### COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

# APRIL 8, 2018 2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER

#### **Entrance**

WELCOME / LIFE OF THE CHURCH

PRELUDE / LIGHT OF CHRIST

**OPENING PRAYER** 

<u>CALL TO WORSHIP</u> (please stand as you are able)

L: Christ is risen!

C: He is risen indeed, Alleluia!

L: Christ walks alongside us on our journey.

C: Sometimes we do not recognize his presence.

L:And yet, do not our hearts burn within us?

C: Our hearts burn with hope when we experience the good news.

L: And yet, do not our hearts burn within us?

C: Our hearts burn with faith when we taste the grace of God.

L: And yet, do not our hearts burn within us?

C: Our hearts burn with love when we witness suffering.

L: We can all have burning hearts:

C: to be light in the darkness; to be messengers of the good news; to be people who speak out courageously against the forces of wickedness; to be travelers who offer the warmth of

compassion and love.

All: May our hearts burn for your greater glory, O God! Amen.

OPENING PRAISE SONG - Great is the Lord (PB)

#### PRAYER OF PREPARATION

We need your presence on the long road, O Lord. The road between fear and hope, the road between the place of lost and the place of resurrection. Like the travelers walking the road to Emmaus, we are in need of your company! Jesus, stand among us, in your risen power, and let this time of worship be a holy hour. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

SCRIPTURE - Luke 24:13-35 (page #860)

SERMON - "God, Our Mysterious Traveler"

PRAISE SONG - Shout to the Lord (PB)

#### 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

HOLY COMMUNION - UMH #12

#### Sending Forth

PRAISE SONG - Trading My Sorrows (PB)

#### BENEDICTION

- Community Blessing He Lives (UMH #310) refrain
- Postlude -

#### Abbreviations

UMH = Hymnal (blue)
PB = Praise Songbook (black)

Indicates to please stand as you are able

# COUNTING SCHEDULE

2ND SUNDAY - Lee Lacey & Denny Hayford

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

#### **LOOKING AHEAD**

April 17th - FMF Mtg.

April 15th - Baptism for Noah Frank

May 1st - Trustees Mtg.

May 3rd - UMW May Fellowship

#### **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 and May.

#### USHERS AND COMMUNION STEWARDS

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

#### **CONFIRMATION CLASS**

Confirmation class starts this afternoon, if you have a 5-12th grader interested in taking the class please see Pastor Greg after worship.





Sunday School Morning Worship	9:00 am 10:00 am
Confirmation Class	1:00 pm
SPRC Mtg.	6:00 pm
Endowment Mtg.	5:30 pm
Finance Mtg.	6:00 pm
Morning Bible Study	10:30 am
Praise Band Rehearsal	6:30 pm
Bible Study at the Howard's	6:30 pm
	Morning Worship  Confirmation Class SPRC Mtg.  Endowment Mtg.  Finance Mtg.  Morning Bible Study  Praise Band Rehearsal

# **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
Diana Budke

Church Council Chair
Staff-Parish
Relations Chair

Denny Hayford

Trustees Chair

Patia Picken

Church Council Chair
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Relations Chair

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# **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

XHEAD USHERS
Diana Budke
XACCOMPANIST
Susan Frank
XSONG LEADER
Praise Band
LITURGIST
Diana Budke

SPEAKER Pastor Gregory Boylan

**ACOLYTES** 

# **VITAL SIGNS**

Worship Attendance Apr 1 97

Budget each week: \$3,017

Year To Date funds received: \$35,909

(Includes Fund Raising & campaigns)

Year To Date Budget: \$42,238

#### **HOW TO CONTACT US**

Church Office Hours 9am-1pm Mon-Thurs Pastor's Church cell: 840-4709

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