

# Chatham Community Church



Joined in the Spirit  
April 19, 2020  
Second Sunday of Easter Sunday

Centering Music

*"Blessed Assurance"*

## CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The church is empty, but so is the tomb!

People: **Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting?**

Leader: The church is not the building!

People: **The church is the people, gathered together to praise God!**

All: **We are the church! We are united in our love of Jesus and our desire to be true followers of our Risen Lord!**

## Opening Prayer

Let us pray...

**Gracious God, whose love knows no bounds, we gather before you coming with hearts full of Easter joy and hearts burdened by the concerns of the world. As we gather for worship, may the Holy Spirit lift and guide us, bringing us into the fullness of joy that only comes through relationship with you. We ask this in the name of your precious Son Jesus. Amen.**

## Opening Hymn (*refrain sung twice*)

**I am the church! You are the church!  
We are the church together!  
All who follow Jesus,  
all around the world!  
Yes, we're the church together!**

Scripture Reading

Exodus 33:12-23

## TIME OF PRAYER

### Pastoral Prayer, Lord's Prayer

*You are invited to speak names during the silent time – those people you want to remember in prayer.*

## GOD'S WORD REVEALED

Scripture for Reflection

John 16:16-22

Message

Pastor Patty

*"Joy in the Morning"*

Closing Hymn (*verse 1*)

*"Joy to the World"*

**Joy to the world, the Lord is come  
Let earth receive her King  
Let every heart prepare Him room  
And heaven and nature sing  
And heaven and nature sing  
And heaven, and heaven, and nature sing**

## Benediction and Congregational Response

**May the Lord, Mighty God, bless and keep you forever.  
Grant you peace, perfect peace, courage in every endeavor.  
Lift up your eyes and see God's face, full of grace forever.  
May the Lord, Mighty God, bless and keep you forever.**

*today*  
I CHOOSE  
*joy*

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*Please pray for:*

**Hoyt Mis**, Lou Gehrig's

**Bud Sudar**, failing health

**Laura Tice**, health concerns

**Jeff Natterer**, health concerns

**Charmaine Hrusch** – friend of Tom & Sandee –  
serious health issues

**Mancel Samples**, treatment for lung cancer

**Peyton**, young friend of Gary & Kathy –brain tumor

**Macee**, Tom & Sandee's 3-year-old friend – recovery

**Terry**, friend of Marlene's – Covid-19

**Greg**, friend of Diane's – Covid-19

**Marilyn**, friend of Karen's – recovering from Covid-19

**Our First Responders**

**Those whom we know who have tested  
positive for Covid-19**

**Ethan Siman, Adam Klein** in the service

**TITHES AND OFFERINGS** – If you would like to give your offering for the church to continue the mission of the church, please send your checks to Gary & Kathy Schroeder, 9460 Spencer Lake Rd. Spencer, OH 44275.

**CHATHAM WORSHIP** – You can experience worship with Chatham Community Church on Facebook, on YouTube (Chatham Community Church Medina OH) or through Dropbox. Please email your prayer concerns to Pastor Patty to be included in Sunday worship.



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