Upcoming Events and Information

Tue./Thur.:Exercise Group (Fireside Room)3:30pmTuesdays:Bell Choir Practice5:15pmSaturdays:Men's Bible Study (Fireside Room)8:00amSundays:Youth Group1:00-3:00pm

Mon. May 1st: Ad Council at 7:00pm

Thurs. May 4th: Greeting Card Ministry at 9:30am Sat. May 6th: semi-annual work day 8:30am to noon.

• Fifth Sunday Appeal : Peace with Justice

• Feed the Children supplies being collected through May 14th.

• Fill the Truck items collected until Annual Conference, June 6th.

• Bishop's Appeal for 2023: dedicated to migrant needs.

• Everyday Essentials for local pantries are being accepted in Fellowship Hall. April collection: bar soap. Also needed: travel-sized toiletries. Thank you for helping those in need!

• Loose coins for April: Caretakers of God's Creation

• **Nursery** is provided for 10:00 am service.

Worship Leaders today

Youth Director: Melissa Hurley

Music Ministry: Judy Bushman (Organist)

Mary Nelmes (Handbell Choir Director)

Head Usher: Jeff Cedro **Nursery Supervisor:** Carol Cravatta

A/V Specialists: Logan Ayala and Joey Cordell

8:00 AM 10:00 AM

Liturgists:Wendy FitzankoShay & Molly PapocciaGreeters:Derek & Aaron FitzankoShay & Molly PapocciaUshers:James FitzankoJP & Brady Papoccia



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Welcome to Wesley United Methodist Church April 30, 2023

ENTRANCE

PRELUDE

Where Quiet Waters Flow All Nature Sings

by James Southbridge by Stewart Landon

INTROIT

Surely the Presence of the Lord is in This Place

by Lanny Wolfe

ANNOUNCEMENTS

†CALL TO WORSHIP: (Psalm 105, Matthew 14)

Come, now is the time to worship.

Now is the time to spring forth in faith.

Give thanks to our God.

Sing of God's praise and glory.

Seek the Lord.

Rejoice in God's presence.

Come, now is the time to worship.

†OPENING HYMN "Tell Me the Stories of Jesus"

UMH #277 (vs 1,2)

JOYS AND CONCERNS

MORNING PRAYER

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.

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

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

#70

SPECIAL MUSIC

"The Gift of Love"

arr. by Hal Hopson

Mary Nelmes and Lon VanGilder

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (10:00AM)

HYMN

"Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore" UMH #344 (vs 1,4)

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 5:1-10

This is the Word of God for the people of God

Thanks be to God

SERMON

You Will Be Catching People

THANKSGIVING

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

RESPONSE

OFFERTORY

† DOXOLOGY

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

#95

† PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Gracious God, your gifts are indeed great, your works a wonder to behold. We thank you for the gift of your amazing grace, as we return a portion of these gifts to you. Bless these gifts, that our giving may become a beautiful message of your love and grace. In Christ's glorious name, we pray. Amen

SENDING FORTH

†CLOSING HYMN

"I Love to Tell the Story"

UMH #156 (vs 1,2,3)

† BENEDICTION

† RECESSIONAL

"More Like You"

TFWS #2167 (first half)

POSTLUDE

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty

by John B. Dykes

†Please stand if you are able in your body or spirit.

Bold print indicates in unison

The altar flowers are given in memory of Joanne Wood by Lon VanGilder