

ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME

SCRIPTURE: GATHERING
LUKE 24:13-19A

SONG
Emmaus Road vs. 1

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

After the children's message, Pre-K - 3rd graders may join Pastor 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
Country Roads-John Denver

SCRIPTURE: LISTENING
Luke 24:19b-27

SONG
Emmaus Road vs. 2

MESSAGE
"Walk This Way"
Rev. Kirkland Reynolds

SCRIPTURE: RESPONDING
Luke 24:28-32

SONG
Emmaus Road vs. 3

HOLY COMMUNION
I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

PRAYER OF GRATITUDE

CLOSING SONG
Open the Eyes of My Heart

SCRIPTURE: SENDING
Luke 24:33-35

SONG
Emmaus Road vs. 4

CONNECTIONS & NEXT STEPS

BLESSING

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

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

Congregational Prayers

- For Thrive Childcare & Family Resource Center
- For those in the hospital, including Alan Larson
- For the reconciling ministries of The United Methodist Church
- For an outpouring of acts of compassion & justice
- Prayers of thanksgiving for the birth of Clair Marie Floryance, granddaughter of Jackie and Steve Robie
- Prayers for Diana Eickelberg & family on the death of Stu Eickelberg April 28th

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.

Choir Rehearsal There will be no adult choir rehearsal next Wednesday, May 3.

Thrive Open House Join us TODAY from 10-11am! Come tour Thrive, chat with teachers & board members and check out what Thrive has to offer!

UWF Service of Remembrance On Thursday, May 4th at 10am we will honor the women who have passed away this last year with a service in the Sanctuary led by Pastor Nancy Wheeler Handlon, Elaine Bauman and John Varona. Lunch will follow in the Commons. All are welcome.

CUMC Grounds Cleanup On Saturday, May 6 from 9- 11 am, we will be cutting back pollinators, cleaning out the beds and possibly mulching a couple areas. Bring gloves and hedge shears if you have – if not, come anyway! We would love to see you! Contact Mary Schmidt @ 507-254-5216 with any questions.

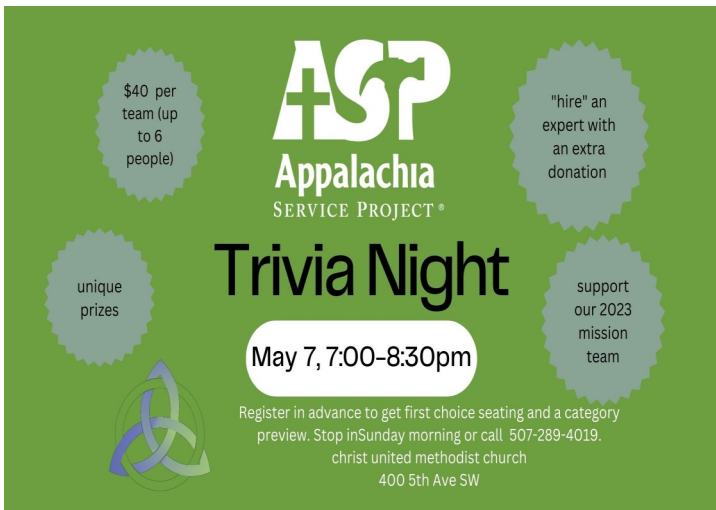
Rochester Pride CUMC is one of the sponsors for Pride and will once again have a booth at the Soldier's Field Pride Festival on May 20th from 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm. We're looking for volunteers to staff our booth in shifts throughout the day. CUMC is also partnering with other congregations to host a Pride After-Party on May 20th for Ages 12-18 at Old School Entertainment from 5-10pm. This will be a safe place for young people to gather and we're seeking adult chaperones & financial support. Contact the church to let us know if you can help!

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

Children's Worship On May 7th our children will be leading the worship service at both 9am and 11am as we celebrate being part of God's wild and wonderful creation. If you'd like to play a role in children's sabbath contact Ms. Jody or [Pastor Amanda](#).

Family Promise Forum Please join us TODAY at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church from 1-3pm for an educational update on homelessness in Rochester & learn what Family Promise is doing to help. Special guest speaker Chad Dull with Poverty Informed Practice LLC.

11am Arise Worship
April 30, 2023
Fourth Sunday of Easter



ASP
Appalachia
 SERVICE PROJECT®

Trivia Night

May 7, 7:00-8:30pm

Register in advance to get first choice seating and a category preview. Stop in Sunday morning or call 507-289-4019.
 christ united methodist church
 400 5th Ave SW

Benefits: \$40 per team (up to 6 people), "hire" an expert with an extra donation, support our 2023 mission team, unique prizes.



Cara B. Hochhalter, *On the Road to Emmaus*




VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
 JUNE 19-23, 9:00-11:45am

HERO HOTLINE
 Called Together to Serve God!

Left: potty trained through 5th grade register here

Right: adult volunteer and 6th-12th grade register here

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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