

Order of Worship

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| Prelude | “Honduras Alleluia” arr Patricia Hurlbutt | Celebration Bells |
| Welcome | Rev. Jenny Cannon & Rev. Kirkland Reynolds | |
| *Hymn | “Christ Is Risen” | UMH 307 |
| +Morning Prayer (Words Onscreen) | | |
| Children’s Message | Jody Peterson | |
| Invitation to Give | | |
| Musical Offering | “For the Beauty of the Earth (DIX)” Conrad Kocher, arr France Callahan | Celebration Bells |
| *Doxology | UMH 94 | |
| Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! | | |
| Pastoral Prayer | Rev. Nancy Wheeler Handlon | |
| The Lord’s Prayer | UMH 895 | |
| *Hymn | “In the Garden” | UMH 314 |
| Hearing the Word | John 21:1-19 | |
| Message | “Fishing, Feeding, Following: Life in the New Creation” Rev. Jenny Cannon | |

***Hymn** “For the Fruits of This Creation” UMH 96

Connections & Next Steps

Benediction

Postlude “Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee”
arr David Cherwien John Varona, Organ

You are welcome to remain seated or to depart during the postlude

We invite you to join us for coffee and conversation after today’s worship service

*indicates you may stand as you are able

+Morning Prayer adapted from a prayer by Walter Rauschenbusch

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Congregational Prayers

- Gratitude for the beauty of daffodils and tulips
- For children in foster care
- For the people of Sudan
- For seminary students
- For an end to gun violence
- For the ongoing work of racial justice
- For Ralph Yarl and family of Kaylin Gillis



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Announcements

Welcome to Christ UMC. We are glad you are here!

Children in Worship Children are always welcome in worship. Activity packs are available near the Sanctuary entrance. Our nursery is adjacent to the church office. There are always two adults in our nursery. You may stay with your child if you like.

Native American Ministries Special Offering United Methodists celebrate, recognize and commit to support Native Americans and their contributions to society and The United Methodist Church. Your special gift toward UMC Native American Ministries will support ministry in Minnesota, grants for outreach and ministry, and fund scholarships. Please note "Native American Ministries" on your gift. You may also give at cumethodist.com/give using the "UMC Special Sunday Offering" option.

A Disciple’s Path Do you want to take the next step in your faith? A Disciple’s Path is a class hosted by our pastors that is designed to deepen our life as disciples of Christ by delving into the roots of our beliefs, traditions and practices. New visitors and members as well as longtime members are welcome to join. Class will take place Sundays from 12:15-1:30pm April 23, & 30 in the Fireside Room. Contact Pastor Jenny or Pastor Kirkland to RSVP.

Litter Bit Better CUMC will be participating in the Litter Bit Better campaign on April 23rd at 4pm. This is a campaign inviting groups to adopt areas of the city for litter and recycling collection to help keep Rochester clean. CUMC has adopted a section along Soldier's Field bike path. Please meet at the church. Trash bags will be available at church throughout the week for those who want to pick up on their own. [Contact](#) Pastor Jenny for more info.

Caring for Minnesota Rally Join ISAIHAH & people of faith and shared values at 2pm on Saturday, April 29 in MLK Park for a Caring for Minnesota rally that will share powerful stories around what our communities need, and ask elected officials to support an agenda for a caring economy and multiracial democracy where everyone can live with dignity. RSVP [HERE](#)

Family Promise Forum Please join us Sunday April 30th at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church from 1-3pm for an educational update on homelessness in Rochester & learn what Family Promise is doing to help. With special guest speaker Chad Dull with Poverty Informed Practice LLC.



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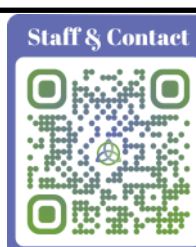
Children's Sabbath On May 7th our children will be leading the worship service at both 9am and 11am as we celebrate being part of God's wild and wonderful creation. If you'd like to play a role in children's sabbath contact Ms. Jody or [Pastor Amanda](#).

Thrift on Fifth Last Call for winter items for our thrift store! They're half price now, but the same great quality. We can't store them, but you could. Spring and summer items are moving gradually onto our racks. Please limit your donations to spring and summer items. Hope to see you soon!



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Sunday, April 23, 2023

- 8:30am ~ Nursery Opens - available until 12:30pm
- 9:00am ~ Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)
~ Sunday School (9am & 11am)
- 10:00am ~ Thrift on Fifth Open (closes at 11am)
~ Contemporary Issues
~ Inquiring Spirits
~ Special Needs Ministry Team Meeting (Mettam)
- 11:00am ~ Arise Worship (ECC)
- 12:15pm ~ A Disciple's Path (Fireside)
- 4:00pm ~ Litter Bit Better Clean Up

Monday, April 24, 2023

- 11:15am ~ Men's Book Study & Mutual Support (Zoom)

Tuesday, April 25, 2023

- 10:30am ~ Staff Meeting
- 1:00 pm ~ Covenant Discipleship Group (Zoom)
~ UWF Quilters (Wesley Hall)

Wednesday, April 26, 2023

- 10:00am ~ Online Knitting Group (WebEx)
- 1:30pm ~ Women's Study Group (Zoom)
- 4:00pm ~ Thrift on Fifth Open (till 7pm)
- 5:00pm ~ CU Wednesday (till 7:30pm)
- 5:30pm ~ Dinner in Wesley Hall- All Ages
- 7:00pm ~ Chancel Choir Rehearsal
- 8:00pm ~ Evening Prayers Live (facebook.com/cumethodist)

Thursday, April 27, 2023

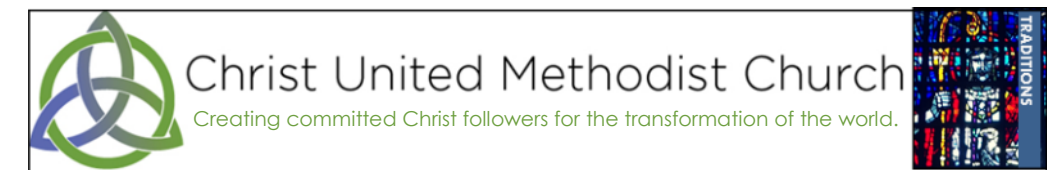
- 8:00am ~ Men's Coffee Group (145 and Zoom)
- 8:30am ~ Covenant Discipleship Group (Zoom)
- 1:00pm ~ Women's Book Group (145)
- 4:00pm ~ Arise Band Rehearsal (ECC)
- 7:00pm ~ UWF Circle 4 (Skype)

Friday, April 28, 2023

- 10:00am ~ Rug Hooking Group
~ Women & The Sacred
- 11:00am ~ RMG Listen & Learn Event (ECC)

Saturday, April 29, 2023

- 7:30am ~ Saturday Noon Meals Prep (Kitchen)
- 8:00am ~ Foundation Board Meeting
~ UWF Tea Setup
- 9:00am ~ Thrift on Fifth Open (till 12pm)
- 12:00pm ~ Saturday Noon Meals (Wesley Hall)
- 12:45pm ~ MN Reconciling Congregations Spring Gathering (145)
- 2:00pm ~ UWF Tea



9:00am Traditions Worship April 23, 2023 Third Sunday of Easter



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

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