

EVANGELICAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

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"SHARING BREAD THROUGH CHRIST"



Mother's Day

Seventh Sunday of Easter

"Behold Thy Mother"

May 8, 2016

LARGE PRINT

WORSHIP SERVICE 10:30 a.m.
Holy Communion: First Sunday of Every Month

SERVING THIS MORNING

Head Usher - Kurt Grathwohl

Liturgist: Russ Bradshaw ~ Organist: Eula Gowan

Pastor - Rev. Jeff Glandon

† = Please Stand As You Are Able

P=People

L= Liturgist

GATHERING TOGETHER AND SEEKING GOD'S PRESENCE

Bringing in the Light, Prelude, Welcome, Passing of the Peace

† **CALL TO WORSHIP** *Sourcebook*

L: Now is the moment of grace.
P: **This is the hour of blessings.**
L: Today is the day of salvation.
P: **Here is the path to new life.**
L: Already joy is abounding.
P: **And love is flowing.**
L: For this is the day God is making.
ALL: Let us rejoice and sing.

† **PRAYER OF INVOCATION** *Sourcebook*

ALL: Gracious God, We are brave to come near this morning, to the throne of Your marvelous grace. Hear now our prayers and songs, and magnify them by Your Spirit, to glorify our great Immanuel. Lord God, be with us. Amen.

† **Opening Hymn:** *"Oh, How I Love Jesus"*

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HEARING GOD'S WORD

OT = Old Testament NT = New Testament



SCRIPTURE READINGS

Hebrew Scripture: *Ruth 1: 11-18*

Holy Gospel Reading: *John 1: 26-31*

pg. 242 OT

pg. 92 NT

Special Scripture Reading *John 19: 25-27*

Sermon: *"Behold Thy Mother"*

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† **Hymn of Response:** *"All Things Bright and Beautiful"*

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PRESENTATIONS OF OUR PRAYERS AND PETITIONS

Joys and Concerns of our Worshiping Family

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (*debts and debtors*)

Sung Prayer Response:

**ALL: Hear Our Prayer, O Lord, Hear Our Prayer, O Lord,
Hear Our Prayer, O Lord, and Grant Us Thy Peace. Amen.**

UCC Affirmation of Faith: *The Apostles' Creed*

Back of Red Hymnal

SHARING OUR BLESSINGS

Offertory Invitation

Offertory Music

† **DOXOLOGY**

**ALL: Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise God all Creatures here below.
Praise God above ye heavenly hosts.
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

† PRAYER OF DEDICATION

ALL: Giver of all life, thank you for the gift of life and for all gifts. Please take our offerings and our lives and use them in Your service. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen

Presentation by the Women's Fellowship to our 2016 Graduates:
Brian Hagen, Dala Wooldridge, Emily & Sarah Oerly & Anna Nelson

RESPONDING IN SERVICE

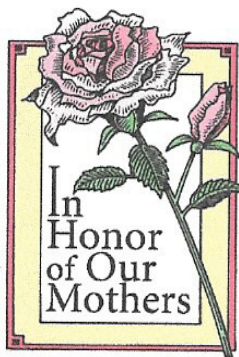
† Closing Hymn: *"He Keeps Me Singing"* # 29 JS

† BENEDICTION Pastor Jeff

† Dismissal: Go now in peace, Never be afraid,
Go now in peace, In faith and in love.

Postlude

Our Worship is Over, Now Our Service Begins....



WELCOME ALL TO THIS SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER!

We joyously greet all worshipers in the name of the Risen Lord! We welcome all who have come to praise God and remember the Lord Jesus Christ. Your presence brings us joy. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, One God now and forever! We're so glad you joined us this morning.

HAPPY MOTHERS DAY TO ALL OUR 'MOTHERS' on this special day....whether you are a sister, an aunt, a grandmother, daughter, cousin or female friend, we honor you today for your love and devotion!

GRADUATES HONORED The EUCC Congregation and the Women's Fellowship would like to honor our 2016 Graduates this morning. *Brian Hagen, Sarah & Emily Oerly, Anna Nelson & Dala Wooldridge*. We ask for God's almighty hand to be upon these young people, who are graduating. Bless their lives with goodness and love. Help them to stay true to their dreams, to use their gifts wisely and to walk into the future with faith, hope and great love!

GOD IS STILL SPEAKING We will receive our Strengthen the Church Special Mission Offering this morning. An envelope was included in last weeks bulletin. If you did not receive one, please let an Usher know, and they will get one for you.

THE MAY NEWSLETTER is now available on the table in back of the church.

YOGA - Yoga meets every **Tues. and Thurs. at 8:45am** in the Lay Center. All are welcome to come and join us!

FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION **Today.** Please place your items, AND your monetary gifts in the basket provided in back of the church Sanctuary.

OFFICE CLOSED The Office will be closed this week, Wed. **May 11 & 13** for Secretary Vacation.

REMINDERS:

Large Print Bulletins are available.

Hearing Assistance Ear Pieces are available. *For Church Use Only*

2 B&W and 2 Color # 901 printer cartridges are available. Call the office at 882-5501

Please ask an Usher for assistance if you are in need of any of these items.

IN HIS SERVICE FOR MAY

Head Usher for May

Kurt Grathwohl

May Council Rep

Russ Bradshaw

May 15

Liturgist - Brian Hagen

May 22

Liturgist - Marilyn Williams

May 29

Liturgist - Betty Sieckmann

LOOKING AHEAD

May 15 - 21

Sunday, May 15

9am - Adult SS

10:30am WORSHIP

Choir Sings

4pm Baccalaureate @ BHS

Football Field

Monday, May 16 - Office Closed

Tuesday, May 17 - Office Closed

8:45am - Yoga

6:30pm COUNCIL MTG.

Wed. May 18 - Office Open
NEWSLETTER ARTICLES DUE

Thurs. May 19 - Office Closed

8:45am - Yoga

Friday, May 20 Office Open

Last Day of School for BHS
Students

Please call Carolyn Koerner to start the Prayer Circle at 882-7967. Prayers to the prayer list may also be added by calling the Church Office at 882-5501.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Georgeanna Rau, Vernon Davis, Kathi Reed, Cacky Neckermann, Glenna McVeigh, Stacey Wooldridge, and Ruth Zeller. *Please let the church office know if these names are correct, and/or if any need to be updated or removed. Thanks*

ADDITIONAL PRAYERS

- * All those who may be struggling with illnesses, losses, financial difficulties, etc.
 - * All those who are home or nursing home bound.
 - * Those serving in the armed forces and their families.
 - * For Raj, his family and their continued ministry.
 - * The Earth, our leaders and everyone in our Country and throughout the world.
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Birthdays & Anniversaries May 8 - 14

Birthdays: May 8 - Greg Dilse, May 11 - Gale Boller & Lisa Schupp; May 13 - Cassandra Crawford

Anniversaries: None

FOR THE RECORD

May 1	\$ 1525.59	Attn: 51
\$100.59 Enervest	\$4.00 Strengthen the Church Offering	

Prayer is the key to Heaven,
but... Faith unlocks the door