

Life on the Road

Updates from City Road Chapel



April 12, 2026

2nd Sunday



This Sunday, we celebrate the Second Sunday of Easter, a time when the joy of Easter morning continues to unfold in our lives. In the Methodist tradition, Easter is not just a

single day, but a season of fifty days known as Eastertide, where we reflect on the power of the resurrection and what it means for us as followers of Christ today.

One of the central stories for this Sunday is the account of Thomas, often called “Doubting Thomas.” When first told that Jesus had risen, Thomas struggled to believe without seeing for himself. Yet when Jesus appeared to him, he was met not with condemnation, but with grace. This reminds us that in our own moments of doubt, questions, or uncertainty, Christ meets us where we are. Our faith does not have to be perfect to be real, and God’s love is steady even when our belief feels fragile.

For Methodists, this message speaks deeply to the heart of our faith. We believe in a living, active grace that is always at work within us, drawing us closer to God. The risen Christ brings peace, breathes new life into weary hearts, and calls us into a community where we can grow together in faith. Just as the disciples were sent out to share the good news, we too are called to live as people of the resurrection, offering hope, mercy, and love to the world around us.

As we continue in this Easter season, may we be reminded that the story did not end at the empty tomb. Christ is still present with us, still speaking peace into our lives, and still calling us forward. Whether our faith feels strong or uncertain, we are invited to trust, to follow, and to live as witnesses to the new life we have in Him.

This Week at City Road Chapel

Sunday, April 12, 2026

- Praise Team Rehearsal – 8:00 a.m.
- Sunday Worship – 9:00 a.m.
- Discipleship Classes – 10:30 a.m.
- Diversity & Inclusion Study – 6:00 p.m.

Monday, April 13

- Showers of Blessing – 7:00 a.m. to noon

Wednesday, April 15

- Showers of Blessing – 7:00 a.m. to noon
- Wednesday Prayer via Zoom – 2:00 p.m.

Thursday, April 16

- Men’s Prayer Breakfast – 6:00 to 7:00 a.m.

Sunday, April 19

- Praise Team Rehearsal – 8:00 a.m.
- Sunday Worship – 9:00 a.m.
- Discipleship Classes – 10:30 a.m.
- Diversity & Inclusion Study – 6:00 p.m.

✝ Faithful Servants ✝

Greeter

- April 12 – Jim Neely

Welcome Desk

- April 12 – Mac Smith
- April 19 – Philip Brown

Liturgists

- April 12 – Esther Walden
- April 19 – Reed Reding

Scripture Readers

- April 12 – Haylie Hartley
- April 19 – Kent Goodson