

**WORSHIP SERVERS: *THANK YOU FOR SERVING!***

**NURSERY.....Sharon Dostal & Kaitlyn Davis**  
**LITURGIST.....Chris Okoren**  
**COMMUNION STEWARDS.....Marcia Olmstead & Diane Sonefeld**  
**COMMUNION SERVERS.....Kay & Bob Neal, Chris Okoren,  
Dave & Bev Hamman**  
**USHERS.....John Rodgers, Louis Wolven & Friends**  
**SOUND/VIDEO TECHNICIANS.....Wally Brown & Dennis Tabor**

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**ASK AN USHER FOR** Large Print Worship Bulletins, Large Print Hymnals, Children's Doodle Folders and Listening Devices.

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**WHY UMCL WEARS NAME TAGS:** Wearing a name tag helps us to know each other by name, not just by face. It helps visitors feel more comfortable to talk to others when they can call you by name. In addition, it helps our greeters identify visitors and people who may be looking for a church. If you would like to have a plastic name badge made for you, please call the church office.

**VISION STATEMENT**

Believers seeking and sharing the character of Christ

Pastor: **Rev. Dennis B. Bromley**  
Office Manager: **Rev. Laurie McKinven-Copus**  
Director of Christian Education: **Rev. Judy Downing**  
Youth Directors: **Cindy Cooper and George Faust**  
Music Director: **Rebecca Sopha**  
Handbell Choir Director: **John Reed**  
*Water's Edge* Praise Band Director: **Jac Russell**  
Accompanist: **Rogene Lathouwers**



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**SUNDAY, MAY 7, 2017**

**11:00 AM**

**"I am the gate;** whoever enters through me will be saved."  
**John 10:9**

# Fourth Sunday of Easter

*Welcome to worship! May this service be a blessing to you,  
and may it inspire you to take the church into the world.*

**PRELUDE** "The King of Love My Shepherd Is"  
arr., Albin Whitworth

## WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PASSING GOD'S PEACE

*Please sign the attendance pad located at the end of your pew. Pass it down the row and then back. Use the yellow Prayer Cards in the pews to write your requests. Give them to one of the ushers at the prayer time.*

**PRAYER** Chris Okoren

**THE PSALTER** Psalm 23 Hymnal #754

**\*HYMN** "Sweet, Sweet Spirit" Hymnal #334

**THE NEW TESTAMENT READINGS** Acts 2:42-47  
1 Peter 2:19-25

**ANTHEM** "Pray for the People"  
Praise Choir Pepper Choplin

## PRAYER TIME

### THE PASTORAL PRAYER

**THE LORD'S PRAYER** Hymnal #895

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.

## GIVING OF OUR GIFTS

**OFFERTORY** "He Leadeth Me" arr., Dale Wood

**\*DOXOLOGY** Hymnal #95

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.

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**HYMN** "Let Us Break Bread Together" Hymnal #618

**THE GOSPEL READING** John 10:1-10

**SERMON** "The Love of the Shepherd" Pastor Dennis

**SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION** Hymnal p. 15

**\*HYMN** "God Be with You till We Meet Again"  
Hymnal #672, vss. 1 & 2

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE** "Allegro" G.F. Handel

*\*Please stand if able*