



Christ United Methodist Church

## Inside Out: Fear

October 10, 2021

9:00am Traditions Worship

### Introit

*Do Not Be Afraid*  
Chancel Choir

### Words of Welcome & Grace

Rev. Kirkland Reynolds

### Call to Worship

One: "When the storms of life are raging, stand by me"

Many: Lord, hear my cry and rescue me!

One: "When the world is tossing me like a ship upon the sea"

Many: God who rules wind and water, stand by me.

One: God stands with you in bright sunshine and deepest storm.

Many: God gently guides us to safety and peace.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

Call to Worship inspired by "Stand by Me", Charles Albert Tindley (UMH 512)

### Hymn

*How Firm a Foundation*

UMH 529

### Morning Prayer (responsive)

Rev. Jenny Cannon

One: (...) Save us, O Lord,

Many: we come to you.

Morning Prayer adapted from "Feasting on the Word: Worship Companion"

### Children's Lesson

Jody Peterson

*Children and families are invited to use our weekly Children's Bulletin for special activities that connect with worship and the children's message*

### Hearing the Word

Isaiah 43:1-3

Bob Heistand

### Call to Offering

#### Musical Offering

*You Are Mine*

Chancel Choir

### Prayer

Rev. Nancy Wheeler Handlon

### Hearing the Word

Matthew 14:22-32

### Message

"Stepping Out With Fear & Faith"

Rev. Kirkland Reynolds

### Hymn

*We Are Called*

FWS 2172

### Benediction

### Postlude

*Be Still, My Soul*

arr. John Varona

John Varona, Organ

### SCAN TO GIVE ONLINE:



Give in-person in the Narthex after the service  
or online at [cumethodist.com/give](http://cumethodist.com/give)

*Thank you for worshipping with us!*

*\*Indicates to stand as you are able.*

### Congregational Prayers:

For those who are considering a call to ministry

Comfort for the family of Lana Schultz who died Sept. 25

For John Lage on the death of his mother

Shirly Jean Larabee Lage

Gratitude for those who are friendly to those who feel left out

Wisdom for dealing with the environmental  
impact of the oil spill in CA

For Native American People and Cultures as we mark Indigenous  
Peoples' Day on Oct. 11

### Ministry Updates:

- An Influenza Vaccine Clinic at CUMC will be held in the Fireside Room TODAY from 8:30 to 11:00 AM. Please bring your Medicare/ health insurance cards. Wear short sleeves & masks required.
- Caring Ministry Servant Volunteer Training Oct. 15, 6:30-8pm and Oct. 16, 9-11:30am and 12:30-2pm at CUMC. Pre-registration is encouraged [pastornancy@cumethodist.com](mailto:pastornancy@cumethodist.com) or 289-4019x205 This training is expected for new Callers, Lay Visitors and Parish Ministers. We are looking for people for each of the three forms of Caring Visitors. The teams of Caring Visitors take on different assignments and ways of connecting.
- ASP Information Meeting - Sunday October 17 at 4:30pm, we will have an informational session in the ECC at Christ church. Please come, please invite friends to come, please come even if you can't go on ASP this year but want to be part of supporting the teams. Due to the pandemic, we have lost two years of enthusiastic storytellers recruiting new people to our ASP mission teams.



**PUMPKIN PAINTING PARTY!**  
10AM ~ OCTOBER 10 ~ LABYRINTH  
We'll provide the art supplies and pumpkins  
You provide the creativity!

### STAFF DIRECTORY

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Arise! Music Director: Oliver Books\*

Principal Organist: John Varona\*

Handbell Ensemble Directors: Paul Kingsbury (adults)\*

& Kari Hanson (children)\*

Children's Choir Director: Karla Sukov\*

Sunday Morning Tech: Brent Sorgenfrie, Martin Gardner, Joel Ott

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## Sunday October 10, 2021 -

- 8:00am ~ HyVee Influenza Clinic (Fireside)
- 9:00am ~ Traditions Worship Service (Sanctuary)
- 10:00am ~ *Pumpkin Painting Party (Labyrinth)*  
~ Contemporary Issues (146)
- 10:15am ~ Inquiring Spirits (145)
- 11:00am ~ Arise Worship Service (Sanctuary)
- 4:30pm ~ Youth Group (Yoga w/ Mike Skillern)

## Monday October 11, 2021

- 10:00am ~ Women's Connect Group (Zoom)
- 11:15am ~ Monday Men's Discussion Group (Zoom)
- 5:30pm ~ All Church Read Book Group (Zoom)

## Tuesday October 12, 2021

- 8:30am ~ Parish Ministry Meeting (Zoom)
- 1:00pm ~ Covenant Group (Zoom)  
~ UMW Quilters (Wesley Hall)
- 7:00pm ~ All Church Read Book Group (Zoom)
- 8:00pm ~ Pastoral Devotional (Church Facebook)

## Wednesday October 13, 2021

- 8:30am ~ Breakfast Fellowship (offsite)
- 10:00am ~ Online Knitting Group (WebEx)
- 5:00pm ~ Jubilee Bells (Bell Room)
- 5:30pm ~ Inside Out Activities and Snacks (Labyrinth)
- 6:00pm ~ Confirmation (ECC)  
~ Club 6-7 (Youth Room)  
~ CU Stay and Play (Education Hallway)  
~ Celebration Bells Rehearsal (Bell Room)
- 7:00pm ~ Chancel Choir (Sanctuary)  
~ Genesis Conversation (Zoom)
- 8:00pm ~ Pastoral Devotional (Church Facebook)

## Thursday October 14, 2021

- 8:00am ~ Men's Coffee Group (Room 145)
- 8:30am ~ Gardening Team Work (Meet in East Lot)  
~ Covenant Group (Zoom)
- 4:00pm ~ Women's Connect Group (Zoom)
- 7:00pm ~ The Civil War: Theological Crisis (Zoom)  
~ UMW Circle 4 (WebEx)
- 8:00pm ~ Pastoral Devotional (Church Facebook)

## Friday October 15, 2021

- 10:00am ~ UMW Book Group
- 6:30pm ~ Caring Visitor Training (Room 145)

## Saturday October 16, 2021

- 7:30am ~ Saturday Noon Meals (Prep at CUMC, serve at the Landing)
- 9:00am ~ Caring Visitor Training (Room 145)  
~ Thrift on Fifth Sidewalk Sale (West Entrance)
- 12:30pm ~ Caring Visitor Training (Room 145)

## Sunday October 17, 2021

- 9:00am ~ Traditions Worship Service (Sanctuary)
- 10:00am ~ Third Sunday Forum (ECC)
- 11:00am ~ Arise Worship Service (Sanctuary)
- 3:00pm ~ Blessing of the Animals Service (Soldier's Field Park)
- 4:30pm ~ ASP Information Session

## ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

- **Handbells: Try Before You Buy! Starts next week!** Have you been curious about bells but not sure if it's quite your thing? Do you want to get more involved in the church but you're not sure how? Here's your chance! The "Try Before You Buy" Handbell Choir will practice for four weeks, then play in service on Nov 14 - then we're done! **NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED!** Practice 10:15-10:45 Sunday mornings starting Oct 17. Curious? Contact Paul at [paul@cumethodist.com](mailto:paul@cumethodist.com) for details.



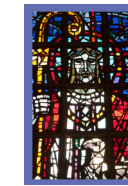
- **Thrift on Fifth Sidewalk Sales are coming!** Join us for Thrift on Fifth Sidewalk sales on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of October and November from 9am-Noon. We will move inside during inclement weather.

- **Green Tip of the Week from EarthKeepers:** Don't beat yourself up! You don't have to be perfect in making earth-friendly changes in your lifestyle. Remember John Wesley's point that we are "going on to perfection." As in our faith, we are on a journey toward a goal. God's grace covers our failings, and God's Spirit enables us to continue. Hold the vision of perfection and keep taking steps toward it.



**Blessing the Animals Service**  
**Soldier's Field Park**  
**October 17 ~ 3pm**  
Bring your dogs, cats, lizards, hamsters or any other beloved animals that can be safely transported to our Blessing of the Animals service at Soldier Field Park. You are also welcome to bring a photo of your pet or join us without an animal and be part of the fun.

**Trunk or Treat**  
**Sunday, October 24 • 3:30-5pm**  
Trunk or Treating • Games • Haunted Hallway • Music & Dancing



## Christ United Methodist Church

Creating committed Christ Followers  
for the transformation of the world.

9:00am Traditions Worship ~ October 10, 2021



Here I am Lord,  
Is it I Lord?  
I have heard you calling in the night  
I will go Lord,  
If you lead me,  
I will hold your people in my heart

- Here I Am Lord

Dan Shute (UMH 593)

*With open hearts, open minds and open doors, we welcome people of all races, nationalities, theologies and abilities. We welcome people of all sexual orientations and gender identities. We offer a safe and compassionate place to reconcile faith, identity, hope, understanding and mutual respect.*

We welcome you and name the sacred power of the Wahpeton people on whose land we stand.