#### **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

WELCOME

**OPENING MUSIC** Bread for the Journey

## SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

After the children's message, Pre-K - 3rd graders may join Ms. Amanda 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

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#### SCRIPTURE John 6:24-35

MESSAGE "Who is Jesus: The Bread of Life" Rev. Kirkland Reynolds

## HOLY COMMUNION

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

## PRAYER OF GRATITUDE

**CLOSING SONG** Let Us Break Bread Together

## BLESSING

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Congregational Prayers

- For those who suffer from mental illness
- Gratitude for those who serve in children, youth and family ministry
- For those seeking better employment opportunities
- For college students and staff

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.

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#### Lenten Devotionals Our Daily Lenten Devotionals

have started! If you are interested in receiving a daily devotional please email <u>samantha@cumethodist.com</u> to sign up! Paper copies are available in the office.



Easter Vigil Lock In The Easter Lock In is a super popular event for our youth in grades 6-12. Overnight volunteers are required to gift this event to the youth. Volunteers can take shifts from 6:30pm to 6:30am. Flashlights are also needed! Any questions please contact Pastor Amanda.

**Rise 'n Shine Easter Offering** As part of our Easter celebrations, we're inviting you to bring donations of coffee and laundry detergent to share with <u>Northern</u> <u>Pines Camp</u>. Our gifts can provide enough coffee and detergent to support the entire summer of camping and retreat ministries with children, youth and adults, including groups from CUMC! Coffee should be medium ground in 48oz containers. Both regular and decaffeinated are welcome. Laundry detergent should be liquid, unscented and eco-friendly (ECOS, Seventh Generation brand or similar).

**Theology on Brew** Join the pastors and others from CUMC on Thursday, March 9 at 6:30pm at The Tap House West End for a time of connecting and conversation over life, theology, and everything. Young and young-at-heart adults are welcome.

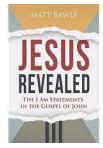
<u>Girl Scout Cookies for Sale</u> Save the date! The Girl Scout Troop will be selling girl scout cookies between worship services on March 12. Cash & checks accepted.

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

#### Lent 2023 CUMC

#### **Lenten Small Group**

Join one of our pastors on Sunday nights in Lent (Mar. 5, Mar. 12, Mar. 19, Mar. 26 and April. 2)



2, Mar. 19, Mar. 26 and April. 2) for our Lenten small group series using the book "Jesus Revealed" by Matt Rawle. We'll meet in-person in Room 145 and Zoom (<u>https://us02web.zoom.us/</u>

<u>j/88937131963</u>). Each gathering will include

discussion, Bible study and a short video. Books are available for purchase for \$12 in the church office but are not required for participation.

#### **Lenten Organ Concerts**

Please join us Tuesdays at 12:15pm beginning February 28th for our Lunchtime Organ Recitals featuring Lenten prayers written by various composers including Liszt. March 7, March 14, March 21, March 28th.

> Maundy Thursday Dinner & Worship Wesley Hall, April 6th at 5:30 pm

**Good Friday Crosswalk** in downtown Rochester: Starts at 12:00 pm at CUMC

Good Friday Worship with Chancel Choir April 7th at 7:00 pm

Youth Easter Lock-In: Saturday April 8-April 9

#### Easter Sunday:

9am Traditions Worship, 11am Arise Worship Caramel Roll Sales & Egg Hunt through the morning



CHECK IN & CONNECT WITH US! Thanks for worshipping with us! Scan the QR code and let us know you're here!





## 11am Arise Worship March 5, 2023

## Lent 2

# Who is Jesus: The Bread of Life

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