

**DODGE CENTER
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

May 15, 2022

***Stand as you are able**

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Joys and Concerns

***Centering Hymn UMH #156 (vs. 1-3)
"I Love to Tell the Story"**

***Call to Worship Psalm 148:1-14**

L: Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise the Lord, in the heights!

P: Praise the Lord, all his angels, praise the Lord, all his hosts!

L: Praise the Lord, sun and moon, praise the Lord, all shining stars!

P: Praise the Lord, highest heavens, and all waters above the heavens!

L: Let them praise the name of the Lord, who commanded and they were created,

P: who established them for ever and ever, and fixed their bounds which cannot be passed.

L: Praise the Lord from the earth, sea monsters and all deeps,

P: fire and hail, snow and smoke, stormy wind fulfilling God's command!

L: Mountains and all hills, fruit trees and all cedars!

P: Beasts and all cattle, creeping things and flying birds!

L: Kings of the earth and all peoples, princes and all rulers of the earth!

P: Young men and maidens together, old men and children!

L: Let them praise the name of the Lord, whose name alone is exalted, whose glory is above earth and heaven.

P: God has raised up a horn for his people, praise for all his faithful ones, for the people of Israel who are near their God. Praise the Lord!

Children's Time

**Hymn of the Day FWS #2226 (2X)
" Bind Us Together"**

Prayer of the Day (In unison)

O Lord God, you teach us that without love, our actions gain nothing. Pour into our hearts your most excellent gift of love, that, made alive by your Spirit, we may know goodness and peace, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Old Testament Lesson Revelation 21:1-6

The Apostles' Creed UMH# 882

Prayers and the Lord's Prayer

After minister says, "Merciful God,"

Congregation responds: "receive our prayer."

***Doxology UMH #95**

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Gospel Lesson

John 13:31-35

Sermon

***Closing Hymn UMH #514 (vs. 1,2,4)**

"Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus"

Benediction

Postlude

Welcome to all visitors, please sign our guest book before leaving.

- We thank Brian Rohr for serving as our pianist today.
Brian, your play is music for our souls.
- Thank you to all our generous members for donating to Heifer International. We surpassed our goal!!! The total collected was \$1325.75. The Sunday school children chose animals to purchase with the money, through Heifer International.
- Ad Council meets May 17th, at 6pm.
- Free Community Dinner: May 18th, 5pm-6pm. There is still time to sign up to help. Volunteers are appreciated and needed to help serve and clean up! Thank you!
- Confirmation Class's next meeting is May 18th, 6:30pm-7:30pm. This will be the last confirmation meeting for the year.
- WWAP will meet regularly on the 3rd Saturday of each month. The next meeting will be May 21st, at 9:30am.
- MN Annual Conference: May 24th-25th in St. Cloud, MN. Lisa O'Neil and Pastor Chad will be going as our church's representatives. This year's theme: "Jesus: Healer"
- Next Adult Caregiver Support Group meeting will be held May 26th at 6:30pm. As part of our group meetings, in addition to sharing, we will also be reflecting on a book on caring for your older parent. If you want to take part in this book discussion and receive a free book, please let Pastor Chad or Beth Hanggi know.
- There is a sign-up sheet in the back to bring treats and serve. Coffee will be made each Sunday and juice is provided.
- Newsletter deadline will be May 24th.

Reader: Kathy Bartz
Counters: Kelly Amunrud and Kathy Bartz

Next Sunday
Reader: Janet Bugarin
Counters: Kim Marquardt and Shawn Lepp

Pastor- Rev. Chad Christensen Pianist-Janet Bugarin
Secretary-Hannah Olson Sound- Colin Lepp

Total donations needed each week- \$1,637.00
Last Sundays offering amount: \$1,455.54



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