

Welcome to Christ United Methodist Church - A Reconciling Congregation!

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We are a community of faith, who welcomes ALL people. We believe that the love of Jesus was, and is, radically inclusive. We desire for you to find this sanctuary and church to be a safe place, full of love and grace.

Thank you for filling out the enclosed Connection Card and placing it in the offering plate during offering time.

May 14, 2023 – Mother’s Day & Sixth Sunday in Easter

(*Those who are able, please stand.) **(Bold face type – parts we all speak or sing.)**

GATHERING & CENTERING TIME

OPENING MUSIC “Aria” by E. L. Diemer

WELCOME

***CALL TO WORSHIP:** *Themes from Psalm 139*

We gather together to worship God,
Who loves us and nurtures us.
God, who like a good mother, knows us intimately,
Who loves us unconditionally.
Granting us guidance and wisdom,
And comforting us in our time of need.
Praise God, the source and sustainer of all life,
The breath in our lungs and the beauty in our hearts.
This is the day that the Lord has made;
Let us Rejoice and be glad in it!

***SONG** “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” **UMH #139**

***PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

MUSIC MINISTRY “Ring for Joy” by D. Wagner
Chime & Asbury Bell Choirs, Directed by Desi Jensen and Tony Slinger

CHILDREN’S TIME

SONG “Where Children Belong” **TFWS #2233**

MYSTERY BOX

(Children & adults are welcome to come forward. Children are always welcome to remain for all of worship. And, childcare for children 2 years and younger is available in the Nursery.)

MOTHER’S DAY VIDEO

OFFERING OUR PRAYERS, GIFTS & TITHES

UNISON PRAYER

**God Almighty, when we experience your goodness, may we give thanks;
when we experience pain and hardship, may we trust that you are with us;
when we experience the pain of others, may we reach out in your love.
Lord, may your grace be sufficient when we forget others, when we forget
you, and when we forget ourselves. Love us in tangible ways,
Lord. Amen.**



INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERING OPTIONS: QR Code to Give: Use the QR code. Text to Give: Text dollar amount to 801-317-8833 and follow the prompts.

MUSIC MINISTRY “Thy Dwelling Place” by D. F. Smith
The Wesley Bell Ringers, Directed by Katie Lay

***DOXOLOGY** **UMH #95**

SILENT PRAYER & PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD’S PRAYER

**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.**

RECEIVING TIME

SCRIPTURE READING Proverbs 1:20-22

SERMON Rev. Brian Diggs

***SENDING SONG** **SENDING TIME**
“God of the Bible” **W&S #3020**

WAYS TO ENGAGE THIS WEEK

***BENEDICTION**

CLOSING MUSIC “Concerto in G Major, BWV 592” by J. S. Bach

Christ UMC - TODAY's Events

- 8:00 am – Chapel Worship Service, Chapel
- 9:00 am – Adult Sunday School, Chapel
- 9:30 am – Fellowship/Coffee Time & Blood Pressure Check, Gym
- 10:00 am – Worship in the Sanctuary
- 11:00 am – Fellowship/Coffee Time & Blood Pressure Check, Hallway & Gym

Christ UMC Events This Week: May 15 – May 21

- Monday:** 7:00 pm Sloe Jam, Music Room *Newcomers welcome
- Tuesday:** 6:30 pm Church Council, Jackie Hibbard's House
7:30 pm Wesley Bell Ringers Rehearsal, Music Room
- Wednesday:** 10:00 am Wednesday Morning Study Group, Parlor
- Thursday:** 10:00 am Deborah Circle, Parlor
11:00 am Explorer Preschool End of Year Program, Sanctuary
7:30 am apPRAISEation Rehearsal, Music Room
- Saturday:** 10:00 am Animal Blessing, Front Lawn
- Sunday: Graduate Recognition Sunday & Seventh Sunday in Easter**
 - 8:00 am Chapel Service
 - 8:30 am Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Music Room
 - 9:00 am Adult Sunday School, Chapel
 - 9:30 am Fellowship/Coffee Time, Gym
 - 10:00 am Worship in the Sanctuary & Children's Sunday School
 - 11:00 am Fellowship/Coffee Time, Hallway
 - 2:00 pm apPRAISEation Concert, Sanctuary**
 - 5:30 pm Wesley Bell Ringers Rehearsal, Music Room

THOSE SERVING IN WORSHIP

Guest Pastor	Rev. Brian Diggs
Children's Ministry	Alicia Griffing & Alicia Simons
Organist	Shelby Fisher
Media	Barrett Carpenter & Shannon Meyer
Liturgist	Ruth Burkett



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Mother's Day & Sixth Sunday in Easter

May 14, 2023 - 10:00 Worship

Pastors, Rev. Lisa Petty & Rev. Bruce Kolasch

"Creating and promoting a faith that is thoughtful, compassionate and inclusive"