



### SPRING VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Join us for this family-friendly event with projects for all skill levels! From mulching to mopping, sorting donations to shoveling, there's a way to pitch in at the workday! All are invited to this opportunity to serve our mission partner that does a wonderful job serving the community in the Versailles Road Corridor every day. Please meet us at 1109 Versailles Road, Suite 300 (Hope Springs) anytime!



### DONATE ANYTIME, ANYWHERE!

You can now scan the QR code at left with your phone using your camera to access our **WHC Giving Page!** From there, you can select a number of causes to donate to. *Not sure you can be here every Sunday?* You can also set up weekly and monthly giving using this QR! Contact the office with any questions!

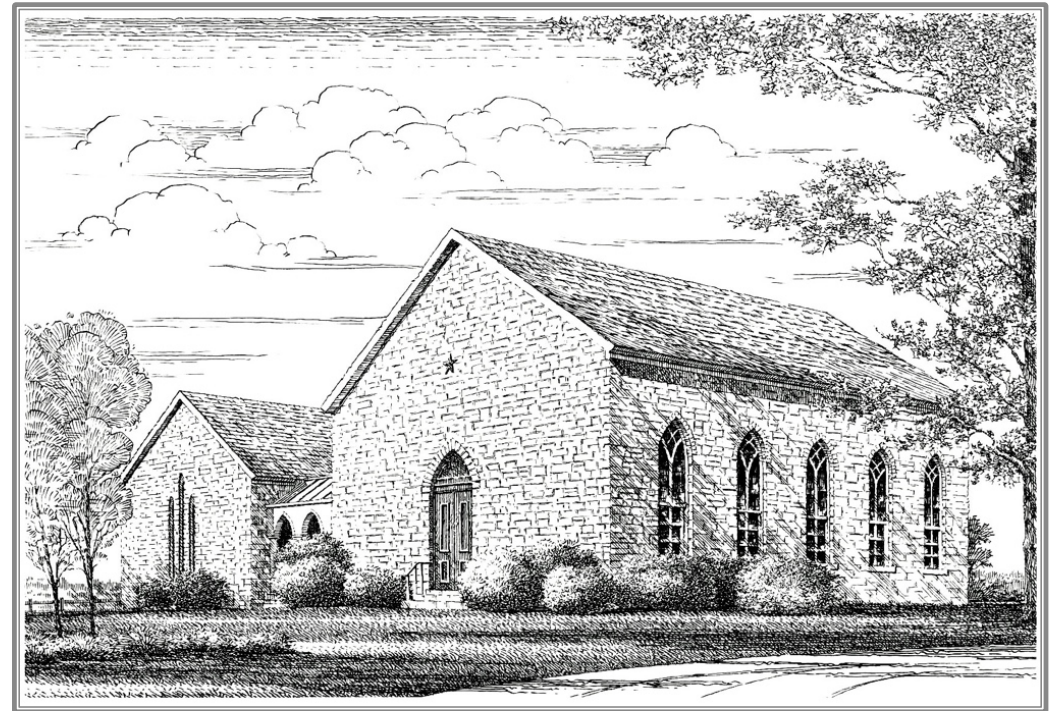


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## Order of Worship Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 10, 2026



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## Walnut Hill Church

*A welcoming, ecumenical congregation embodying the gospel of Jesus Christ, serving the community at large, and the world through worship, education, fellowship, and partnership outreach.*

## GATHERING

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### Greetings & Announcements

**Prelude** *Invocation* Dr. Angela Hurley  
Darwin Wolford | American (b. 1936)

**Baptism** Brianna Nicole Horn

**Confirmation** Leah Hekisoh Barnes  
Violet Jakumei Barnes  
Thomas Henry Johnston  
Brianna Nicole Horn

**\*Hymn #276** *Great is Thy Faithfulness*

### Call to Worship (from Psalm 108:3-5)

I will give thanks to you, O Lord;

**I will sing praises to you; for your steadfast love is great above all!**

Let us now worship the Lord our God.

### Invocation

#### Prayer of Confession

**Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.**

**We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name**  
**(Silent Confession.) Amen.**

#### Assurance of Pardon (from Psalm 108:8-12)

The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abundant in loving kindness.

**He will not always accuse; neither will he stay angry forever. He has not dealt with us according to our sins, nor repaid us for our iniquities.**

For as the heavens are high above the earth, so great is his loving kindness toward those who fear him.

**As far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us.**

**Hymn #384** *O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go*

### WORD

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**Scripture:** 1 Corinthians 13:1-3

**Sermon** *For The Love* Rev. Shawn Barkley

### RESPONDING

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#### Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

**Offering** *O Perfect Love* Dr. Angela Hurley  
Joseph Barnaby | English (1838–1896)  
*In honor of mothers in all their forms: by birth, by choice, and by heart*

**\*Doxology** (*The Worship Book*, p. 4) **and Prayer of Dedication**

### SENDING

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**\*Hymn #441** *I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord*

**\*Benediction**

**Postlude** *Allegro from Organ Concerto No. 15* Dr. Angela Hurley  
Johann Gottfried Walther | German (1684–1748)

*\*Please rise in body or in spirit.*