

# First Presbyterian Church

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Grace and Peace!

As I write this, I am preparing for the Maundy Thursday service tonight. The folks from the United Methodist Church will be joining us and it is a communion service. By the time you receive it, it may be Good Friday (worship will be a community service, at the Methodist Church at 7:00) or even Saturday.

Whatever the day, we have Easter before us, and for us, there is no better day to celebrate hope—there is no better cause for our hope—than Easter. We are the Easter people. So I hope you can find a way to worship with us at the church or online at [www.millerpresby.com](http://www.millerpresby.com).

I know that you have been through Easter before. If you are like me, you have spent most or all of your Easter mornings in a church. And yet, it is still important for us to gather once again (as best we can), and celebrate and remember this incredible story that our God gives to us. It is at its heart, a story about God, and not about us. But what it means for us is literally more important than any other thing.

It is my prayer that this year, you, by way of God's promises, are filled with hope. Because without hope, we are hobbled in all that we do. But with it, we can do all we are called to, by this God who loves us.

Blessings,

Brian Jones