ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME

OPENING MUSIC

Everlasting God

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

After the children's message, Pre-K - 3rd graders (and 4th - 5th grade helpers) may join Ms. Jody for Sunday school. Nursery care is available for children 5 and under in the Nursery.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Scan QR code to submit your prayers to display on screen during worship



Invitation to Offering

THE EARTH IS YOURS

SCRIPTURE

Colossians 1:11-20 Luke 23:33-43

MESSAGE

"Jesus, the King" Pastor Kirkland Reynolds

HOLY COMMUNION & CANDLELIGHTING

All are welcome to receive communion, which is served with bread and non-alcoholic grape juice. Gluten-free available.

Soon And Very Soon

PRAYER OF GRATITUDE

CLOSING SONG

Resurrection Power

BLESSING

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Congregational Prayers

- Gratitude to God for new beginnings
- Celebration of Native American Heritage Month
- Healing for the University of Virginia families after shooting event
- Blessing for the United Methodist Emergency Response Teams in Florida

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

Thank you to all who have already made a pledge to the 2023 budget as part of our Do-Gooders campaign. We are still receiving pledge cards in the office or through the online pledge on our website (cumethodist.com/give). We invite you to join us for fellowship after today's worship service for coffee.

<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.

Interfaith Thanksgiving Community Service

Our Interfaith Thanksgiving Service is right around the corner. Call or email the Church office (email@cumethodist.com) if you are planning to bring pies and/or can serve as an usher, greeter or hospitality host. Pies should be dropped off in the kitchen by 1pm on Tuesday. In order to be Kosher/Halal friendly please no lard in your pie preparation! We are looking forward to a wonderful community celebration on Tuesday, November 22 at 7pm!

United Women in Faith Christmas Cookie Sale!



Christmas cookies by the pound with the addition of Pantry Party Mix in quart size bags! Please place your orders by December 4th and pick them

up on December 18th from 8:30am-12pm. Gluten free cookies are available. The proceeds from this project will go to the work United Women in Faith do all over the world. Order forms are in the office and at the Welcome Desk, or fill out our online form https://cumethodist.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/86/responses/new. Cash and checks accepted. Make checks payable to UMW.

Thrift on Fifth Thanks to all our shoppers and donors! Warm outerwear has been selling briskly. Don't forget the warm gloves and hats, please. Thank you so much for being such generous do-gooders. Please keep coming in to shop - we have new things every time the store is open!

<u>The 2023 Upper Room Disciplines Daily Devotional</u> is now available for purchase in the church office.

Small print is \$10 and large print is \$12. You can also order it as an eBook for \$9.99 from Cokesbury or Upper Room and \$8.49 on Amazon for the Kindle.

Christmas Poinsettias

It's time to order Christmas poinsettias! These flowers will be on display in worship during Advent and on Christmas Eve. Flowers may be dedicated in memory or honor of someone. You may pick up your flowers after worship on Sunday, December 25 or you may donate them to homebound and bereaved members. Each plant is \$16. Please click the link https://cumethodist.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/84/responses/new or visit our website to order.

Building and Office Closures

As a reminder, our office and building will be closed November 24 and 25th for Thanksgiving. The building will reopen November 26. There is NO CU Wednesday this week 11/23.

Advent Small Group Study Sundays Starting Sun-

day, Nov. 27 and running though Sunday, Dec. 18 from 5-6pm, we will be looking at the book "The First Advent in Palestine: Reversals, Resistance, and the Ongoing Complexity of Hope" by Kelly Nikondeha.

Books are available for purchase in the church office for \$19. Scholarships available.

<u>Advent Devotional Booklets</u> and Children's Advent Calendars are available in the Church Office. These will be available throughout the Advent season.









Prayer Requests

Scan the QR Code (*right*) or head to menti.com/32bfdowxrh to share your prayer request with



Call the church office: (507) 289-4019 or email us: email@cumethodist.com



11am Arise Worship November 20, 2022



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