



THE UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BLAIRSVILLE

*"a community of believers, called by God, led by the Holy Spirit
to know Christ and to make Christ known"*

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April 12, 2026 ~ 10:00 a.m.

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

Trinity Chimes

Prelude	<i>"Faith Unlocks the Door"</i>	Arr. Scott/Sande
Welcome		Jean Heberling, Liturgist
Announcements		
Opening Prayer		
*Hymn	<i>"How Great Thou Art"</i>	# 51
*Sharing of the Peace		
Young Disciples		

DECLARATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

Scripture Lesson		John 6:37-40
Music Video	<i>"Lord, I Need You"</i>	By Matt Maher
Scripture Lesson		John 20:19-31
Sermon	<i>"Locked Doors"</i>	Rev. John Manon

RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

*Affirmation of Faith *(The Apostles' Creed)*
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Ministry of Giving in Response to the Word

Offertory

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

*Hymn

"Because He Lives"

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*Benediction

*Postlude

(*All who are able, please stand)

Please join us in the ritual of friendship by signing the attendance pads that are at one end of each of the pews. If you are here for the first time, we would appreciate it if you would give us your local telephone number. Please help yourself to a copy of our newsletter, *Uplift* available at the back of the church. We thank you for joining your voice to ours in sacred worship.

THE WORSHIP ASSISTANTS for this morning's service are Liturgist, Jean Heberling; Organist, Pam Lewis; Ushers, Bob and Charlotte Cosharek, Mya Johnson and Alan Lowman; Building and Grounds, Dennis Gould.

GRANDMA'S GIFTS OF LOVE will meet Monday from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon in the sewing room on the second floor of the Christian Ed wing. There are tasks for everyone. All are welcome.

THE BLAIRSVILLE MINISTERIUM will meet Monday at 11:00 a.m. at SS Simon and Jude Church.

FOOD BANK GROCERY DISTRIBUTION will be held Tuesday, 10:30 a.m. till noon from Fellowship Hall. Please be aware of the extra traffic around the church when visiting.

BIBLE STUDY will meet Wednesday at 10:00 a.m. and Thursday at 6:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. ZOOM access is available to those who would like to participate from home. Please call the church office for more information.

THE STITCHING GROUP meets Thursdays at 2:00 p.m. in the church parlor. If you enjoy needle work and would like some fellowship as you stitch, you are welcome to join the group. Bring a project you're working on and plan to stay until about 4:00 p.m.

THE APRIL MEN'S BREAKFAST will be held Saturday at 9:00 a.m. at Dean's Diner. Come and join other men for a time of food and fellowship. All are welcome.

THE CONGREGATIONAL FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE has organized dinner at Iron Alley Saloon in Blairsville Saturday, April 18th at 6:00 p.m. We will meet at the restaurant for dinner and fellowship. It will be a self-pay evening. We look forward to seeing you there.

SAVE THE DATES!! The Christian Education Committee met and set the dates for this year's Vacation Bible School, July 24, 25, and 26. The theme will be centered around "God's Creatures." We're looking forward to another year of fun and learning! Please watch your bulletins for more information.

GET TO KNOW THE PASTOR is a new column in the UPLIFT newsletter. If you have a question for Pastor John, something you are wondering about, email or call the church office or drop your question in the offering plate. What would you like to know - *What's pastor's favorite food (besides cookies)? When and how was he called into ministry?* Inquiring minds want to know! Share your questions and watch the newsletter for the answers.

IF YOU NOTICE something around the church property that needs repaired, please refer the matter to the church office. Please be very specific as to what the problem is, so the issue can be handled. Thank you.

REGULAR SCHEDULE:

Sunday	10:00 a.m.	Worship
Monday	9:00 a.m.	Grandma's Gifts of Love
	11:00 a.m.	Ministerium Meeting
	6:30 p.m.	Monday Music Club Rehearsal
	6:30 p.m.	Boy Scouts meet in Fellowship Hall
Tuesday	10:30 a.m.	Food Bank Distribution
Wednesday	10:00 a.m.	Bible Study
Thursday	2:00 p.m.	Stitching Group
	6:00 p.m.	Bible Study
	6:30 p.m.	Otter Creek Brass Rehearsal
Friday	6:30 p.m.	Square Dancing
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast at Dean's Diner
	6:00 p.m.	Dinner at Iron Alley Saloon
Sunday	10:00 a.m.	Worship