

FAITH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SIXTH SUNDAY IN LENT

April 10th, 2022~9:30 A.M.

*Welcome to Faith United Methodist Church. It is our heart and desire to **engage** the community of Waseca with the Gospel of Jesus Christ, **equip** those who respond to be the next generation of disciples of Jesus Christ and **empower** them to go into the world as partners with God for the healing of the world.*

PRELUDE

GREETING/WELCOME

THE LENTEN CANDLES

LENTEN INTROIT VS. 1

We journey together this season of Lent; a time to reflect, a time to forgive, a time to repent, a time to remember, a time to recall Christ’s giving thru suffering, his death and resurrection for all.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Let us enter God’s gates of justice with thankful hearts.

God pours blessings on all who enter.

This is God’s Day to celebrate.

Palm branches at the altar mark our celebration.

SCRIPTURE READING.....Edy Barber

Our scripture for this Palm Sunday is taken from Paul’s letter to the Philippians, chapter two, verses five through eleven.

Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus,
who, though he was in the form of God,
did not regard equality with God

as something to be exploited,
but emptied himself,
taking the form of a slave,
being born in human likeness.
And being found in human form,
he humbled himself
and became obedient to the point of death—
even death on a cross.

Therefore God also highly exalted him
and gave him the name
that is above every name,
so that at the name of Jesus
every knee should bend,
in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
and every tongue should confess
that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.

EXTINGUISHING OF THE SIXTH LENTEN CANDLE

On this Palm Sunday, we extinguish the red Lenten candle as we remember the passion of Christ. We recall that God's Son, Jesus Christ, became like one of us so that we may have access to God and this became possible through Christ's death on the cross.

UNISON PRAYER

O God, what Christ has done for you and for us is truly wondrous. Even though he was your Son, he humbled himself for us on the cross. We truly agree, "Jesus Christ is Lord!" Amen.

LENTEN INTROIT, VS. 2

Six candles not burning, recalling God's Son who came down to earth, was humbled at birth was like ev'ry one. God have him the honor; we share thur the Word so people can see; that all may agree that Jesus is Lord!

HYMN....."Baptized in Water"TFWS #2248

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM.....UMH, pg. 39

Bentley Dean Hyatt

TIME FOR YOUNG METHODISTS AND FRIENDS

SUNDAY SCHOOL All children are invited to attend Sunday School at this time. Please go to the back of the sanctuary to meet your teacher.

PASTORAL PRAYER

Lord, in your mercy
Hear our prayer

THE LORD'S PRAYER.....Unison

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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

ANTHEM....."Hosanna! Hosanna!"Faith Choir

OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND TITHES

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY.....UMH #95

OFFERING PRAYER

Holy One, we give you thanks for the great deeds of salvation that you have done and continue to do. Bless these offerings of thanksgiving that they may further your kingdom in this world; through Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING.....Edy Barber

Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
his steadfast love endures forever!

Let Israel say,
 "His steadfast love endures forever."
Open to me the gates of righteousness,
 that I may enter through them
 and give thanks to the Lord.
This is the gate of the Lord;
 the righteous shall enter through it.
I thank you that you have answered me
 and have become my salvation.
The stone that the builders rejected
 has become the chief cornerstone.
This is the Lord's doing;
 it is marvelous in our eyes.
This is the day that the Lord has made;
 let us rejoice and be glad in it.
Save us, we beseech you, O Lord!
 O Lord, we beseech you, give us success!
Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.
 We bless you from the house of the Lord.
The Lord is God,
 and he has given us light.
Bind the festal procession with branches,
 up to the horns of the altar.
You are my God, and I will give thanks to you;
 you are my God, I will extol you.
O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good,
 for his steadfast love endures forever.

**THIS IS THE WORD OF GOD FOR THE PEOPLE OF GOD
THANKS BE TO GOD**

SCRIPTURE READING.....Pastor Carolyn

Luke 19:28-40

After he had said this, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem.

When he had come near Bethphage and Bethany, at the place called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of the disciples, saying, "Go into the village ahead of you, and as you enter it you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden. Untie it and bring it here. If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' just say this, 'The Lord needs it.'" So those who

were sent departed and found it as he had told them. As they were untying the colt, its owners asked them, "Why are you untying the colt?" They said, "The Lord needs it." Then they brought it to Jesus; and after throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. As he rode along, people kept spreading their cloaks on the road. As he was now approaching the path down from the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to praise God joyfully with a loud voice for all the deeds of power that they had seen, saying,

"Blessed is the king
who comes in the name of the Lord!
Peace in heaven,
and glory in the highest heaven!"

Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, order your disciples to stop." He answered, "I tell you, if these were silent, the stones would shout out."

MESSAGE.....Pastor Carolyn

HYMN....."Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross".....UMH #301, vs. 1, 2, 4

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

REMEMBER OUR CHURCH FAMILIES IN YOUR PRAYERS...

Remember our church members & friends who are less mobile and are unable to join us as often as they would like, including:

Colony Court: Joe Tollefson, Janice Kaupa, Shirley Burdick

Janesville Nursing Home: Nina Youngberg

Foxdale Memory Care: Elaine Westrum

Lakeshore Inn: Leona Quast

Latham Place: Lucille Kubista

Koda Living Community: Chuck Youngberg

Traditions Assisted Living Owatonna: Ardella Draheim

Prayer Requests for Sunday: John Slattery, Leona Quast, Sue Baldini, government officials, health care workers, first responders, and those who are at risk and most vulnerable to Covid-19, those who battle chronic illness and pain.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE...

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- 04/10/2022 (Sun.) Palm Sunday
9:30 am - Worship Service with Baptism of Bentley Hyatt
10:00 - Sunday School
10:30 am - Fellowship
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- 04/11/2022 (Mon.) 3:00-4:30 pm - Conversation, Bible & Friends (*LV Room)
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- 04/12/2022 (Tues.) 1:00 pm - Ruth Circle (Gathering Room)
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- 04/13/2022 (Wed.) 5:00 pm - Confirmation (Gathering Room)
7:00 pm - Choir Practice
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- 04/14/2022 (Thur.) 10:30 am - Bible Study
6:30 pm - Holy Thursday Service (**FH)
Potluck following Service
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- 04/15/2022 (Fri.) 6:30 pm - Good Friday Service
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- 04/17/2022 (Sun.) Easter Sunday
7:30 am - Sunrise Service
8:30 am - Easter Breakfast (**FH)
9:30 am - Worship Service

*Lakeview Room **Fellowship Hall

Administrative Assistant Hours this Week:

Wednesday & Thursday: 9:00 am - 12:30 pm

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