

ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME

OPENING MUSIC

This is Amazing Grace

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Sunday School will resume April 16. We encourage all to experience the drama and celebration of today's worship service.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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



INVITATION TO OFFERING

Let It Be-The Beatles

SCRIPTURE

John 11:1-5,17-27

MEDITATION

"Who Is Jesus: The Resurrection and the Life"
Rev. Kirkland Reynolds

SCRIPTURE

John 12:12-19

MEDITATION

"Who Is Jesus: The Resurrection and the Life"
Rev. Jenny Cannon

HOLY COMMUNION

The Gift of Love

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

PRAYER OF GRATITUDE

CLOSING SONG

ALWAYS LOOK ON THE BRIGHT SIDE OF LIFE

BLESSING

Congregational Prayers

- Gratitude for gifts of coloring pages from the children of this church
- Comfort for those in Mississippi and Alabama affected by tornadoes
- Blessing for the family of Rev. Earl Stephan
- For the victims of gun violence in Nashville Tennessee
- For our transgender siblings and community
- Healing mercies for Stu Eickelberg

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

Children in Worship 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.

Support for Restorative Justice We believe restorative justice, like in the work of Three Rivers Restorative Justice (<https://www.trrj.org/>) is a faithful vessel of healing and transformation. Today in the Commons you'll have the opportunity to sign letters and contact your legislators regarding HF46, a restorative justice bill.

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. If you are able to help, please [contact](#) Pastor Amanda.

Flower Delivery Volunteers We are in need of volunteers to deliver plants to the home bound on April 11 at 9:00 am. If you are able to help, please contact Kathy Davis at kadavis2220@gmail.com or text at (507) 269-7287.

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 [Northern Pines Camp](#). Our gifts can provide enough coffee and detergent to support the entire summer of camping! 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).

Easter Egg Hunt Donations

Help us celebrate Easter with our annual Easter morning egg hunt. This year we are collecting individually wrapped candy only (we already have enough eggs). Candy may be donated to the church office. Contact Pastor [Amanda](#) or [Jody](#) for more info. **Thrift on Fifth** TOF will be closed on Easter Sunday. Happy Easter everyone! Meanwhile, many winter things are half price. Come and shop to help us make room for spring things.



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

"A Tea at the Palace" Saturday, April 29th, 2023 from 2-4 pm. We will take a trip to some of Great Britain's castles and palaces and learn what scones, savories and sweets are offered there. Tickets (\$20) will be sold in the church Commons between church services on Sunday April 2nd and 16th until sold out. We can only seat 80, so purchase your tickets early. We are suggesting you wear a hat or fascinator. Examples will be on display during ticket sales.

11am Arise Worship

April 2, 2023



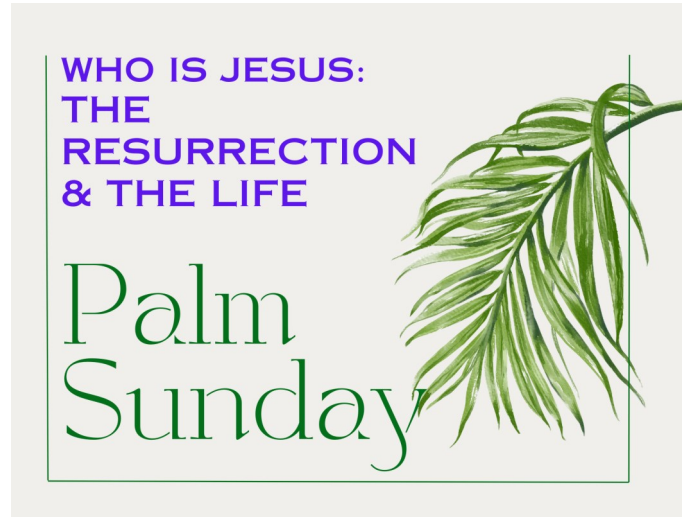
SUPPORT OUR ASP MISSION TEAM

ASP Donations

Caramel Roll Sale
Easter Sunday
9am-noon

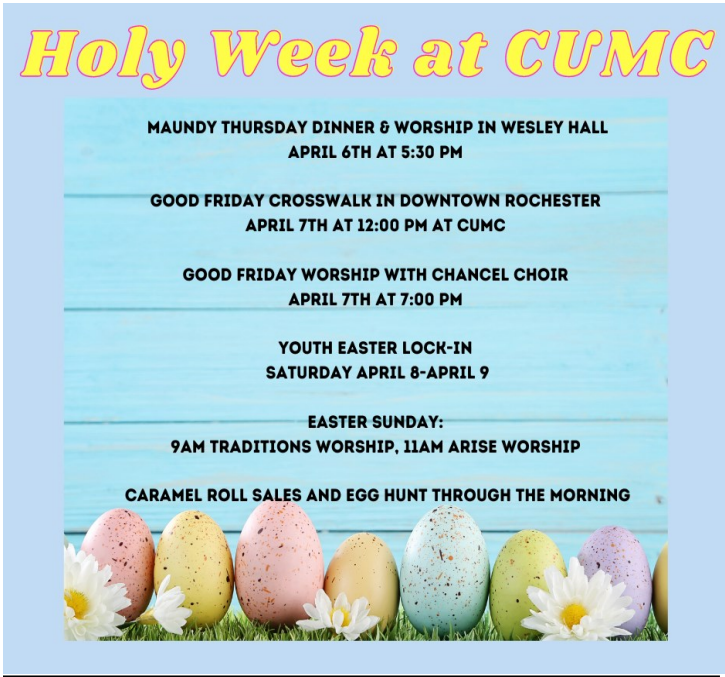
Trivia Night
May 7, 2023
7:00-8:30pm
General Knowledge and more

1981-2023 **40** Trips
Alumni wanted!
Did ASPchange you?
email your story to
pastoramanda@cumethodist.com



**WHO IS JESUS:
THE
RESURRECTION
& THE LIFE**

**Palm
Sunday**



Holy Week at CUMC

MAUNDY THURSDAY DINNER & WORSHIP IN WESLEY HALL
APRIL 6TH AT 5:30 PM

GOOD FRIDAY CROSSWALK IN DOWNTOWN ROCHESTER
APRIL 7TH 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 AND EGG HUNT THROUGH THE MORNING



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Church Calendar

CHECK IN & CONNECT WITH US!

Thanks for worshipping with us!
Scan the QR code and let us know you're here!



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