

WORSHIP SERVERS: *THANK YOU FOR SERVING!*

NURSERY.....Briona Carrier & Rachel Faust
LITURGIST.....Rev. David Pratt
**Communion Servers.....Pat, Carleen & Will Shinn, S.K. Osborn
& Kaylee Persenaires**
USHERS.....Friends of John Rodgers (1922 -2018)
SOUND/VIDEO TECHNICIANS.....Wally Brown & Dennis Tabor

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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**
and 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, APRIL 1, 2018

11:00 AM

Christ
the
Lord *is*
RISEN
Today

EASTER

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

PRELUDE "Easter Song" Fred Block
Piano/Organ Duet

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 Rev. David Pratt

THE PSALTER Psalm 118: 1-2, 14-24 Hymnal p. 839

***HYMN** "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" Hymnal #302

THE NEW TESTAMENT READINGS

Acts 10:34-43

1 Corinthians 15: 1-11

CHOIR ANTHEM "Joy in the Morning" Natalie Sleeth
Chancel Choir with brass

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 "Alleluia" Mozart

*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 "He Lives" Hymnal #310

THE GOSPEL READING John 20:1-18

CHOIR ANTHEM "I Will Rise" arr., Jay Rouse
Chris Tomlin

SERMON "Brighter Than Ever" Pastor Dennis Bromley

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***HYMN** "Because He Lives" Hymnal #364

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE** "The Rejoicing" George F. Handel
(from Water Music)

**Please stand if able*

Brass Quartet Larry Babcock, Quinn Barkus, Melissa Davis, and Tom Sheppardson

Youth Vocal Ensemble Melissa Davis, Grace Higley, Heather Kaatz and Emma Taranko with Chancel Choir