

Parents -Please escort your children to the restrooms.

Thank you.

§ Denotes when to stand as you are able

WE GATHER to be NURTURED

Prelude Chorale Prelude ~ Healy Willan

Ringing of the Bell

Please sign registration sheets and pass to others in your pew.

Choral Introit "Come, Thou Lord, Creator Spirit" ~ Arr. Rickard

§ Call to Worship ~ Based on John 14:26

Leader: Jesus called the Holy Spirit by the word "Advocate"
- or helper.

People: Come, Holy Spirit, come.

Leader: Jesus said that the Father would send the Holy Spirit
in his name.

People: Come, Holy Spirit, come.

Leader: The Holy Spirit will teach you everything
and remind you of all that Jesus said.

People: Come, Holy Spirit. Teach us, fill us, mold us, use us.

All: Come, Holy Spirit, come! Amen!

§ Opening Hymn UMH #603

"Come, Holy Ghost, Our Hearts Inspire"

Sharing of Joys and Journeys Rev. Calvin Culpepper
Pastoral Prayer

WE ARE NURTURED by GOD'S WORD

Reading from the Psalter, UMH #826 Psalm 104:1-13, 24-35

Hymn FWS #2129 "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

The children are invited to come forward as we sing.

Children's Message "Tongues of Fire" James L. Crow

Hymn FWS #2026 "Halle, Halle, Halleluja"

Epistle Lesson - New Testament p. 119 Acts 2:1-21

Leader: This is the Good News of our Lord Jesus Christ.

People: Glory to you, O Lord.

Anthem "Come Down, O Love Divine" ~ Arr. Leavitt

"Church in ACTion(s): Waiting on the Spirit!"

Rev. Calvin Culpepper

WE RESPOND to GOD'S WORD

Please turn to page 12 in the front of The United Methodist Hymnal.

Offering Our Gifts and Our Selves

Offertory Prelude in Bb major ~ Heinrich Gottweiller

§ Doxology UMH #94 "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Please remain standing as you are able after the Doxology.

The SERVICE of WORD and TABLE

We will use Musical Setting A on p. 17 for the sung responses.

The communion bread served is gluten-free

so that all may partake of the Holy Sacrament.

Communion Music

"Aria"

~ J.S. Bach

WE ARE SCATTERED to SERVE

§ Hymn of Sending Forth UMH #545

"The Church's One Foundation"

§ Benediction

Church, as you go forth from this place, remember who you are. Remember your call. Remember that Christ has placed his hope in you. Go with boldness. Go with grace. Go with confidence. Go now, knowing that Christ goes with you. May the world be changed because the church is offering life and love to the world. **Amen!**

Postlude

"Come Holy Ghost"

~ Alec Wyton

**Join us on the Lower Level in the Dining Room
as we celebrate the 90th birthdays of Bill & Betty Seiter.**



Altar Flowers are given...

...in memory of the birthday of my husband, Edward T. Doran,
by Nancy Doran.



Memory Verse for This Week

"Even upon my servants, men and women,

I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they will prophesy."

Acts 2:18(CEB)

Next Sunday, June 11th, we will be taking a special offering to help us meet our Apportionment. There will be an insert next week to help you understand the importance of this offering. You may make your check out to CSUMC with "Apportionment" on the memo line.



We welcome you, member or visitor, as we join in worshipping God this morning. We pray you will be blessed and invite you to return!

What Joyful Happenings at Court Street UMC do you remember or have you heard about? Please share with us as we celebrate 165 years of ministry with God by writing down any and all good happenings. Then submit by email (lorellewandell@courtstreetumc.org), drop in the offering plate, drop in the box in the Narthex, or mail to the Church Office. We will then share with everyone in some manner.

The Rock River Valley is sponsoring a Peanut Butter Rally to help with summer meals and snacks for children. The current rate of poverty in Rockford is 25%. We are requesting that you PURCHASE AN EXTRA JAR OR 2 OF PEANUT BUTTER on your next trip to the grocery store and DEPOSIT YOUR PURCHASE IN THE BOX IN THE NARTHEX. The city wide goal is 20,000 jars by June 9th. For further questions contact Barb Ferry at 815-965-6518. Thanks for your support. *The Local Missions Committee*

Mark your calendar for the upcoming events:

United Methodist Women's Picnic, Potluck Picnic in church Dining Room, Wednesday, June 7, Noon; RSVP to Geri Ryan, 815-877-2141,

Loaded Brush Luminaries, featuring Pastor Cal, on Thursday, June 15, 6-9 pm, @ Burpee Museum, \$30 per person.

Renewal @ Rock Cut State Park, Sunday, June 25, 10:00 a.m., with Potluck Picnic to follow.

With Father's Day, graduations, and summer activities, don't forget Scrip cards! They can be used for gifts, to purchase party foods (GFS, Woodman's, Valli, or Pinnon), or to help with needed lawn and garden supplies (Lowe's, Menards, or Home Depot). Also, gas cards for Mobil and Shell are available for making road trips. Did you know with the Schnucks card you can build up a reserve to get cash off the price per gallon at Mobil gas stations in town? Thank you for your continued support of the program!

Thank you to our awesome volunteers who took time to extend a warm smile and friendly greeting to our church members upon entering our sanctuary during the cold winter months of 2017! You made my job so easy. If you have not yet volunteered or are seeking another opportunity to do so, please check your calendar for the following dates and let me know if you can serve in this capacity: July 23, 30, August 6, 20, 27, September 3, 10, 17, 24. It takes so little time, yet adds so much to our church service. Dorothy Powell, 815-963-0728 or hiogolfer@comcast.net

Are you sometimes perplexed with Jesus' teaching? Do you really want what he wants? Bestselling author Kyle Idleman reveals that the key to the abundant life Jesus promised lies in embracing His inside-out way of life. Study "The End of Me" with us beginning Thursday, June 29, 10:00 a.m., in the Parlor. Only 4 weeks long and you don't have to attend all 4. Four books available in Office for only \$8.50 each.

Your contributions in the white baskets on the 1st Sunday of every month at Communion will be greatly appreciated to further our local outreach. The Local Mission Committee will report what they do with your monthly contributions in The Chimes.

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WELCOME!

June 4, 2017

We're glad you're worshiping with us this morning! Please fill out this card if you are a visitor to our church or if you have changed your address or phone number. Place completed card in the offering plate as it is passed.

- I'm a visitor.
 Please note my address change.

Name (s): Mr./Mrs./Miss/Ms.

How did you hear about Court Street? _____

Children:

Name _____ age _____ grade _____
 Name _____ age _____ grade _____
 Name _____ age _____ grade _____

Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (h) _____ (w) _____

E-mail _____

TODAY'S WORSHIP

- Greeter:** Bob Buckardt **Liturgist:** Lorelle Wandell
Ushers: The DuWayne Stanis Team **Sound Tech:** Stan Tunnell
Video Tech: Steve Ripley **Van Driver:** Tim Gorman
Facetime Hostesses: Geri, Judy **Acolyte:** Martin Leonard

Court St. United Methodist Church at Work This Week

- Sun 06/04 Pentecost**
 9:00 am **Lamplighters (Adult Sunday School) in 209**
 10:00 **Worship Service in the Sanctuary**
 11:15 **90th Birthday Celebrations for Bill & Betty Seiter in the Dining Room**
 1:00 pm **N IL Annual Conference begins**
- Mon 06/05 METHODIST MONDAY begins**
N IL Annual Conference
 8:30 am MAYA's House in Rooms 102 & 103
- Tue 06/06 N IL Annual Conference**
 8:30 am MAYA's House in Rooms 102 & 103
 9:00 **Quilters in Room 206**
 9:00 **History & Archives in Room 201**
 9:00 "Ugly Bag Ladies" in Room 205
 10:30 **Staff Meeting in Staff Conference Room**
 1:00 pm Jeremiah Development Exec Board in Library
 6:00 **JuBellation Rehearsal in the Choir Room**
 7:00 **Chancel Choir Rehearsal in the Choir Room**
 7:00 Grace Awakening in Room 202 & 209
- Wed 06/07**
 8:30 am MAYA's House in Rooms 102 & 103
 9:30 Early Head Start in Room 100
 10:30 **UMW Mission Team in the Kitchen**
 12:00 pm **UMW Potluck Picnic in the Dining Room**
 6:00 **Men's Fellowship in someone's home**
- Thu 06/08**
 8:30 am MAYA's House in Rooms 102 & 103
 9:30 Early Head Start in Room 100
 2:30 pm Early Head Start in Room 100
 6:00 **Chatterbox Supper @ Backyard Grill, 6473 N. 2nd, Loves Park**
- Fri 06/09**
 8:30 am MAYA's House in Rooms 102 & 103
 10:00 Early Head Start in Room 100
 10:00 Image Class in the Library
 10:00 Money 101 in the Parlor
 1:30 pm Early Head Start in Room 100
- Sat 06/10 9:00 am UMM Breakfast @ Stockholm Inn, 2420 Charles St.**
- Sun 06/11 Trinity Sunday**
 10:00 am **Worship Service in the Sanctuary**
 11:15 **Facetime by the Big Bell**
 11:15 **Reception/Fellowship for Newest Members**

ORDER OF WORSHIP
 10:00 WORSHIP SERVICE

Forging
 a *Family* of **Faith**

EVEN ON MY
 SERVANTS,
 BOTH MEN AND
 WOMEN,
 I WILL POUR
 OUT MY
SPRIT
 IN THOSE DAYS.



ACTS 2:18

May 7 - June 4
The Church in Action(s)



Welcome to Court Street United Methodist Church

We are a people called United Methodists.
 Open Hearts Open Minds Open Doors

The mission of Court Street United Methodist Church is to be a welcoming, nurturing, and serving community of Christ.

Pentecost
 June 4, 2017