



**FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

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*First United Presbyterian Church is a member congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA) and of the Pittsburgh Presbytery. We stand in the PCUSA tradition and belief that all are welcome into the fullness of the church including but not limited to worship, membership, governance, and participation in the sacraments (baptism and communion).*

*Stated plainly, we practice that all are truly welcome at First United Presbyterian Church in Tarentum.*



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*“Where People and Community Matter”*

A Matthew 25 Congregation



Sunday, April 12, 2026

Second Sunday of Easter

Eleven o’ clock

Prelude *“Praising the Almighty”* Broughton

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome

Introit *“Praise Him”*

**\*Call to Worship**

Leader: Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.  
By his mercy God has given us a new birth  
into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

People: **We rejoice because we are children of God.**

Leader: We proclaim our faith: no power can overcome Christ’s love,  
and as his body, we have received salvation.

People: **In love and joy, we praise the Lord! Amen.**

**\*Prayer of the Day**

Holy God, we sing your praises. You have brought us new life and freed us for love. Shake us free of anything that inhibits us from living fully as your new creation. Help us to live into your resurrection in relationships mended, wounds healed, communities restored, and wrongs made right, that we might reach for your hand and to witness together, “My Lord and my God!” Amen.

\*Hymn *“The Day of Resurrection”* #118

**Call to Confession**

**Prayer of Confession (Unison)**

God, you have made known to us the ways of life. Yet, too often, we put other things above you and turn away from the ways of life and turn toward the ways of death. Forgive us and guide us back into your presence, that we may know the fullness of joy. Amen.

*(Please spend some time in silent confession.)*

**Assurance of Forgiveness**

