

## Sunday Worship

April 24th, 2022

9:00 a.m.

## Scripture Reading

NIV

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude

*Jesus Loves Me*

Call to Worship\*

Reverend: Praise the Lord

All: ***Praise God in his sanctuary***

Reverend: Praise him with trumpet sound

All: ***Let everything that breathes praise the Lord!***

Passing the Peace\*

Opening Hymn\*

*All Hail the Power of Jesus Name*

UMH 154 (v.1-4, 6)

Children's Time

Confirmation Recognition

Offertory

*Shine On Me*

Doxology\*

UHM 94

Prayer

Centering Hymn\*

*Breathe On Me Breath of God*

UMH 420 (v.1-2)

Scripture

John 20:19-31

Reverend: The Word of God for the people of God

All: ***Thanks be to God***

Gloria Patri\*

UMH 70

Sermon

*"Believing"*

Pastor Paul Wallis

Closing Hymn\*

*The Day of Resurrection*

UMH 303

Benediction

Postlude

\*Please stand if you are able

### **John 20:19-31:**

<sup>19</sup> On the evening of that first day of the week, when the disciples were together, with the doors locked for fear of the Jewish leaders, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you!" <sup>20</sup> After he said this, he showed them his hands and side. The disciples were overjoyed when they saw the Lord. <sup>21</sup> Again Jesus said, "Peace be with you! As the Father has sent me, I am sending you." <sup>22</sup> And with that he breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit. <sup>23</sup> If you forgive anyone's sins, their sins are forgiven; if you do not forgive them, they are not forgiven."

### **Jesus Appears to Thomas**

<sup>24</sup> Now Thomas (also known as Didymus), one of the Twelve, was not with the disciples when Jesus came. <sup>25</sup> So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord!" But he said to them, "Unless I see the nail marks in his hands and put my finger where the nails were, and put my hand into his side, I will not believe." <sup>26</sup> A week later his disciples were in the house again, and Thomas was with them. Though the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you!" <sup>27</sup> Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here; see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it into my side. Stop doubting and believe." <sup>28</sup> Thomas said to him, "My Lord and my God!" <sup>29</sup> Then Jesus told him, "Because you have seen me, you have believed; blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed."

### **The Purpose of John's Gospel**

<sup>30</sup> Jesus performed many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not recorded in this book. <sup>31</sup> But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

### **MUMC 2022 Confirmands**

- † *Ava Elizabeth Alt, daughter of Elizabeth and Nathan Alt*
- † *Nyameye Ansomaa-Bekoe Maison, daughter of Barbara and Eugene Maison*
- † *Sutton "Liam" Sarff, son of Kimberly and Brandon Sarff*

### **Baptisms**

- † *Ava Elizabeth Alt, daughter of Elizabeth and Nathan Alt*

At the end of service, please leave an encouraging note for the confirmands in the journals in the gathering area.

Special thank you to our Confirmation teachers  
Bill and Char Troyer and Nikki Campbell

The flowers at the altar today are courtesy of Bill and Char Troyer in honor of the 2022 Confirmation Class.

### **Last Dinner Church**

We will have our last dinner church of the school year this Wednesday at 5:15pm. We will provide the hamburgers, hotdogs, and dessert – and everyone can bring a side dish to share! Come join us one last time before school gets out!

### **XYZ Activities**

No XYZ activities this Tuesday as Lynn Zimmerman will be out of town. We will be going to see the musical "Thoroughly Modern Millie" next Sunday. More information available at the Welcome Desk.

### **Family Ministries**

Don't forget to sign up for VBS or the Youth Mission Trip! Check out the Family Ministries page on the website for more information and sign-up links!

### **Be the Church:**

9:00AM-Traditional Worship Celebration  
10:30AM-Cross Connections Worship Celebration  
10:30AM-Sunday School (ages 2 – 6<sup>th</sup> grade)  
3PM-Boy Scout Banquet  
Mon, Wed, Friday- 8:00-9:00AM Walking for Exercise  
Monday-3:15pm After School at Eli's (Sr. High)  
Monday-7PM Boy Scouts  
Tuesday-8:30AM Staff Meeting  
Tuesday-9:30AM Skeins of Love  
Tuesday-10:30AM Hospital Care Team Meeting  
Wednesday-6:30AM Men's prayer Group  
Wednesday-3PM Communication Meeting  
Wednesday-5:15PM Dinner Church  
Wednesday-6:15PM Family Ministries Night  
Wednesday-6:30 United Methodist Men  
Thursday-8:30AM Quilters  
Thursday-9:30AM Study with Pastor Paul (final meeting)  
Thursday-6PM Thursday Night Bible Study  
Thursday-6PM Praise Band Practice  
Thursday-7PM Choir Practice  
Saturday-7AM Men's Bible Study  
Sunday-9AM Traditional Worship Celebration (sanctuary and online)  
Sunday-10:30AM Cross Connections Worship Celebration (gym)  
Sunday-10:30AM Sunday School (ages 2 – 6<sup>th</sup> grade)  
Sunday-United Methodist Men Breakfast  
Sunday-XYZ Musical and Dinner



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