



First United Methodist Church
Sunday, April 3, 2022
Fifth Sunday in Lent

Prelude *What a Friend We Have in Jesus* Scriven/Converse, arr. Tapestry
Tapestry; Leah and Corey Hulst, directors
Contemplations Ron Mallory
Class Ring; Bill Alexander, director

Welcome and Announcements Pastor Jeanine Alexander

* Call to Worship Brandon Veale

One: Let us be a church where love dwells and all can safely be.

All: A place of hopes and dreams and visions. A place of welcome, a place of grace!

One: Let us be a church where love dwells and all can safely be.

All: A banquet hall on holy ground, where peace and justice meet!

One: Let us be a church where love dwells and all can safely be.

All: A place where all are named, treasured, taught and claimed.

One: Let us be a church where love dwells and all can safely be.

All: Let us proclaim from floor to rafter: ALL are welcome in this place!

* Hymn *All Are Welcome* attachment, v. 1-4

Morning Prayer Pastor Cynthia Coffin-Langdon

Unison Prayer of Confession

God of all goodness and grace, you call us to live like Christ, doing nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility regarding others as precious and worthy. You ask us to look not only to our own interests, but also to the interests of others. There are times we do this well, and there are times when we are selfish, when we don't treat others as your beloved children, and when we put ourselves first, not even seeing the needs of others. Forgive us, we pray. Give us a new mindset, the mindset of Christ who served others and gave himself in love. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

In the name of Christ, we are forgiven, freed and loved! May God grant us the mindset of Christ and may we love and serve others in Christ's name. Amen.

Prayers of Concern & Celebration

Lord's Prayer

All: 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, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

The Sacrament of Holy Communion Pastor Jeanine Alexander

*Worshippers are invited to come forward where they will be given pre-packaged elements.
They may kneel at the rail or go back to their seats to partake.*

note "Food Shelf: in the check memo or envelope and make checks out to FUMC. Thank you for loving our neighbors in need.

Holy Week schedule:

- ***Palm/Passion Sunday:*** April 10 at 10am in person or on livestream and on YouTube any time. It will include a palm procession as we begin our Holy Week journey.
- ***Maundy Thursday Service:*** April 14 at 7pm in person or on livestream and on YouTube any time. The service will include Holy Communion (the Last Supper) and journeying all the way to Jesus's death
- ***Good Friday Service:*** Friday, April 15 at noon in our chapel (in person only): This service will walk us through Jesus's death and the events of the last hours of his life.
- ***Easter Sunrise Service:*** Sunday, April 17 at 6:30am (in person only): A short service in our church parking overlooking Lake Superior. Dress casually and comfortably. Coffee and donuts will be available following the service.
- ***Easter Worship:*** Sunday, April 17 at 10am in person or on livestream and on YouTube any time. Please remember to wear masks this Sunday because we are expecting more people than usual. We will have coffee and donuts available either in Lakeview Social Hall or outdoors, depending on the weather, from 9:00-9:45am.

Easter offering:

Every Easter we take a special offering and we will do so again. You are invited to make a special Easter gift. The financial offering will be split three ways:

- ***Harbor House.*** Harbor House is a United Methodist Ministry located in Superior whose mission is to provide hospitable shelter, transitional living, and services for homeless women and families – the money given will go toward transportation and a swing set for their outdoor play area.
 - *Items Harbor House Needs (there is a bin outside the Sanctuary at church to put them):* Sheets (twin and full – new or like new) ... Towels (bath size and washcloths) ... Pillows ... Laundry soap (liquid or pods) ... Shampoo and conditioner (ethnic hair products especially needed) ... Deodorant ... Cleaning products ... Art supplies
- ***The United Methodist Love Offering.*** All the Methodist churches in MN give to this combined effort and present their gifts at the May Annual Conference meeting – this year money will go to Holy Grounds (a day center for the homeless and lonely in Mankato), The West African Family & Community Food Shelf in Brooklyn Center, Simpson Food Pantry in South Minneapolis, the Red Bird Missionary Conference in eastern Kentucky for disaster response after recent severe flooding damaged churches and homes, and Volunteer In Mission Scholarships.
- ***The general mission, ministry and outreach of our congregation.*** So much ministry is happening through our congregation and we want to continue, and even expand, the level of our outreach and impact. This spring, due to COVID-19 and family situations of leaders, we will not have the Roast Beef Dinner so we hope you will be generous in this giving opportunity.

A gift to light the church during the week of April 3 was given by the 2 X 2 Couples Club in memory of Paul Kim. The gift will also support the music department.

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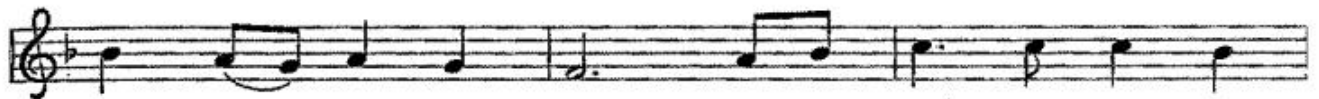
All Are Welcome



1 Let us build a house where love can dwell and all can safe - ly
 2 Let us build a house where proph-ets speak, and words are strong and
 3 Let us build a house where love is found in wa - ter, wine and
 4 Let us build a house where hands will reach be - yond the wood and
 5 Let us build a house where all are named, their songs and vi - sions



live, a place where saints and chil - dren tell how
 true, where all God's chil - dren dare to seek to
 wheat: a ban - quet hall on ho - ly ground where
 stone to heal and strength - en, serve and teach, and
 heard and loved and trea - sured, taught and claimed as



hearts learn to for - give. Built of hopes and dreams and
 dream God's reign a - new. Here the cross shall stand as
 peace and jus - tice meet. Here the love of God, through
 live the Word they've known. Here the out - cast and the
 words with - in the Word. Built of tears and cries and



vi - sions, rock of faith and vault of grace; here the love of
 wit - ness and as sym - bol of God's grace; here as one we
 Je - sus, is re - vealed in time and space; as we share in
 strang-er bear the im - age of God's face; let us bring an
 laugh-ter. prayers of faith and songs of grace. let this house pro -



Refrain

Christ shall end di - vi - sions:
 claim the faith of Je - sus:
 Christ the feast that frees us: All are wel - come,
 end to fear and dan - ger:
 claim from floor to raf - ter:



all are wel - come. all are wel - come in this place.

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 Music: Marty Haugen
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TWO OAKS
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Lord, We Come to Ask Your Healing

1. Lord, we come to ask your heal - ing, teach us of love;
 2. Soothe a - way our pain and sor - row, hold us in love;
 3. When the bread is raised and bro - ken, fill us with love;
 4. Help us live for one an - oth - er, bind us in love;

5
 all un - spo - ken shame re - veal - ing, teach us of love.
 grace we can - not buy or bor - row, hold us in love.
 words of con - se - cra - tion spo - ken, fill us with love.
 stran - ger, neigh - bor, fa - ther, moth - er bind us in love.

9
 Take our self - ish thoughts and ac - tions, pet - ty feuds, di - vi - sive fac - tions,
 Though we seek but dark and dan - ger, though we spurn both friend and stran - ger,
 As our grate - ful prayers con - tin - ue, make the faith that we have in you
 All are e - qual at your ta - ble, through your Spir - it make us a - ble

13
 hear us now, to you ap - peal - ing, teach us of love.
 though we of - ten dread to - mor - row, hold us in love.
 more than just an emp - ty to - ken, fill us with love.
 to em - brace as sis - ter, broth - er, bind us in love.