

Christ United Methodist Church

Good Friday

April 15, 2022

You are invited to come forward and light a candle at the sand tables as you arrive or during the opening hymn.

Prelude John Varona, Organ

Opening Words Rev. Jenny Cannon

Hymn *What Wondrous Love is This?* (v.1,2,4)UMH 292

Prayer of Confession Rev. Nancy Wheeler Handlon

One: The cross that held the Savior of the world.

All: Holy God, holy and mighty,
holy immortal one, have mercy on us.

One: (...) and you have made a cross for your Savior.

All: Lord, have mercy.

First Station *Jesus Prays in the Garden*
Matthew 26:36-56

A Candle is Extinguished

Second Station *Jesus is Condemned to Death*
Mark 15:1,3-15

A Candle is Extinguished

Hymn *O Love Divine, What Has Thou Done* (v.1-3)
UMH 287

Third Station *Jesus Takes Up His Cross*
Mark 15:16-20

A Candle is Extinguished

Fourth Station *Simon Helps Jesus to Carry His Cross*
Mark 15:21-24

A Candle is Extinguished

Hymn *Lamb of God* FWS 2113

Fifth Station *Jesus Speaks to the Women*
Luke 23:37-31

A Candle is Extinguished

Sixth Station *Jesus is Stripped of His Clothing*
John 19:23-25a

A Candle is Extinguished

Choir Anthem *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*
arr. G. Martin

Cancel Choir

Seventh Station *Jesus is Nailed to the Cross*
Mark 15:24-25,27-32

The Christ Candle is Extinguished

Eighth Station *Jesus Dies*
Matthew 27:45-54

Organ Anthem *Mvmt. V from Les Corps Glorieux*
Olivier Messiaen

John Varona

Strepitus

The strepitus (Latin for "great noise") symbolizes Christ's death and the earthquake that is described in Matthew 27:52.

Silence

Vocal Solo *Were You There*
Bob Heistand

Closing Words

Depart in Silence

Thank you for worshiping with us.

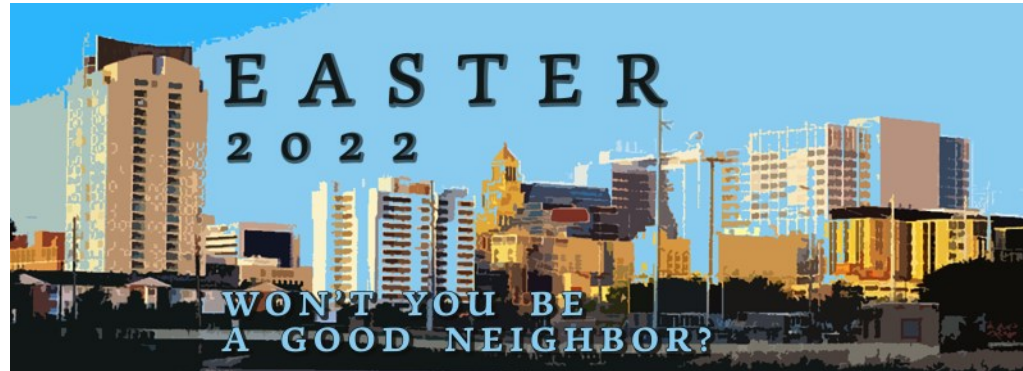
Special thanks to Kaela Koalska for assisting with worship

Please join us again for

Easter Sunday Worship at 9am and 11am



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



Easter Worship

9am - Traditions Worship (Sanctuary)

11am - Arise Worship (Sanctuary)

Caramel Rolls Sale to support ASP Team

Easter Egg Hunt through the morning



Starting in May we will begin our new Sermon Series

"Holy Ground"

This sermon series is meant to connect us more deeply to creation and lead us to actively claiming our call to be caretakers of the earth.

Visit us again

- ✦ **April 24: Sunday Forum "Solar Energy"** Presented by Micah Johnson and Kathryn Gardner. They will show you what solar panels look like and how they are installed. Questions like: "How well does solar energy work in Minnesota?" "How much energy do systems produce?" "What are the costs involved?" and "What incentives are available?" will be answered.
- ✦ **Visit us in the community!** Christ UMC will have booths at some upcoming community events, and we would love to see you there to help support these amazing causes and learn about community justice opportunity
 - ✦ **Earthfest Expo April 30th** at the Rochester's Farmers Market 9am-12pm
 - ✦ **Rochester Pride May 21st** at Soldiers Field Park from 12pm-5pm
- ✦ **Litter Bit Better** : CUMC is participating in the Litter Bit Better campaign this spring. This initiative invites groups to adopt areas of Rochester for litter and recycling clean up. CUMC has adopted a section along the Soldier's Field Bike Path. Join us on Sunday, May 1st between 4:30 and 6:00 pm or Saturday, May 7th between 9:30 am and 11:00 am to help clean our community. Supplies will be available at the church.
- ✦ **Thrift on Fifth** - Purchase seasonal clothing for \$1.00 or less. All proceeds help Thrive Child Care and Family Resource Center offer affordable childcare in downtown Rochester. Hours: Wednesdays 4-7pm, Saturday and Sunday 9am-12pm.
- ✦ **Pentecost Picnic at Oxbow Park Second Bridge:** June 5th from 1-3pm we will host an afternoon of food and fun. CUMC will provide hotdogs, veggiedogs, and drinks. Bring a side dish or dessert to share. All are welcome!



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.



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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.