

Christ United Methodist Church
Pastor Elizabeth's Farewell Sunday

June 6, 2021

*Indicates to stand as you are able.
 (UMH) United Methodist Hymnal (the red book)
 (FWS) Faith We Sing (the black book)

Prelude	<i>Carillon de Westminster</i> John Varona, Organ	Louis Vierne
	<i>Festival Finale on 'All Creatures of Our God and King'</i> Douglas E Wagner Celebration Bells & John Varona, Organ	
Words of Welcome & Grace		Rev. Elizabeth Macaulay
*Hymn	<i>Great is Thy Faithfulness</i>	UMH 140
Morning Prayer		Rev. Nancy Wheeler Handlon
Children's Lesson		Jody Peterson
Anthem	<i>Ringin' Changes**</i> Celebration Bells	Mary McCleary
Hearing the Word	Deuteronomy 6: 1-9	Rev. Elizabeth Macaulay
Call to Offering		
Musical Offering	<i>Blessing</i> Zimmer Singers and Daria Koon	Katie Moran Bart
Hearing the Word	Matthew 5: 13 - 16 Acts 2: 43 - 47	
Sermon	"These Things"	Rev. Elizabeth Macaulay
An Order of Farewell		CUMC Leadership Board Members
Vocal Blessing	<i>Irish Blessing</i> Chancel Choir	
*Hymn	<i>God of Grace and God of Glory</i>	UMH 577
*Benediction		
Postlude	<i>Toccata, Symphony No. 5</i> John Varona, Organ	Charles-Marie Widor

Thank you for worshiping with us! Please join us again.

Farewell and Blessings Pastor Elizabeth!



Today:

- **11am Spring Into Summer!** Join us in our East Lot immediately following Parking Lot Worship for a final Farewell to Pastor Elizabeth, games, and ice cream treats from Flapdoodles!

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****From our Bell Choir:** "Ringin' Changes" is a musical play on words. The title refers to "change ringin'" which is the 17th-century ancestor of modern handbell ringin'. Listen for the descending scale at the beginning to change into an ascending scale and then back. The composition also takes an original melody through several changes of tempo, key, metre, and technique before ending with an evocation of a congregation singing while the tower bells peal outside. Today, of course, the piece marks the change in the life of CUMC

Congregational Prayers:

- Gratitude for the ministry of lead pastor Elizabeth Macaulay and for that of her husband, the Rev. Cooper Wigger (retired).
- For Toni Mangskau on the death of her mother Barbara Hatcher on June 1, 2021
- Appreciation for summer picnics and hikes and gathering around a campfire
- Thankfulness for the extra time and effort of educators and parents in this pandemic season



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Sunday June 6, 2021 Pastor Elizabeth Farewell Sunday

- 9:00am ~ Sanctuary Worship
- 10:00am ~ Parking Lot Worship
- 10:45am ~ P.O.L.O. Meetup (Playground)
- 11:00am ~ Spring into Summer Party!!
~ Inquiring Spirits (Zoom)

Monday June 7, 2021

- 10:00am ~ Women's Connect Group (Zoom)
- 11:15am ~ Men's Discussion Group (Fireside)
- 6:00pm ~ New Garden Mulching (Meet in East Lot)
- 6:30pm ~ Cross and the Lynching Tree (Room 145)

Tuesday June 8, 2021

- 1:00pm ~ Covenant Group (Zoom)
~ UMW Quilters (Wesley Hall)

Wednesday June 9, 2021

- 8:00am ~ Breakfast Fellowship (Charlie's)
- 10:00am ~ Knitting Group (WebEx)
- 6:00pm ~ Celebration Bells (Sanctuary)
~ Youth Fellowship (Youth Room)
- 7:00pm ~ Chancel Choir (Sanctuary)
~ Covenant Bible Study

Thursday June 10, 2021

- 8:00am ~ Men's Coffee Group (Zoom)
- 8:30am ~ Gardening Team Work (Meet in East Lot)
~ Covenant Group (Zoom)
- 4:00pm ~ Women's Connect Group (Zoom)
- 5:00pm ~ Barbara Hatcher Visitation (Commons)

Friday June 11, 2021

- 10:00am ~ Rug Hooking Group (Room 145)
~ Women & the Sacred (Fireside Room)

Saturday June 12, 2021

- 9:00am ~ Gardening Team Work (Meet in East Lot)

Sunday June 13, 2021

- 9:00am ~ Sanctuary Worship
- 9:45am ~ Children & Youth Water Time (Labyrinth)
- 10:15am ~ Inquiring Spirits (Room 145)
- 10:30am ~ Contemporary Issues (Zoom)



Thrift on Fifth Sidewalk Sales have returned!

Time: 9am-12pm, masks required
Saturday, June 19th

Location: West Entrance

Come shop outdoors and bring your lightly used spring & summer clothing for our donation bin! Donations are only accepted during these sidewalk sales.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

WORSHIP PREACHING SCHEDULE

Sanctuary Worship Every Sunday at 9:00 AM

No reservations required · Join us in-person or online

First and Third Sundays

9:00 AM In-Person and 10:00 AM Parking Lot Worship

June 6 Pastor Elizabeth's Last Sunday

9:00 AM - Sanctuary & 10:00 AM - EAST Parking Lot

June 13, Rev. Kendall Hughes

9:00 AM - Sanctuary Worship

June 20 - Rev. Karen Heistand

9:00 AM - Sanctuary & 10:00 AM - EAST Parking Lot

June 27 - Pastors Jenny and Kirkland's first Sunday

9:00 AM - Sanctuary & 10:00 AM - EAST Parking Lot

July 4 || 9:00 AM - Sanctuary (10:00 AM Parking Lot Worship canceled)

Honkers Game - June 17 at 6:30pm

We will meet at Mayo Park then watch the game together.
Grandstand seats are \$12 at the game or \$10 in advance.

Rochesterfest - June 23 at 5pm

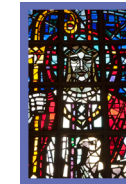
Family night is Wednesday, June 23rd!

All members are invited to go to family night together and get food.
We will meet at Soldier's Field Park at 5pm. Look for Grace!

Rochesterfest Parade - June 26 at 2pm

We will watch the parade together!

Grace will save a spot along the parade route.



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for the transformation of the world.

i thank You God for most this amazing
day:for the leaping greenly spirits of trees
and a blue true dream of sky;and for everything
which is natural which is infinite which is yes

(i who have died am alive again today,
and this is the sun's birthday;this is the birth
day of life and of love and wings:and of the gay
great happening illimitably earth)

how should tasting touching hearing seeing
breathing any—lifted from the no
of all nothing—human merely being
doubt unimaginable You?

(now the ears of my ears awake and
now the eyes of my eyes are opened)

~ e.e. cummings

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.*