



# Falmouth Congregational Church United Church of Christ

An Open and Affirming Congregation  
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Serving Christ and Community since  
1754 Third Parish Church;  
1833 The Brick Church

The Reverend Amelia Edson

10:00 AM

**SECOND SUNDAY of EASTER**

April 11, 2021



**THE COMMUNITY GATHERS**

**GATHERING MUSIC**

**LIFE OF THE CHURCH**

**THE PASSING OF THE PEACE**

*(We invite you to turn and greet those around you while remaining in your seat.)*

One: May the peace of Christ be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

**PRELUDE**

**“A Stable Lamp is Lighted”**

Richard Wilbur

Marilee Beinema and Virginia Eddy

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

One: Dawn breaks. Light out of darkness. Life out of death.

**All: Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed!**

One: God has made this new day.

**All: Let us rejoice and be glad!**

One: Let us proclaim Easter joy with our hearts and our lives!

**All: Christ is risen! Hallelujah!**

**PROMISES OF THE GOSPEL**

One: The compassion of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting.

**All: God’s mercy is new every morning, great is God’s faithfulness.**

One: Let us believe the good news of the gospel.

**All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

**HYMN:**

**“Thine is the Glory”**  
Marilee Beinema and Eunice Wilcox

No. 218

**THE READING OF SCRIPTURE**

**Acts 4: 32-35**

Virginia Eddy

**THE SERMON**

Rev. Amelia Edson

~BAPTISM OF LUCAS HENRY MATHIEU~

Parents Allyssa & Cameron Mathieu

Godparents Nicole & Nicholas Lotfey

(See Insert)



**SPECIAL MUSIC**

**“My Faith Looks Up to Thee”**  
John & Eunice Wilcox

Ray Palmer

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

Rev. Amelia Edson

**THE LORD’S PRAYER**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

**OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD**

**HYMN**                                    **“Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain”**                                    No. 215

**BENEDICTION**

**BENEDICTION RESPONSE**                    **“Go in Peace”**                                    No. 445

**POSTLUDE**                                    **“Crown Him With Many Crowns”**                                    Mark Hayes

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**Throughout the order of worship, if print is in bold, words may be spoken in unison.**



**WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS**

Presiding:	Rev. Amelia Edson
Organist	Doris Krueger
Ushers:	Kim & Steve Hendry
Liturgist:	Virginia Eddy
Music:	Virginia Eddy, Marilee Beinema
Online Worship:	Virginia Eddy, Tom Stegemann, Jack Gervais, John Wilcox

**Next Sunday's Lectionary**

Acts 3: 12-19, Psalms 4, 1 John 3:1-7, Luke 24: 36b-48



# *Announcements:*

**Interested in membership?** Meet with Pastor Amelia after service on May 2nd to learn about our joining the church.

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**Lattes and Littles: Parents Group is starting May 15<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM** Join Pastor Amelia and her husband Jake and other Falmouth parents to hang out on the lawn (maybe inside too after COVID!) and meet other parents in a low stress, informal way. You can order speciality coffee or tea inside the church or bring your own.

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**Kids' Church** resumes next week 10:00-12:00 PM. Parents can attend church or drop your children off and have a moment to themselves - we are here to support you, and we know the struggle/ juggle can be real! Families can also pick up their kids at 11:00 AM after worship.

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**AMA Sermon Series:** Sermons just got more interactive! In her "Ask Me Anything" Pentecost Sermon Series, Pastor Amelia will tackle all your theological questions – and more - be ready to laugh, think and pray on this journey together.

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*Please remember the following people in your thoughts and prayers...*



*Joyce Harmon*

*Joan Cannuli*

*Elisabeth Perrault Hooper*

*The Rev. Geoff Parker and his wife, Julia.*

*James Smith*

*Jim and Kaye Smith*

*Terri Collins*

*Patrick Miele*

*Alan Mathieu's brother Wayne.*

*Val Gray*

*Sarah Davis' parents*

*Dr. Myron Krueger & Doris Krueger*

*John Graustein*

*Bee O'Brien*

*Norm O'Brien*

*Ginny Hamilton*

*Bill Graves*

*Sally Emery*



# *This Week's Calendar*

Sunday, April 11th

10:00 AM      Worship with Baptism of Lucas Mathieu

10AM – 12 PM Kids' Church

11:30 AM      Council of Ministry

Monday, April 12th - Pastor Amelia Out of Office until 4/19

12:00 PM      Bible Study Group

6:30 PM      Worship & Covenant (Rescheduled from last week)

Tuesday, April 13th

11:00 AM      Staff Meeting

3:30 PM      Girls on the Run

Wednesday, April 14th

6:30 PM      Handbell Choir

7:30 PM      Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, April 15th- **Congregator Deadline**

3:30 PM      Girls on the Run

Sunday, April 18th

10:00 AM      Worship with Rev. Kelli Whitman

10AM – 12 PM Kids' Church

## ***Falmouth Congregational Church Staff***

***Please call or email to make an appointment.***

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