A rustic wooden cup filled with red wine sits on a textured surface. A piece of bread is broken in half, with one half resting against the base of the cup. The scene is lit with warm, golden light, creating a soft glow and highlighting the textures of the wood and bread.

*As often as ye  
eat this bread,  
and drink this cup,*  
ye do show the Lord's  
death till he come.

1 CORINTHIANS 11:26

Sunday Worship  
West Barre United Methodist Church  
April 3, 2022

*This worship is being broadcast to the parking lot where it can be listened to on the vehicle's FM radio, 107.5. It is also live on Facebook and later on the West Barre UMC channel of YouTube.*

**Welcome and Greeting**

**Announcements**

**Prelude**

**\*Call To Worship**

Leader: I lift up my eyes to the mountains - where does my help come from?

**People: My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth**

Leader: He will not let your foot slip, he who watches over you will not slumber

**People: Indeed, he who watches over Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.**

Leader: The Lord watches over you. The Lord is your shade at your right hand;

**People: The sun will not harm you by day. Nor the moon by night.**

Leader: The Lord will keep you from all harm. He will watch over your life.

**People: The Lord will watch over your coming and going both now and forevermore.**

**\*Unison Prayer**

Precious Lord, we thank you and bless you for all your loving care. We stand on your promise today that You will keep us in perfect peace when our minds are stayed on you. Grant us your peace O God. Let us be aware of your constant care for us. In Jesus Name. Amen.

**\*Hymn                    “A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”                    UMH #110**

**Scripture Lesson: Isaiah 40:27-31**

**Leader: The Word of God for the people of God**

**People: Thanks be to God**

**Joys, Concerns**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**The Lord’s Prayer**

**UMH #895**

**\*Hymn                    “O God, Our Help in Ages Past”                    UMH #117**  
**Choir Anthem**

**Morning Meditation:    “Our God Who Cares”**

**A Service of Word and Table                    UMH #12**

**\*Hymn                    “More Love To Thee O Christ”                    UMH #453**

**Benediction with Blessing**

Now may the God of peace who brought up our Lord Jesus from the dead, that great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, make you complete in every good work to do His will, working in you what is well pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.

**\*Sending Forth**

**Disperse in Mission**

Note for visitors: **Bold text is spoken in unison**, \*congregation standing as able. Please sign our visitor log before you leave, we'd love to be in touch with you! Refreshments are served after worship through the door at the front of the sanctuary.

To access our website, type: [westbarreumc.org](http://westbarreumc.org)

We are also on Facebook, type: West Barre UMC

To contact Rev. Heiler: 716-523-7542 or [jheiler0409@gmail.com](mailto:jheiler0409@gmail.com)  
Pastor Jim is available at 8:30 am on Sunday mornings, and Tuesdays & Wednesdays from 9 am- 5 pm, in the office for anyone who might like to meet/talk with him.



## Assisting in Worship

	Today 4/3	Next Sunday 4/10
Preaching:	Rev. James Heiler	Rev. James Heiler
Greeters/Ushers:	Lanor Markle	Lanor Markle
Liturgist:	Jim Peglow	Jim Peglow
Organist:	Naomi Caldwell	Naomi Caldwell
Choir Director:	Hugh Dudley	Hugh Dudley
Altar Flowers:	Lanor Markle in Memory of Dad (Ray Markle)	Worship Committee

## Announcements:

Monday (4 <sup>th</sup> ):	6:30 pm Women's Bible Study in person & zoom
Wednesday (6 <sup>th</sup> ):	6:30 pm Ad-Board

## Looking ahead:

Sunday (10 <sup>th</sup> ):	9 am Choir
April 11 <sup>th</sup> :	6:30 pm Women's Bible Study in person & zoom
April 14 <sup>th</sup> :	7 pm Men's Club
April 17 <sup>th</sup> :	7 am Sunrise Service at the Goose Pond on Albion Rd. followed by breakfast hosted by the men's group
April 23 <sup>rd</sup> :	4-7 pm Spring Gals
September 14 <sup>th</sup>	Church auction - If you would like to donate items, please contact a Trustee member.

**Monthly Mission:** Tina Nygen



## Financial Statement:

March 27, 2022	\$ 1,785.00
Giving to Date:	\$ 20,134.83
Included:	
UMCOR (Ukraine): \$395.00	\$1,595.00

## Anniversaries this week:

9~ Pastor Jim & Kim Heiler

HAPPY  
Anniversary!

Copies of this month's newsletter are on the back rack in the Sanctuary.

Manufactures coupons for our Military overseas may be up to two Months expired. You may send the coupons directly to: Support Our Troops, Troopons, Box 70, Daytona Beach, FL 32115

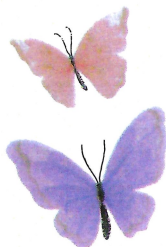


• CALLING ALL WOMEN, YOUNG LADIES & GIRLS •

# The Spring Gala!



Spring has sprung,  
bees are humming!  
We are having a party,  
We hope you are coming!  
Come for the love,  
Stay for the party!



**April 23, 2022 • 4-7 p.m.**

**West Barre United Methodist Church**  
5377 Eagle Harbor Rd., Albion

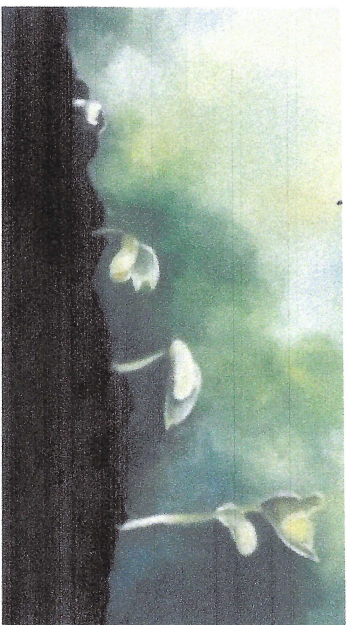
**Tickets: \$20 • \$10 10 years & younger**

*Call for tickets & reservations:*

Alice Mathes: 585-738-2976 • Sharon Miller: 585-813-4826

**Basket Raffle!**





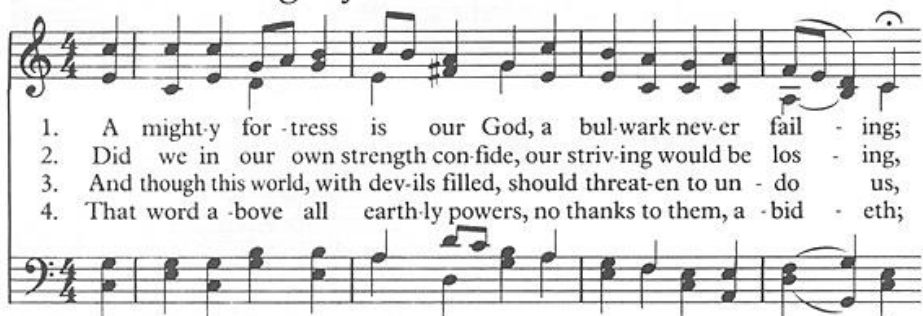
## One Hope for Asia

Our mission for this month of April is One Hope for Asia.

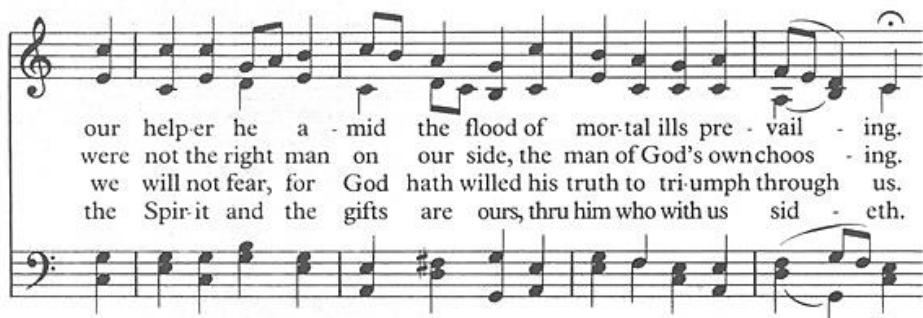
Founded by Tina Nyguen in 2014, a Vietnam immigrant, who chose to return to Vietnam and give back of her time and talents to those in need. Tina concentrates on children's education and young girls whose futures are bleak. Tina is now home, in United States, visiting with family and reaching out to the churches that support the foundation. She will be meeting with us on May 15th during our worship service. We look forward to seeing and hearing more from her.



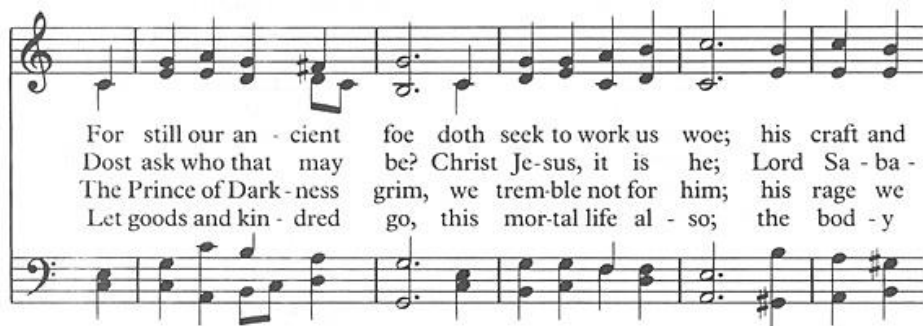
## A Mighty Fortress Is Our God



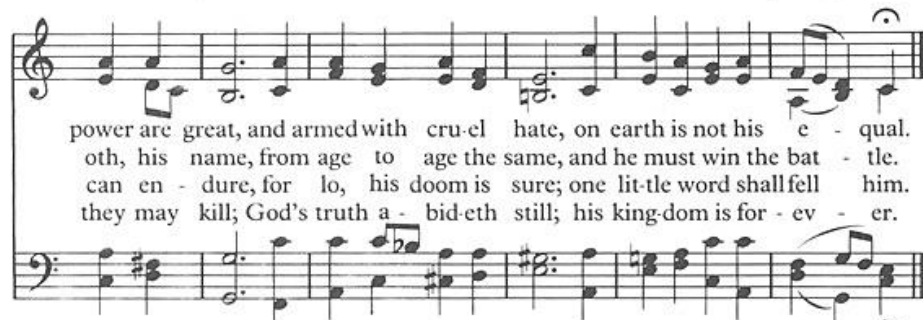
1. A might-y for-tress is our God, a bul-wark nev-er fail-ing;  
 2. Did we in our own strength con-fide, our striv-ing would be los-ing,  
 3. And though this world, with dev-ils filled, should threat-en to un-do us,  
 4. That word a-bove all earth-ly powers, no thanks to them, a-bid-eth;



our help-er he a-mid the flood of mor-tal ills pre-vail-ing.  
 were not the right man on our side, the man of God's own choos-ing.  
 we will not fear, for God hath willed his truth to triumph through us.  
 the Spir-it and the gifts are ours, thru him who with us sid-eth.



For still our an-cient foe doth seek to work us woe; his craft and  
 Dost ask who that may be? Christ Je-sus, it is he; Lord Sa-ba-b  
 The Prince of Dark-ness grim, we trem-ble not for him; his rage we  
 Let goods and kin-dred go, this mor-tal life al-so; the bod-y



power are great, and armed with cru-el hate, on earth is not his e-qual.  
 oth, his name, from age to age the same, and he must win the bat-tle.  
 can en-dure, for lo, his doom is sure; one lit-tle word shall fell him.  
 they may kill; God's truth a-bid-eth still; his king-dom is for-ev-er.

## 117 O God, Our Help in Ages Past

1. O God, our help in a - ges past, our hope for years to come,  
 2. Un - der the shad - ow of thy throne, still may we dwell se - cure;  
 3. Be - fore the hills in or - der stood, or earth re - ceived her frame,  
 4. A thou - sand a - ges, in thy sight, are like an eve - ning gone;  
 5. Time, like an ev - er roll - ing stream, bears all who breathe a - way;  
 6. O God, our help in a - ges past, our hope for years to come;

our shel - ter from the storm - y blast, and our e - ter - nal home!  
 suf - fi - cient is thine arm a - lone, and our de - fense is sure.  
 from ev - er - last - ing, thou art God, to end - less years the same.  
 short as the watch that ends the night, be - fore the ris - ing sun.  
 they fly for - got - ten, as a dream dies at the open - ing day.  
 be thou our guide while life shall last, and our e - ter - nal home.

WORDS: Isaac Watts, 1719 (Ps. 90)

MUSIC: Attr. to William Croft, 1708; harm. by W. H. Monk, 1861

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## 118 The Care the Eagle Gives Her Young

1. The care the ea - gle gives her young, safe in her loft - y nest,  
 2. As when the time to ven - ture comes, she stirs them out to flight,  
 3. And if we flut - ter help - less - ly, as fledg - ling ea - gles fall,

WORDS: R. Deane Postlethwaite (Dt. 32:11)

MUSIC: Jesse Seymour Irvine, 1872; harm. by TCL. Pritchard, 1929

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## More Love to Thee, O Christ

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1. More love to thee, O Christ, more love to thee!  
 2. Once earth - ly joy I craved, sought peace and rest;  
 3. Let sor - row do its work, come grief and pain;  
 4. Then shall my lat - est breath whis - per thy praise;

Hear thou the prayer I make on bend - ed knee.  
 now thee a - lone I seek, give what is best.  
 sweet are thy mes - sen - gers, sweet their re - frain,  
 this be the part - ing cry my heart shall raise;

This is my ear - nest plea: More love, O Christ, to thee;  
 This all my prayer shall be: More love, O Christ, to thee;  
 when they can sing with me: More love, O Christ, to thee;  
 this still its prayer shall be: More love, O Christ, to thee;

more love to thee, more love to thee!  
 more love to thee, more love to thee!  
 more love to thee, more love to thee!  
 more love to thee, more love to thee!

## A SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE II

### INVITATION

Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

### CONFESSION AND PARDON

**Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*All pray in silence*

*Leader to people:*

Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

*People to leader:*

**In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.**

*Leader and people:*

**Glory to God. Amen.**

### THE PEACE

Let us offer one another signs of reconciliation and love.

*All exchange signs and words of God's peace*



## OFFERING

As forgiven and reconciled people, let us offer ourselves and our gifts to God.

## TAKING THE BREAD AND CUP

*The pastor takes the bread and cup, and the bread and wine are prepared for the meal.*

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ. By the baptism of his suffering, death, and resurrection you gave birth to your church, delivered us from slavery to sin and death, and made with us a new covenant by water and the Spirit.

On the night in which he gave himself up for us he took bread, gave thanks to you, broke the bread, gave it to his disciples, and said "Take, eat, this is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." When the supper was over, he took the cup, gave thanks to you, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Drink from this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living

sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

**Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.**

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, and on these gifts of bread and wine. Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ that we may be for the world, the body of Christ, redeemed by his blood. By your Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world, until Christ comes in final victory, and we feast at his heavenly banquet. Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, with the Holy Spirit in your hold church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and for ever.

**Amen.**

And now, with the confidence of children of God, let us pray:

THE LORD'S PRAYER

BREAKING THE BREAD

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

The body of Christ, given for you. **Amen.**

The blood of Christ, given for you. **Amen.**

HYMN OR SONG

DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

Go forth in peace. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**Amen.**

GOING FORTH