



PALM SUNDAY
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April 10, 2022

9:00am Traditions Worship

Prelude *Marche Religieuse* Alexandre Guilmant
John Varona, Organ

Call to Worship words on screen
adapted from Thom Shuman

Hymn *All Glory Laud and Honor* UMH 280

Welcome Rev. Jenny Cannon & Rev. Kirkland Reynolds

Morning Prayer Rev. Nancy Wheeler Handlon
from www.ministrymatters.com

Invitation to Give
Musical Offering *What a Friend We Have in Jesus*
Jubilee Bells

Children's Message Jody Peterson

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem *Hosanna* Randall Thompson
Chancel Choir

Hearing the Word Luke 19:28-40

Message "Jesus Moves Into the Neighborhood"
Rev. Kirkland Reynolds

Affirmation of Faith words on screen
Submitted by Rev. Julia Seymour, Lutheran Church of Hope, Anchorage AK.

Hymn *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna* UMH 278

Benediction

Postlude *Recessional* William Mathias
John Varona, Organ

Thank you for worshiping with us!

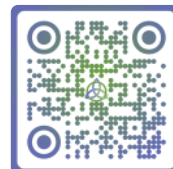
Congregational Prayers

- ◇ For Billie Needham celebrating 103 years of life this week
- ◇ For signs of spring unfolding and for Palm Sunday alleluias
- ◇ For peace throughout the world and for those who suffer from violence
- ◇ For those living and serving far from home
- ◇ Beverly Allen in the hospital



- **Maundy Thursday 5pm Online Worship** We are holding worship online to create space for you to invite your neighbors into your home (if your COVID precautions allow. Please do not do anything you're not comfortable with.) Immediately following Worship we invite you to join a time of zoom fellowship: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87843591946>
- **Good Friday - Prayer Walk Noon-1:15pm** we will hold a prayer walk starting at Christ UMC to intentionally pray throughout our community. **Good Friday Worship at 7pm** Worship will be held in the Sanctuary and live-streamed via our youtube channel and at facebook.com/cumethodist
- **Holy Saturday** Youth Easter Vigil Lock in - contact Pastor Amanda for more information.
- **Easter Worship**
9am - Traditions Worship (Sanctuary)
11am - Arise Worship (Sanctuary)
Caramel Rolls Sale to support ASP Team
Easter Egg Hunt through the morning

SCAN TO GIVE ONLINE:



To scan a QR code, use your cell phone camera, aim at the picture above, and tap the link that appears. No special software is necessary with most devices.

Give in-person in the Narthex after the service or online at cumethodist.com/give

Ministry Updates:

- **Easter Flower Ordering forms due tomorrow** Flowers may be purchased in memory or honor of loved ones. Flowers can be taken home or donated to homebound or bereaved church members. Online form available at tinyurl.com/EasterFlower22 or look for a paper form in the office.
- **Final Lent Bible Study Sunday at 10am in the Fireside Room** Join our Pastors for a conversation of the weekly scripture passages related to this year's Lenten theme, *Won't You Be A Good Neighbor?*
- **Children are invited to return their Lenten Collection Boxes today** Thank you for helping us to support the Minnesota Food Share March Campaign through Channel One. Donations are welcome *by the end of the day*, and can be made through our website at cumethodist.com/give
- **Soup and Stations today, 4:30-6:00** Wesley Hall will be transformed into experiential prayer/worship/devotion stations to move us through Holy Week. At 5:30 we will eat a simple meal of soup and bread. All ages are welcome.
- **Parenting Meetup between Worship Services** We invite parents to connect and discuss parenting topics. Drop your kids off at Children's Choir or in the youth room, grab a cup of coffee, and join in Room 135.
 - April 10, 10:15-10:50 ~ Room 135 *Children and Grief* (Rev. Nancy Wheeler Handlon)



Audio induction loop systems (T loops) are available. To use, please switch your hearing aid to 'T'.

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& Kari Hanson (children)*

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Sunday April 10, 2022 ~ Palm Sunday

- 9:00am ~ Traditions Worship (Sanctuary)
~ Thrift on Fifth Open
- 10:00am ~ Lenten Bible Study (Fireside Room)
~ Contemporary Issues (146)
- 10:15am ~ Children's Choir Rehearsal (134)
~ Parent Meet Up (135)
~ Inquiring Spirits (145 or Zoom)
- 11:00am ~ Arise Worship (ECC)
- 4:00pm ~ Soup and Stations (Wesley Hall)
- 4:30pm ~ Youth Group (Youth Room)

Monday April 11, 2022

- 10:00am ~ Women's Connect Group (Zoom)
- 11:15am ~ Men's Book Study & Mutual Support (Zoom)

Tuesday April 12, 2022

- 10:30am ~ Staff Meeting (Mettam)
- 12:15pm ~ Lenten Organ Recital (Sanctuary)
- 1:00 pm ~ Covenant Discipleship Group (Zoom)
~ UMW Quilters (Wesley Hall)
- 7:00pm ~ Thrive Board Meeting

Wednesday April 13, 2022

- 8:30am ~ Monthly Breakfast Fellowship (offsite)
- 10:00am ~ Online Knitting Group (WebEx)
- 4:00pm ~ Thrift on Fifth Open
- 5:00pm ~ Jubilee Bells (Sanctuary)
- 5:30pm ~ CU Wednesday Dinner
- 6:00pm ~ Celebration Bells (Bell Room)
- 7:00pm ~ Chancel Choir (Sanctuary)
- 8:00pm ~ Pastoral Livestream ([facebook.com/cumethodist](https://www.facebook.com/cumethodist))

Thursday April 14, 2022 ~ Maundy Thursday

- 8:00am ~ Men's Coffee Group (145)
- 8:30am ~ Parish Ministry Meeting (Zoom)
~ Covenant Discipleship Group (Zoom)
- 4:00pm ~ Women's Connect Group (Zoom)
~ Arise Band Rehearsal (ECC)
- 5:00pm ~ Maundy Thursday Online Worship ([facebook](https://www.facebook.com/cumethodist) or [youtube](https://www.youtube.com/cumethodist))
~ Immediately followed by Zoom Fellowship

Friday April 15, 2022 ~ Good Friday

- 10:00am ~ Rug Hooking Group
- 12:00pm ~ Good Friday Prayer Walk (Meet at CUMC)
- 7:00pm ~ Good Friday Worship

Saturday April 16, 2022 ~ Holy Saturday

- 7:30am ~ Saturday Noon Meals (prep at CUMC, serve at the Landing)
- 9:00am ~ Thrift on Fifth OPEN - closes at noon (downstairs)
- 6:30pm ~ Youth Lock-In

Sunday April 17, 2022 ~ Easter

- 9:00am ~ Traditions Worship (Sanctuary)
~ Thrift on Fifth Open
- 10:00am ~ ASP Caramel Roll Sales (Commons)
~ Easter Egg Hunt (Churchwide)
- 11:00am ~ Arise Worship (Sanctuary)

ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

- **Tuesday Lenten Organ Recitals this week** - John Varona, organ and David Townsend, clarinet will host the final Lenten Organ Recital of the season **this Tuesday at 12:15pm** in the Sanctuary. From 12:45-1:00pm, the Sanctuary will remain open for a time of prayer and reflection.
- **Delivering Easter Joy with Easter Flowers** On Tuesday, April 19 members of our caring team will deliver Easter flowers to homebound and bereaved members and friends of CUMC. Contact Kathy Davis if you are interested in delivering Easter flowers or would like more information.



- **This Month's Sunday Forum will be on the Fourth Sunday April 24** - We are shifting this month's forum on Solar Energy to the fourth Sunday as to not conflict with Easter



- **Join the Women's Choir on United Women in Faith Sunday April 24** During the UWF worship service on Sunday 24 April, ladies and girls of all ages are invited to sing together in a women's choir that will rehearse on the morning of the 24th at 8am. Come and join your voice as we celebrate the history and future of UWF!

- **Help Welcome People and Extend Hospitality** We are looking for new people to join our greeting and ushering team and help us offer a warm welcome to everyone attending worship. The 11:00am usher team is looking for one more usher for the team that serves on odd numbered months. Contact Kathy Davis or an 11:00am usher if you are interested.
- **Thrift on Fifth has returned to its pre-pandemic schedule** - Thrift on Fifth will be open Wednesdays, 4-7 PM, Saturdays 9-12 Noon, and Sundays 9-12. There will not be staff on Sundays; you can put your payments in the red honor box just outside the door of the Purple Room. We appreciate all our shoppers and donors. From now on, please donate warm weather clothing items only. We look forward to seeing you at the store!
- **Community Iftar Dinner on Tuesday, April 19th from 6pm - 8:30 pm at Mayo High School.** The Isaiah Coalition and Muslim Coalition Rochester extend an invitation to a community meal and gathering. It will be a chance to learn about the holy season of Ramadan, build connections with neighbors, and celebrate our diverse, multiracial and multifaith community. All ages are welcome. Register: <https://forms.gle/4ZjcGeiwGAd6g4wB6>

Won't You Be a Good Neighbor? Holy Week & Easter 2022

MAUNDY THURSDAY

5pm Online Worship at [facebook.com/cumethodist](https://www.facebook.com/cumethodist)
or [youtube.com/ChristUnitedMethodistChurchRochesterMN](https://www.youtube.com/ChristUnitedMethodistChurchRochesterMN)

followed by Zoom Fellowship [tinyurl.com/Maundy2022](https://www.tinyurl.com/Maundy2022)

GOOD FRIDAY

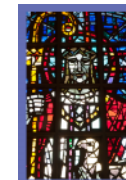
12pm Prayer Walk Starting at CUMC

7pm Sanctuary Worship (in-person or online)

EASTER SUNDAY

9 & 11am Sanctuary Worship (in-person or online)

10am ASP Caramel Roll Sales & children's Easter Egg hunt



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for the transformation of the world.

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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.