Order of Worship

Welcome

Opening Song *Everything Comes Alive*

Children's Message Jody Peterson

Prayers of the People

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Invitation to Give Love Train

Scripture John 20:1-18

Message "The Eyes and The Impossible" Rev. Jenny Cannon

Sharing the Peace of Christ

Holy Communion & Candlelighting

All are welcome to receive communion, which is served with bread and nonalcoholic grape juice. Gluten free also available.

Peace Train

Prayer of Gratitude

Closing Song Resurrection Power

Connections & Next Steps

Blessing

In Our Prayers This Week

For the community of Baltimore For the family of Ron Guderian on his death March 23rd For our unhoused neighbors

Prayers for Our Connection & World

For peace in Ukraine, Israel, Gaza, and Haiti For the United Methodist Church and the 2024 General Conference For the Minnesota Annual Conference

For Christians around the world celebrating Easter

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 entrance to the sanctuary. A nursery play space with a live stream of the worship service is open throughout the morning and is adjacent to the church office.

<u>Still We Rise Exhibit's Last Day at CUMC</u> The Rochester Black Legacy exhibit is a traveling showcase of the key leaders and events that have shaped the local community and its history. It is the creation of Pastor Andre Crockett Sr. and CUMC member Nicole Asong

Nfonoyim-Hara. Several CUMC families are also featured in the exhibit, including Joyce and George Gibbs and Lew and Sandra Means.

<u>**CU Wednesday Resumes April 10**</u> CU Wednesday activities for children, youth, and the disciple Bible study will take the next week off and resume April 10. Contact Pastor Amanda (<u>pastoramanda@cumethodist.com</u>) for more info.

<u>Children's Sunday School Resumes April 7</u> Sunday school classes for children will take Easter Sunday off and resume Sunday, April 7. Worship activity packs and a nursery space for young children (with a livestream of the worship service) are available. Contact Jody Peterson (jody@cumethodist.com) or Pastor Amanda (pastoramanda@cumethodist.com) for more info.

<u>CUMC Foundation College Scholarship</u> The Barbara

Griffith Peterson Memorial Scholarship supports students entering their second year or beyond of undergraduate studies. This scholarship provides \$1,000 for a member of the CUMC community who meets the eligibility requirements. Visit <u>cumethodist.com/</u> <u>foundation</u> for the application and to learn more. Deadline to apply is May 31, 2024.

<u>Church Office Closed Monday, April 1st</u> Normal hours resume Tuesday, April 2nd.

Save the Date for Summer Church Events!

June 16-21 Camp Week at Northern Pines With three camps to choose from this week, our 3rd-12th graders will be having some great adventures. Visit <u>www.campminnesota.org</u> or talk to Pastor Amanda (<u>pastoramanda@cumethodist.com</u>).

July 31-August 4 Christ UMC in the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness. This is a base camp, intergenerational, all ages experience with paddling in the BWCA, hiking to waterfalls and time to connect with God and others. Talk to Pastor Amanda to reserve your spot.

August 5-9 Just Like Me Vacation Bible School for potty-trained children through rising 5th graders. 6th grade and up are invited to be servant leaders. We are excited about our gardening themed VBS from the national Reconciling Ministries group.

Connect with CUMC this Spring in Rochester

CUMC will have a presence at EarthFest (5/4), Rochester Pride (5/18), the NAACP Juneteenth Celebration (6/15), and Rochesterfest. We hope to connect with you at these events.

Contemporary Issues General Conference

Discussion On Sunday April 28th, the Contemporary Issues adult discussion class will meet at 10:10am in Wesley Hall or <u>Zoom</u> (Meeting ID 814 1844 8754) to discuss the General Conference, the top policy making body of The United Methodist Church, that will meet in Charlotte, North Carolina, April 23 - May 3.

<u>Music at CUMC</u> On Saturday, April 13th The Rochester Chamber Music Society presents "Piano With Winds" their last concert of the season. Visit <u>http://www.rochesterchambermusic.org/</u> for more info. On Sunday, April 14th the Rochester Music Guild will hold their Winners Recital at 2pm. Visit <u>https://rochestermusicguild.org/calendar/</u> for more info.



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11am Arise Worship

March 31, 2024



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

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