



# SUNDAY WORSHIP

## APRIL 27, 2014

### ALL ARE WELCOME

Whether you are young or old, rich or poor, doubtful or hopeful ... no matter where you are in your faith journey, YOU are welcome here. For those with children, be assured that noises and wiggling are expected and encouraged during worship.

### SUNDAY WORSHIP

**8:30 a.m.** - Early Service  
in the McCune Chapel

**10:30 a.m.** - Family Service  
in the Sanctuary

### SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES

**9:30 a.m.** - Faith Formation  
Programs for Children, Teens  
and Adults

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE!

**5:30 p.m.** - Community Meal  
in Snider Social Hall

**6:30 p.m.** - Faith-based  
Programs for All Ages

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THE SANCTUARY CHOIR PRESENTS DAN FORREST'S



# REQUIEM FOR THE LIVING

**MUSIC SUNDAY** | 10:30 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

**JOIN THE CELEBRATION IN FRIENDSHIP HALL  
FOLLOWING TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVICE!**



**THE PEOPLES CHURCH**  
**ENVIRONMENTAL FAIR**  
EARTH STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE

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## COUNCIL OF ELDERS

The Council meets at 7 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of each month in the Robertson Room.

**Crystal Branta**, Chairperson  
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## OFFICE HOURS

The Church Office is open 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday and on Sunday mornings. Call 517.332.5073.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK?

### MONDAY, APRIL 28

11:00 a.m. Monday Morning Bible (CTR)

### TUESDAY, APRIL 29

11:15 a.m. Preschool Creative Movement (G)  
7:30 pm. Boy Scouts Troop 2

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30

8:00 a.m. Sermon Preview Bible Study (RR)  
5:30 p.m. WNL! Community Meal (SSH)  
6 & 6:30 p.m. WNL! Programs

### THURSDAY, MAY 1

7:00 a.m. Men's Study Group (RR)  
12:00 p.m. Men's Study Group (L)  
6:30 p.m. Thursdays With Jesus (RR)  
7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (S)

### FRIDAY, MAY 2

2:00 p.m. Spiritual Direction (L)

### SATURDAY, MAY 3

11:30 a.m. Communion Preparation (S)

### SUNDAY, MAY 4

8:30 a.m. Worship Service (C)  
9:30 a.m. Confirmation Breakfast (SSH)  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School For All Ages  
9:30 a.m. Peoples Forum (RR)  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service (S)  
12:00 p.m. Highland Dance (SSH)

**ROOM KEY:** C = Chapel; CC=Children's Chapel  
CTR = Centennial Room; CR = Choir Room; G = Gymnasium;  
FH = Friendship Hall; L = Library; N = Newton; R = Rotunda;  
RR = Robertson Room; S = Sanctuary; SSH = Snider Social Hall;  
TL = The Lounge; YP = Youth Parlor

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**APRIL 27, 2014 | 10:30 AM**

**Prelude** "Christ Is Arisen" J.S. Bach

**Welcome to The Peoples Church!** Rev. Andrew Pomerville

*Please pass the Friendship Roster located at the end of your pew.*

**Recognition of Earth Stewardship Sunday** Bill Nash, Chairperson  
Earth Stewardship Committee

**Call to Worship** (Adapted from Psalm 16)

You are our security, O Lord, we find refuge in You.

**Everything that is good comes from You, Lord!**

You give me guidance and make my heart glad,

**You lead me on the path of life.**

In Your presence there is fullness of joy,

**In Your kingdom there is fulfillment forever! Amen!**

**Gathering Hymn** "When In Our Music God is Glorified" **No. 641**  
(Please stand if able.)

DAN FORREST'S

**"REQUIEM FOR THE LIVING"**

*Sanctuary Choir directed by Dr. Jonathan Reed and accompanied by Judy Kabodian*

**I. INTROIT - KYRIE**

**II. VANITAS VANITATUM**

**Gospel Proclamation** John 20:19-31  
(Pew Bible Page 1,088, Large Print Page 1,652)

**Children's Moment**

## ***Welcome of New Members***

Lu Darr

Melinda Finger

Debra Macarty

Janet & Jim Erickson

Kristin & Tony Sesti

**We believe the teachings of Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, and with the help of God, we will strive daily to live the life of purity, unselfishness and service which He exemplified to the world.**

## ***Passing the Peace of Christ*** *(Please stand if able.)*

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.  
**And also with you.**

**III. AGNUS DEI**

## ***Offertory***

**IV. SANCTUS**

## ***Act of Praise*** *(Please stand if able.)*

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

## ***Prayer of Dedication***

**God of the impossible made possible, make of these offerings more than checks and cash. Transform them into salve for the wounded bodies of your children. In the ministries that these gifts empower, bring forth light, bring hope out of despair and new life from certain death, by the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

## ***Benediction*** *(Please stand if able.)*

**V. LUX AETERNA**

## ***Postlude***

"The Strife Is O'er"

arr. Michael Helman

# PEOPLES NEWS

## & Opportunities

### CONNECT

#### PEOPLES 101

Do you want to know more about The Peoples Church? Join our informal Q & A session, Peoples 101, as it is offered on the first Sunday of each month following the 10:30 a.m. worship service. The next Peoples 101 will be hosted May 4 in the Robertson Room.

#### ANNUAL STRAWBERRY BREAKFAST

The Women of Peoples Church will host their annual Strawberry Breakfast, at 9:00 a.m. on May 13 in Snider Social Hall. This year's theme is "Shining A Light." Special guests Tiffany Kennon and Jennifer VanderGalien will offer a keynote presentation on their experience of "Empowering Women and Transforming Lives in Tanzania." Tickets are \$8 each and are now available for purchase near the Welcome Center in the Northwest Entrance.



#### SENIOR RECOGNITION SUNDAY

Attention High School Class of 2014: We would like to celebrate your graduation with a breakfast for you and your family on May 18. The meal will be followed by special recognition during the 10:30 a.m. worship service. Contact Betsy Aho to be part of the morning's celebration.



#### SWEATY SHEEP

Pastor Andrew's walk/run group is now part of *WNL!* Be ready to go at 6:30 p.m.

### GROW

#### NOOMA

This *Wednesday Night Live!* discussion series will explore the provocative biblical and spiritual issues posed by national best-selling author and Okemos native Rob Bell in his NOOMA series of short-films. Join us at 6:30 p.m. in the Robertson Room each Wednesday through May 21. Come early for the 5:30 p.m. *WNL!* community meal in Snider Social Hall.

#### PEOPLES FORUM

Join us at 9:30 a.m. next Sunday, May 4, in the Robertson Room, as we host a panel discussion with members of the Council of Elders.

#### READING PEOPLE

Join us at 1:30 p.m. on May 15 in the Robertson Room as we discuss next month's book "Someone Knows My Name" by Lawrence Hill. On deck for June is "The Invention of Wings" by Sue Monk Kidd.

#### THURSDAYS WITH JESUS

Join our current series "The Life and Ministry of the Messiah" by Ray Vander Laan as our study guide. Join us from 6:45 to 8:30 p.m. in the Robertson Room.

## WE ARE SUPPORTING THREE STUDENTS ON A MEDICAL MISSION TO PERU

The Peoples Church is partnering with Tom Cawood, Heather Bick and Dana Snyder, students with MSU's School of Osteopathic Medicine, to support their August medical service trip to Peru. Our Community Engagement and Campus ministries have pledged a \$1,000 match to any funds the congregation collects by May 11. Youth and children are challenged to raise \$21 for each stethoscope to be used by these outstanding young doctors. Checks may be made payable to The Peoples Church, with "Peru Medical Trip" written in the memo line.

## SERVE

*Please return your completed form in the Sunday offering plate  
or to the church office during regular hours.*

### USED BOOK SALE VOLUNTEERS

\_\_\_ Yes, I (We) would like to offer our time to support the Library Committee's annual Used Book Sale.

Friday, May 16 (Set Up)    Saturday, May 17 (Sell)    Sunday, May 18 (Sell/Tear Down)

**Name** (Please Print): \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone** (Please Print): \_\_\_\_\_

*Book Sale organizers will contact you to arrange shift times.  
Questions? Contact Carol Jacob at 517.575.6297.*

### YES!!! I WANT TO HELP ON SPRING GROUNDS CLEAN UP DAY

9:00 A.M. - NOON ON MAY 10

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Number Attending:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**I will bring my own:**    Rakes    Trimmers    Blower    Hedge Trimmer

Ext. Cords    Other: \_\_\_\_\_

*Questions? Contact Matt Gosselin at 517.484.6813 or mattcatgosselin@comcast.net*