

Upcoming Events and Information

Thursdays	Thurs. Fellowship Study (Fellowship Hall)	6:45pm
Saturdays	Men's Bible study (Zoom)	8:00am

Tue., May 11th,	Trustees Meeting/Fellowship Hall	6:00pm
Wed., May 12th,	Education Team meets in-person	6:30pm

- **Everyday Essentials** for the Trinity Food Pantry, Rock Falls UMC Personal Care Pantry, and FISH Food Pantry are being accepted in the fellowship hall. Throughout May we are collecting **dish soap**. We also need **travel-sized toiletries** for local pantries. Thank you to everyone who continues to support our neighbors in need!
- **Loose coins** for May go to Let's Feed Our Children.
- We are also collecting fruit cups for Let's Feed Our Children.

Worship Leaders today

Liturgist: Aaron Marken

Children's message: Nancy Pitsch

Music Director: Dylan Hinrichs

Organist: Judy Bushman

Head usher: Jeff Cedro



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Happy
Mother's
Day
We Love Our Moms!

**Wesley United Methodist
Church**

**May 9, 2021
Fifth Sunday in Easter
Mother's Day**

***Welcome to
Wesley United Methodist Church
May 9th, 2021***

ENTRANCE

PRELUDE "When There's Love at Home"
by J.H. McNaughton/arr. Roger C. Wilson

INTROIT "Our Parent, by Whose Name"
Words by F. Bland Tucker/Music by John Daivd

ANNOUNCEMENTS

† **OPENING PRAYER** (Ephesians 1)
Mystery of God, draw us near.
Fill our minds with awe!
Wisdom of God, surprise us.
Encourage us with hope!
Glory of God, shine through our lives.
Reveal your power and your glory!
In the mystery, the wisdom, the glory of God,
Let us worship God!

† **OPENING HYMN** "Crown Him with Many Crowns" UMH #327 vs 1,4

JOYS AND CONCERNS

MORNING PRAYERS

The 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.

† **RESPONSE** "Glory Be to the Father" #70

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

HYMN "Help Us Accept Each Other" UMH #560 v1

SCRIPTURE READING Genesis 50:15-21

This is the Word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Forgiving Families"

THANKSGIVING

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

RESPONSE

OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND OUR LIVES

OFFERTORY

† **DOXOLOGY** "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" #95

† **PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

Gracious and giving God, you are the One who first has given to us all that we need for life. Guide us to use what we now gather for the well-being of your church, for those in need of shelter and food, for all who suffer for want of your Word, and for nurturing faith in your people. In the name of Christ Jesus, our Lord. Amen.

SENDING FORTH

† **CLOSING HYMN** "Up from the Grave He Arose" UMH #322 vs 1,3

† **BENEDICTION**

† **RECESSIONAL** "Up from the Grave He Arose" UMH #322 (Refrain)

POSTLUDE "The Family of God" by William & Gloria Gaither

† *Please stand if you are able in your body or spirit.*
Bold print indicates in unison

***The flowers on the altar are in Memory of Lillian Parker
from Bill and Jillian Parker***