

**DODGE CENTER  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
June 2, 2024  
Third Sunday after Pentecost  
8:15 AM  
\*Stand as you are able**



Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Joys and Concerns

Prayer of Confession, Assurance, and Pardon UMH #890

\*Centering Hymn UMH #545,  
"The Church's One Foundation" (vs. 1,2,4)

Call To Worship Psalm: 81:1-10

L: Sing with joy to God our strength  
and raise a loud shout to the God of Jacob.

**P: Raise a song and sound the timbrel,  
the merry harp, and the lyre.**

L: Blow the ram's horn at the new moon,  
and at the full moon, the day of our feast;

**P: for this is a statute for Israel,  
a law of the God of Jacob.**

L: God laid it as a solemn charge upon Joseph, going out over the land of Egypt,  
where I heard a voice I did not know:

**P: "I eased your shoulder from the burden;  
your hands were set free from the grave digger's basket.**

L: You called on me in trouble, and I delivered you;  
I answered you from the secret place of thunder and tested you at the waters of  
Meribah.

**P: Hear, O my people, and I will admonish you:  
O Israel, if you would but listen to me!**

L: There shall be no strange god among you;  
you shall not worship a foreign god.

**P: I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt.  
Open your mouth wide, and I will fill it.**

Hymn of the Day TFWS, #2129

"I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"(all vs.)

Rite of Confirmation Pages 45-47

Sawyer Theodore Deml

Riley Jo Cumings

Prayer of the Day

Almighty and ever-living God, throughout time you free the  
oppressed, heal the sick, and make whole all that you have made. Look  
with compassion on the world wounded by sin, and by your power  
restore us to wholeness of life, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and  
Lord. Amen.

New Testament Lesson – 2 Corinthians 4:5-12

The Nicene Creed UMH# 880

Prayers

Respond with: L: Merciful God, P: receive our prayer.

The Lord's Prayer

\*Doxology UMH #95

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

\*Gospel Lesson Mark 2:23-3:6

Sermon

Pastor Chad Christensen



Holy Communion

Invitation, pg.12

Confession and Pardon pg.12

Great Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer p.13-14

Prayer After Communion pg.11

Closing Hymn UMH # 405, UMH, "Seek Ye First" (all vs.)

\*Postlude



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

Upcoming Events:

The **Rite of Confirmation** takes place today for Sawyer Deml, son of Braxton and LaRee Deml; and Riley Cummings, daughter of Jamie and Kayleigh Cummings. Both families are from Claremont. See the bulletin insert for further information.

- The next **Community Dinner** will be on June 19 from 5-6:00 pm. Sign up on the sheet in back or online to donate food or your time that evening. Here is the link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F094CA5AC2AA1FA7-49812338-umcfree>

The menu will be Pulled Pork Sandwiches, Potato Salad, Macaroni Salad, Chips, Variety of Fruit Cups for Dessert

- **WWAP**, Women With A Purpose, will meet Saturday June 15th at 9:30 am. Come and join the ladies for fellowship and a short devotion. Bring a snack to share if you wish. Coffee and juice will be provided. We welcome guests!
- **Coffee Fellowship** There is a sign-up sheet in the back on the small bulletin board to bring treats and serve for coffee fellowship on Sundays. Coffee will be made each Sunday and juice is provided.



**Looking ahead: The July Community meal will be held on July 10. It will be a picnic on the church lawn with activities and games for the children. Come out and join in the fun and food!**

Thank you to our volunteers today

- Reader: Tyler Kispert
- Counters: Lisa O'Neil and Shawn Lepp

Volunteers next week, June 9<sup>th</sup>

- Kathy Bartz
- Counters: Kathy Bartz and Kelly Amunrud

Pastor- Rev. Chad Christensen     Pianist- Brian Rohrs

Secretary- Janet Bugarin     Sound- Colin Lepp

Total donations needed each week- \$1,637.00.

Last Weeks' offering amount: \$1,753.00



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