First United Methodist Church



Welcome! We're glad that you are here.
To all who need comfort; all who need friendship;
all who are lonely and need companionship;
all who want sheltering love, all who sin
and need a Savior; and whosoever will

—we open wide our doors and say, "Come; let us worship together."

9:30 am Sunday Worship

June 4, 2023

LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLE

Jiwon Yim

MUSIC TO PREPARE OUR HEART

Vivian Eaton

WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP Noah Johnson We come today to worship the Triune God, even as we, like the Eleven on the mountainside, have our doubts.

Holy Trinity, meet us in our questions and help us embrace your mystery.

We come to encounter the God who is both immense and particular, greater than words can describe, and yet intimately present with us.

Holy Trinity, surround us with your love that brings order to chaos and community to individualism.

We come to give thanks to the God who created and sustains us, and who calls us to steward the earth and all that live in it. Holy Trinity, empower us to enter into partnership with you for the flourishing of all creation with gratitude and joy. We come to receive Christ's commission to make disciples, to baptize, and to teach the gospel wherever we go.

God, immerse us in the life of the Holy Trinity that we might go and welcome others into the dance of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.

*HYMN #85 "We Believe in One True God"

OPENING PRAYER (In Unison)

Noah Johnson

Holy God, you have given us grace, by the confession of the faith of your holy church, to acknowledge the mystery of the eternal Trinity and, in the power of your divine majesty, to worship the Unity. Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see in your eternal glory One God, now and forever. Amen.

THE APOSTLE'S CREED #881

Noah Johnson

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

CHILDREN'S TIME

SCRIPTURE Psalm 8 (CEB)

Noah Johnson

*GOSPEL Matthew 28:16-20 (CEB)

Pastor Dave

L: The Word of God for the people of God.

A: Thanks be to God!

HYMN #328 "Surely the Presence of the Lord" (x2)

MESSAGE: "We are One in Mission"

Pastor Dave

SEND-OFF YOUTH MISSION TEAM

SHARING OF JOY AND CONCERNS (Text Pastor Dave, 224-600-0446) PRAYER FOR PEOPLE

HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION/CONFESSION

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

OFFERING OURSELVES

*DOXOLOGY

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

God of all creation, we offer our gifts in gratitude this morning – not just for what you do in our lives, but for who you are in our lives. You are with us in the person of the Father, the God above us. You come to meet us as the Son, as God beside us. You empower us to do the work of kingdom-building by the Holy

Spirit – God within us, providing strength and boldness that we would never find on our own. May these gifts be tools that make the transformation of the world a reality. We pray in the name of one God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

THE BREAD AND CUP

*HYMN #2243 "We All Are One in Mission"

*BENEDICTION

*GOING FORTH TO THE WORLD

Vivian Easton

In Our Prayers

Billy David, Emilee Derrer, Merry Florence, Matthew Foltz, Rod Furrow, Rhonda Harlock Smith, Jill Hofstetter, John Irons, Judy Law, Mike Foltz, Dan Piercy, Rich Rathje, Annisa (niece of Bonnie Davies), John Ritchie, Gi-Tae Yim, Inga, Scarlette (daughter of Ashley Huebner), Sandy Froehlich, Vanessa Grissinger, Deb Endress (Kris Yingling's friend), Barb McFadden, Glen White, Pete (Kim Gonzales' brother), Ed Jepsen, Ron Smith, Tyrone Burcham, Lisa, Lester & Cody Coers, Shirley Fritz, Vickie Moore, Bobby Higbea (Susan Michelle's friend), Baby Adrian & his mom, Alice (Esther's sister), Janet Smith, Owen Davies (Bonnie's son), Seth & Kimber (Jackie Walker's grandson-in-law and great granddaughter), Jackie Walker, the family of Irene Evans, the family of Chris James, Brady O'Neal, Eli (Bob & LaVona's grandson), and our Farmers.

Our shut-ins: Mary Ann Larsen, Sylvia Reuterfors, Dorothy Taylor, Alice Riffe-Torrison, Joy Turner, Steve Yenney.
Our country & government, Military Personnel & their families, The safety of Ukrainians & end of wars, Turkey & Syria, Youth Mission trip, the victims of the building collapse in Davenport IA, and the victims of every day gun violence and their families.

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

June 4 – Jim Eaton & Herb Pratt

7 – Bob Grissinger

10 - John & Mary Irons (1972)

11 – Connie Kramer, Don & Connie Kramer (1960)

CALENDAR

Monday June 5

1 to 3 pm – Sewing Ladies

3:30 to 5 pm – West Carroll Food Pantry

Tuesday June 6

6 pm – UMF to Timberlake to see "Grease"

Wednesday June 7

10 am – Choir practice

Saturday June 10

6 am – Mission team leaves for Tennessee

Sunday June 11 (Guest Speaker: Rev. Bonnie Davies)

9:30 am – Hybrid Worship

WORSHIP HELPERS

	June 11	June 18
Acolyte	Pearl Michels	Jisung Yim
Liturgist	Linda Jachino	Jiho Yim
Counter	Rhonda Law	Lori Miller
Verifier	Volunteer	Linda Jachino

Last Week's Attendance: 52 + 2 dogs

Open Hearts! Open Minds! Open Doors!
We are the people of the United Methodist Church.

2023 Youth Mission Trip Team Members

Kathie & Burt Prins, Pastor Dave, Noah Johnson, Roscoe Davies, Jackson Bess, Caleb Thornton, Alexis Piercy, Jon Floming, Jiho Yim

Youth Mission Trip Prayer Requests

- 1. Please, pray for the safety of our group during travel and throughout our service project!
- 2. May we encounter God and experience a deeper understanding of God's presence during our service project!
- 3. Pray for the relationships that will be formed and strengthened during this trip. May we be filled with compassion, generosity, kindness, and respect as we interact with the individuals we encounter! Thank you!!!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

West Carroll Food Pantry – Some children will be missing 2 meals a day throughout the summer months. Please prayerfully consider donating peanut butter (creamy), jelly (grape/strawberry), pancake mix, syrup, soup (tomato, cream of mushroom/chicken), canned fruit (any kind), crackers (any kind), and mac & cheese (can never have enough)during these summer months.

<u>Blessing Basket</u> – We need dish soap, laundry soap, body lotion, aluminum foil, and always paper products. Thank you so much for your continued support!

<u>Pastor Dave</u> gone June 6th-8th for Annual Conference in Schaumburg Kids Kards – June 25th

Summer Church Service will be at 9:30 am beginning June 4th

<u>United Women in Faith</u> – 1st Tuesday of the Month @ 6:30 Next meeting is June 6th. We will be going to Timberlake

Playhouse to watch "Grease."

Summer Youth Mission Trip to Tennessee, 6/10 to 6/17.

Following the church service, there will be a preparation meeting. Thank you very much for your support!

Choir Practice – June 7th and 14th @ 10 am

Health & Worship Mtg – June 15th @ 3:30 – 4:30 pm

Last day for Telstar – June 19th

Pastor Dave Vacation – June 19th thru July 2nd

Finance Meeting – June 20th @ 7 pm (zoom)

<u>Soul Sisters</u> – Krape Park & Union Dairy Outing – June 21st. We will celebrate the first day of summer with a tour of the park and lunch at the dairy. RSVP Linda Jachino (815)541-4760

Robin & Mark Cook Fundraiser – Saturday, June 24th

<u>Summer Vacation Bible School</u> – 7/17 to 7/21 Theme: Hero Hotline

<u>UW Men</u> will hold a church picnic on July 16th. Stay tuned!

<u>Sunday School</u> – Children, Youth, Adult Sunday School will resume in September. Youth Group will also resume in September.

<u>Bible Study</u> – Will resume in the fall. Stay tuned!

<u>June Communion Giving</u> – will go to support "Peace with Justice" ministry. Today is Peace with Justice Sunday.

New Sewing Ministry – We invite all sewers to get involved in our sewing ministry but getting a kit in the sewing room. Several are available. (Pattern & material) Check out this ministry in the sewing room after church or ask any member of United Women in Faith. This gives those who cannot come Monday afternoons to sew a chance to be part of this important ministry by sewing at home at your convenience. Check this out!!!



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Vision 2023–"Make Jesus' Disciples"

Focus on making Jesus' Disciples to transform lives and the world!

Strong in Worship, Strong in Mission, Strong in Education

"Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you." (Matthew 28:19)

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