Order of Worship

Prelude "Piano Sonata in B major"

W. A. Mozart John Varona, Piano

Welcome Rev. Jenny Cannon & Rev. Kirkland Reynolds

Scripture: Gathering Luke 24:13-19a

Song "Emmaus Road"

vs.1

+Morning Prayer Rev. Nancy Wheeler Handlon (Words Onscreen)

Children's Message Jody Peterson

Invitation to Give Jen Hazleton, Thrive Board Chair

Musical Offering "Stay With Us" Jackie Robie, Flute
Walter Peltz

*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!

Scripture: Listening Luke 24:19b-27

Song "Emmaus Road"

vs.2

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Jenny Cannon

Message "Walk This Way" Rev. Kirkland Reynolds

Scripture: Responding Luke 24:28-32

Song "Emmaus Road"

vs.3

Scripture: Sending Luke 24:33-35

Song "Emmaus Road"

vs.4

Connections & Next Steps

Benediction

Postlude "Polonaise" John Varona, Piano

Frédéric Chopin

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 by Lindsey Sanderson

Congregational Prayers

- For Thrive Childcare & Family Resource Center
- For those in the hospital, including Alan Larson
- For the reconciling ministries of The United Methodist Church
- For an outpouring of acts of compassion & justice
- Prayers of thanksgiving for the birth of Claira Marie Floryance, granddaughter of Jackie and Steve Robie
- Prayers for Diana Eickelberg & family on the death of Stu Eickelberg April 28th



If you would like to sponsor this ministry, please send an email to our Director of Operations, Jack Jefferson at jack@cumethodist.com. The 9am service airs Sundays @11:30am on KOLM radio 1520 AM. (\$60)

Announcements

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

<u>Children in Worship</u> 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.

<u>Choir Rehearsal</u> There will be no adult choir rehearsal next Wednesday, May 3.

<u>Family Promise Forum</u> Please join us TODAY at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church from 1-3pm for an educational update on homelessness in Rochester & learn what Family Promise is doing to help. Special guest speaker Chad Dull with Poverty Informed Practice LLC. Contact Pastor Jenny for more info.

<u>CUMC Grounds Cleanup</u> On Saturday, May 6 from 9am-11am, we will be cutting back pollinators, cleaning out the beds and possibly mulching a couple areas. Bring gloves and hedge shears if you have – if not, come anyway! We would love to see you! Contact Mary Schmidt @ 507-254-5216 with any questions.

<u>UWF Service of Remembrance</u> On Thursday, May 4th at 10am we will honor the women who have passed away this last year with a service in the Sanctuary led by Pastor Nancy Wheeler Handlon, Elaine Bauman and John Varona. Lunch will follow in the Commons. All are welcome.

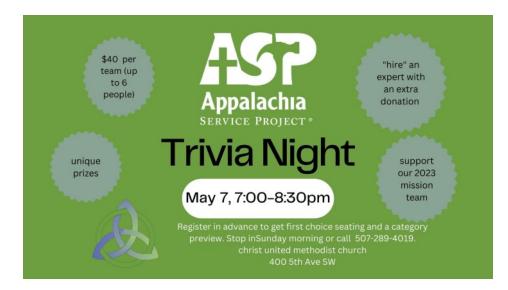
<u>Children's Worship</u> On May 7th our children will be leading the worship service at both 9am and 11am as we celebrate being part of God's wild and wonderful creation. If you'd like to play a role in children's sabbath contact Ms. Jody or Pastor Amanda.

Rochester Pride CUMC is one of the sponsors for Pride and will once again have a booth at the Soldier's Field Pride Festival on May 20th from 12pm-5pm. We're looking for volunteers to staff our booth in shifts throughout the day. This year CUMC is also partnering with other congregations to host a Pride After-Party on May 20th for Ages 12-18 at Old School Entertainment from 5-10pm. This will be a safe place for young people to gather and we're seeking adult chaperones and some financial support. Contact the church to let us know you can help!

<u>Thrift on Fifth</u> We're transitioning away from winter and hoping the weather follows suit. Come find something colorful or fun to refresh your wardrobe and your outlook, We're open from 4-7pm Wednesdays, 9-Noon Saturdays, and 10-11 Sundays.

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<u>Thrive Open House</u> Join us TODAY from 10-11am! Come tour Thrive, chat with teachers & board members and check out what Thrive has to offer!





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Sunday, April 30, 2023

8:30am ~ Nursery Opens - available until 12:30pm9:00am ~ Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)

~ Sunday School (9am & 11am)

10:00am ~ Thrift on Fifth Open (closes at 11am)

~ Thrive Open House

~ Contemporary Issues (Zoom)

 \sim Inquiring Spirits (Room 145)

11:00am ~ Arise Worship (ECC)

12:15pm ~ A Disciple's Path (Fireside)

2:30pm ~ Dale Thomas Memorial Service (Chapel)

3:00pm ~ Dale Thomas Reception

4:30pm ~ Youth Group

Monday, May 1, 2023

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

Tuesday, May 2, 2023

1:00 pm ~ Covenant Discipleship Group (Zoom)

Wednesday, May 3, 2023

10:00am ~ Online Knitting Group (WebEx)

1:30pm ~ Women's Study Group (Zoom)

4:00pm ~ Thrift on Fifth Open (til 7pm)

5:00pm ~ CU Wednesday (til 7:30pm)

5:30pm ~ Dinner in Wesley Hall- All Ages

8:00pm ~ Evening Prayers Live (<u>facebook.com/cumethodist</u>)

Thursday, May 4, 2023

8:00am ~ Men's Coffee Group (145 and Zoom)8:30am ~ Covenant Discipleship Group (Zoom)

10:00am ~ UWF Memorial Service

11:30am ~ UWF Memorial Service Luncheon
1:00pm ~ Women's Book Group (145)
4:00pm ~ Arise Band Rehearsal (ECC)
7:00pm ~ UWF Circle 4 (Skype)

Friday, May 5, 2023

Saturday, May 6, 2023

7:30am ~ Saturday Noon Meals Prep (Kitchen)

9:00am ~ Garden Ministry Work Day

~ Thrift on Fifth Open (til 12pm)

10:00am ~ Tea & Tacos

12:00pm ~ Saturday Noon Meals (Wesley Hall)

Interested in any of these events or have questions? Visit the Welcome Desk or church office.

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9:00am Traditions Worship April 30, 2023 Fourth Sunday of Easter



Cara B. Hochhalter, On the Road to Emmaus

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