

## COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

**APRIL 1, 2018  
EASTER SUNDAY**

### Entrance

WELCOME / LIFE OF THE CHURCH

PRELUDE / LIGHT OF CHRIST

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP (please stand as you are able)

L: Give thanks to the Lord because he is good, because his faithful love lasts forever.

**C: Christ is risen! Praise the Lord!**

L: The sounds of joy and deliverance are heard in the tents of the righteous: "The Lord's strong hand is victorious!"

**C: Christ is risen! Praise the Lord!**

L: I won't die—no, I will live and declare what the Lord has done.

**C: Christ is risen! Praise the Lord!**

L: The stone rejected by the builders is now the main foundation stone! This has happened because of the Lord; it is astounding in our sight!

**C: Christ is risen! Praise the Lord!**

**ALL: This is the day the Lord has made; we will rejoice and celebrate in it! Amen.**

OPENING HYMN - *Christ the Lord Is Risen* (UMH #302)

HYMN - *Christ is Alive* (UMH #318)

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

**O Lord Jesus, your wondrous birth means little unless we are born again. Your death and sacrifice mean little unless we die to sin. Your resurrection means little if you be raised alone. Raise us and exalt us, O Lord, to a state of grace. Lead us to love and glory - where with the Father and the Holy Spirit you live and reign, one God for ever and ever. Amen.**

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

SCRIPTURE - Psalm 24 (page #436)

SERMON - "The King of Glory"

HYMN - *Up from the Grave He Arose* (UMH #322)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/PASTORAL PRAYER

RETURNING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory Music & Collection and Presentation of our Gifts

\*Dedicating our Gifts and our Service to God's Glory

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;**

**Praise Him, all creatures here below;**

**Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;**

**Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

\*Offertory Prayer

Thanksgiving and/or Communion

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING— "O God, this is a great day! Almighty God and Father, this is the day we celebrate your creating and saving work through the resurrection of Jesus Christ! Thank you! By faith, we too can die with Christ and be raised with Christ. Christ lives in us. Thank you! We celebrate the Spirit-filled life, declare your praise, and glorify your name, through Christ, the Risen One. Amen."

Sending Forth

CLOSING HYMN - *He Lives* (UMH #310)

BENEDICTION

- Community Blessing - *Majesty, Worship His Majesty* (UMH #176)
- Postlude -

Abbreviations

UMH = Hymnal (blue)

PB = Praise Songbook (black)

- Indicates to please stand as you are able

COUNTING SCHEDULE

**1ST SUNDAY - JERRY CHARLTON & CAROL PARRISH**

Sub counters are; Steve Thomas, Roger Thomas, Denny Hayford, Cristy Lane, Brody Bernshausen, Lee Lacey

LOOKING AHEAD

**April 9th - SPRC Mtg.**

**April 17th - FMF Mtg.**

EMMANUEL'S WAREHOUSE

Everyone including Sunday School kids are encouraged to bring soap and non-perishable food items for Emmanuel's Warehouse. Please place donations in the baskets, placed at each entrance.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Would you consider leading the children's moment on Sunday mornings? There is a sign up sheet on the back podium for the month of April.

USHERS AND COMMUNION STEWARDS

We are in need of volunteers for ushers and communion stewards for the month of April and June. Please see the sign up sheet on the back podium.





# This Week at Church

Today	Sunday School Morning Worship	9:00 am 10:00 am
Tue.	Trustee Mtg.	6:00pm
Wed.	Morning Bible Study	10:30 am
Wed.	NO Praise Band Rehearsal	
Thurs.	Bible Study at the Howard's	6:30 pm

## Prayer Requests:

Community Members who are serving in the armed forces:  
 D.J. Bridgeman      James Bridgeman      Mark Heyungs  
    Hannah Burks Foose

## Other Requests

Trevor Hayden      BJ Wills      Bob Smith  
 Nelson Caulkins      Sara & Denny Hayden      Diane Winders  
 Audrey Calukins      Don Christensen

## Committee Chairs

Brody Bernshausen      Church Council Chair      620-1053  
 Diana Budke      Staff-Parish  
    Relations Chair      369-3534  
 Denny Hayford      Trustees Chair      840-2327  
 Patia Picken      Worship Chair      229-7624

## Inclement weather:

Due to inclement weather conditions if church service has to be cancelled we will have cancellation information posted on the Website, Facebook, and on Channels 25 & 31 news, it will also be on the church answering machine. If you still have any questions please contact the Church Council chair. (Brody Bernshausen)

## Video monitoring:

If you have to leave the worship service, for any reason, you can continue to view the service via the monitoring system in the nursery.

## WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

GREETERS	Don & Jackie Christensen
HEAD USHERS	
ACCOMPANIST	Susan Frank/Patia Picken
SONG LEADER	Larry Whitehouse
LITURGIST	Lee Lacey
SPEAKER	Pastor Gregory Boylan
ACOLYTES	

## **VITAL SIGNS**



Worship Attendance Mar. 25	74
Budget each week:	\$ 3,017
Year To Date funds received: (Includes Fund Raising & campaigns )	\$ 31,992
Year To Date Budget:	\$ 39,221

## HOW TO CONTACT US

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