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Sunday, April 16, 2023  
2nd Sunday after Easter

**Change in Action -  
Pentecost Emerging**

**John 20:19-31**

**Spiritual Authority**

**April 16,  
2023**



Welcome to Epworth Worship  
Sunday 10 am  
in-person or online

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*VISION: Explore Faith,  
Embrace Community*

*MISSION: Inviting, Belonging,  
Connecting, Caring*

*All Means All*

As a [Reconciling Ministries Network](#) congregation, we welcome all people, regardless of sexual orientation or gender identity, to share their prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness.



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# Blended Worship Order

April 16, 2023 10:00 a.m.

2nd Sunday of Easter

## WE GATHER IN COMMUNITY

### We Gather in Worship

Song *Greater* Praise Team  
Welcome & Call to Worship Pastor Vicki  
Song *My Lighthouse*  
Kid's Time Mickie McManamon  
Song *Christ Is Risen*

## WE ENGAGE THE WORD

Sharing Our Gifts Augie Lankford  
Prayers of Response Pastor Vicki  
The Lord's Prayer  
Song *We Believe*  
Good News *John 20:19-31* Scott Button  
Song *We Believe (cont.)*  
We Pray for our Pastor Scott Button  
Sermon Gwen Osborne, LLC  
*Change in Action—Pentecost Emerging:  
Spiritual Authority*  
Response *We Walk By Faith*

## WE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD

### Benediction

Sending *All The People Said Amen*



Next Sunday: 3rd Sunday after Easter  
Change in Action—Pentecost Emerging:  
Looking for Love? (Look Again): The resurrec-  
tion radically changes the places and people  
where we can expect to encounter Jesus.  
(Luke 24:13-35)

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•**Chancel Flowers** are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of her husband and his father, Ed Henriksen, by Barbara Henriksen and Son.

• **Tech Team:** Bo Gordy-Stith, Kayden Holt, Shaun Redick, Noah Ryan, Thomas Vyas, and Bryan Warner

•Acolyte:

• **To serve as an Acolyte:** contact [Gwen Osborne](#) or 302-227-7743 X108

• Church Offerings—Thank you! You may contribute your offering at the door, [online](#), by texting Give to 302-488-0038, or by mailing your check to Epworth at 19285 Holland Glade Rd. Rehoboth

## April 9 Prayer List

*\*Names printed in Italics indicate additions to our*

To the victims of the tornado outbreaks across the U.S.

To the earthquake victims in Turkey & Syria

The People of Ukraine

Deaf People of Ukraine

Beebe Hospital Staff

Tristan Anderson

Cody Arbuthnot

Mary Barrett

Mary Becker

David Bendekovits

Cathy Benson

Mike Benson

Brad Bingaman

Diaz Bonville

Pam Bookman

Andy Brangenberg

David Caffier

Kamashia Chandler

Kathy Cholak

Barbara Clouspy

Miriam Coble

Peggy Comer

Kathleen Costello-Williams

Cathy Crawford

Max Dick

Sylvie Drew

Christopher English

Andrea Esarey

Kate Estrazos

Darlene Ford

Marion Ford

Jeremy Hajdu-Paulen

Madison Hadley

Tom Hardy

Gene Harris

Susan Helmstadter

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Ray Hilt  
Margaret Hodges  
Mickey Hoffman  
Carolyn Horn  
Randy Hughes  
Eric Jaxheimer  
Bev Johnson  
Diane Kelly  
Ted Kerwin  
Chole Kincaid-Crean  
Laura  
Peg Linn  
Laura McNeil  
Jerry Mahon  
Nan Martino  
Alice & Bob Mazur  
Brenda Milbourne  
Marianne Miller  
Steve Mumley  
Virgil Night  
Dottie Outland  
Breah Paciotti  
Ann Paulen  
Ron Paxton  
Karen Popeserio  
Gene Price  
Lisa Rahman  
Ana Meyer Ramos  
John Riley-Spillane  
Rachel Rees  
Debbie Reisler  
Charlie Reynolds  
Carl Richards  
Roger Richardson  
Cathy Roche  
Cathy Ross  
Peter Rupprecht  
Sandi Russell  
Dorothy & John Sadler  
Corina Aliza Salz  
Patricia Sauder  
John Salter  
Fred & Sharyn Smith  
Ray Sonderfan  
Elizabeth Sordyl  
Chris Stone  
*Paul Streit*  
Mary Sutton  
Tracy  
Cheryl Tarlecki  
Hillary Taylor  
Mark Thompson  
*Renee Toney*

Wanda Walton-Hummel  
Susan White  
Michael Wills, Sr.  
Carol Wine  
Dan Wine  
*Charlotte Woods*  
Jean Young

## **HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**

50+ years—CONGRATULATIONS!

## **SYMPATHIES**



## **CONTINUED PRAYERS**

**HOMEBOUND, HOSPICE OR LONG TERM CARE**

Donna Bloomquist, The Moorings  
Ann Chambers, The Moorings  
Leon Cromer, Harbor Health  
Mary Anne Fleetwood  
Carolyn Robinson, Brandywine  
Linda Rooney  
Barb Rowe, Renaissance  
Quinn Smith\Elaine Trexler

## **SERVICEMEN/WOMEN:**

Michael Sakurai Wills, USArmy Ft Jackson,AK  
Hailye Wilson, USCG, Key West

## **Epworth Staff Directory**

**Lead Pastor:** Rev. Dr. Vicki Gordy-Stith,  
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**Preschool Director:** Betsy Plowman

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**Youth Coordinator:** Joy Gordy-Stith

**Facilities Manager :** John Hilt

**Custodian:** Wanda Hudson

**ASL Interpreter:** Sandy Davis

**Nursery:** Cathy Crawford

**Cemetery Superintendent:** Jay Stevenson

# Epworth Ministry Organization



***VISION: Explore Faith,  
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Lead Pastor: Rev. Dr. Vicki Gordy-Stith  
Governing Board Chair—Linda Kauffman  
Lay Leader—Mike Tyler  
Finance Chairs—David Hagelin and David  
Streit  
Staff Parish Relations Committee Chair—  
Jack Palmer  
Chair of the Board of Trustees—  
Bunny Maher

## **STRUCTURE:**

Four Ministry Teams

### **Inviting Team**

Inclusive Ministries, Food Ministries, Ecu-  
menical/Interfaith, Social Justice  
Leadership Team: Rev. Dr. Bo Gordy-Stith  
and Bob Joynson

### **Belonging Team**

Small Groups, Belongings, Sunday School,  
All Age Level Groups

Leadership Team: Gwen Osborne, Linda  
BenderHilt, Loretta Mahan, Cathie Lewis  
and Teri Moore

### **Connecting Team**

Worship, Music, Conferences, Retreats  
Leadership Team: Doug Yetter and Murray  
Archibald

### **Caring Team**

Good Sam, Missions, Pastoral Care Team,  
Care Ministries

Leadership Team: Mickie McManamon,  
Dee Speck and Holly Reynolds

## **Attendance last weekend, Apr. 9, 2023**

10:00	Live stream	ASL	SS	Total
488	179	8	32	707

(as of 4/11)

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