



This broadcast is in honor of our faith family! It continues to grow as we bring new people in to our worship services. May we continue to stand united and show our love and appreciation to those in our faith family. May we continue to keep Christ as the cornerstone of the life we live and continue to trust in the Savior we love.

If you would like to sponsor a broadcast. **The cost is \$95** and you may sign up on the bulletin board or the office. Listen to our radio broadcast at **10:30am** Sunday, **Mon. at 3pm** and **Fri. at 5pm** on VAST **Channel 3**, or on our Facebook page!



Silver Bucket for May is the Love Offering



The funds for this year's Love Offering are focused on mental health and will go to these mental health projects: Mental Health Partnership grant for Minnesota Conference Churches, Volunteers in Mission scholarships, Minnesota Association for Children's Mental Health, Mental Health Minnesota and Mental Health Connect. Mental health awareness and help for those who suffer with it is such a important need. Please give generously to support this very important cause!



It is that time again to get an updated church directory. We need your help! If any of you have a change of address, phone number, email or anything else, please contact Jakki or Pastor Dorie! **The deadline for this info is June 15th. Please be sure to get all changes and sign up sheets in by that date so we can be sure to get your handbooks to you on time!!**



The straw poll results are in...we have 176 current church members and 78 votes were received. 50 voted to "remain in the UMC denomination" with our church family as we have been. 28 voted to "pursue further action to explore the disaffiliation process."

These results tell us that we move forward united. We thank you for learning, discussing and sharing.



Our Annual Ice Cream Social is coming up fast...it is scheduled for June 2nd in our courtyard. There are sign up sheets on the bulletin board in the Sanctuary. We could use your help with treats, setting up and clean up! Sign up today! **We will begin at 5pm and serve until 8pm**...sign up to help out today!!

Weekly Calendar

May 21, 2023 – Sunday

9:30am - Adult/FUEL SS/9:45am – Coffee time
10:30am – Livestreamed Worship Service
4:30pm – Genesis thru Revelation Bible Study

May 22, 2023 - Monday

6:30pm - Genesis to Revelation Bible Study
MESSENGER DEADLINE

May 23, 2023 – Tuesday

6pm - Teacher's Meeting

May 24, 2023 – Wednesday

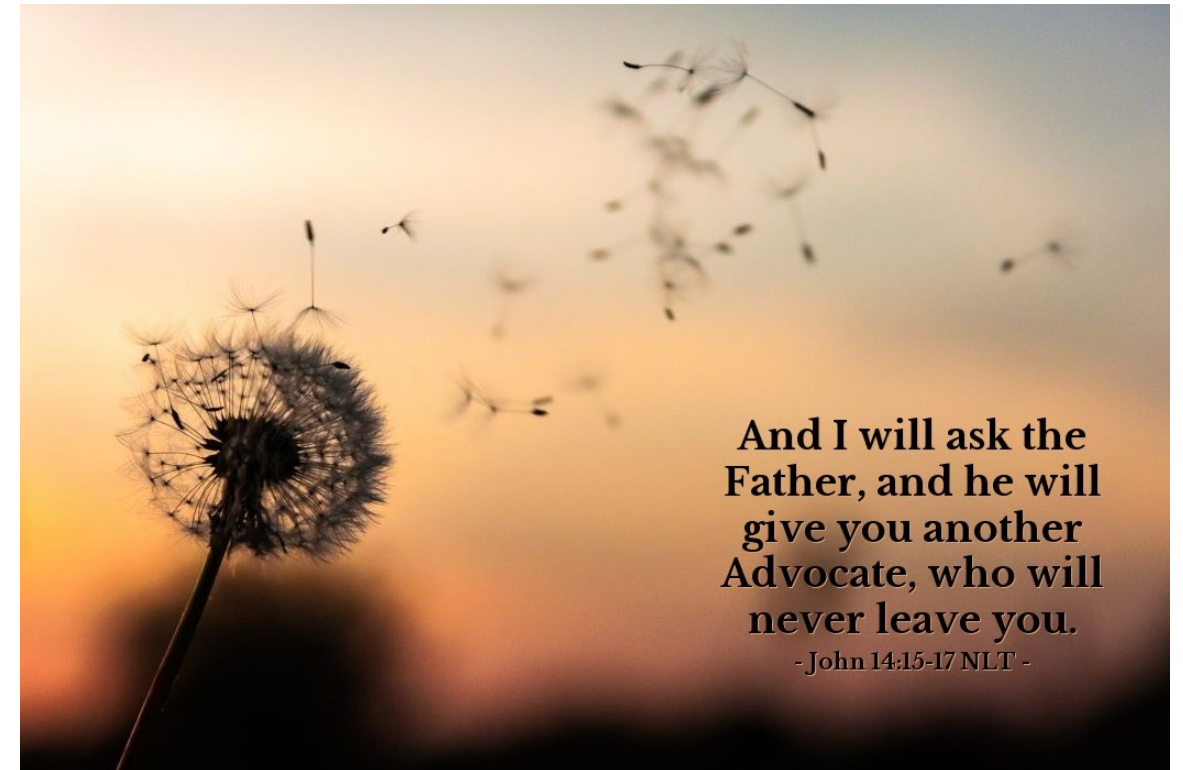
9am-7pm - Open Prayer Chapel
5:30pm - Community Meal
8pm – AA Meeting

May 27, 2023 - Saturday

8pm – AA Meeting



Luverne United Methodist Church Sunday Worship Service *7th Sunday of Easter* May 21, 2023



And I will ask the
Father, and he will
give you another
Advocate, who will
never leave you.

- John 14:15-17 NLT -

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Your Worship Assistants today are:

Accompanist: Anissa Vis
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Host: Christine VonHoltum
Power Point: Jeanne Bowron
Sunshine Gift Cards: Mary Gehrke

Sound: Matthew Fick
Worship Assistant: Felicia Hanson
Coffee: Jeanne Bowron
Trustee: Jack Hanson - May 22-28, 2023

God's People Gather...

This time is to welcome each other, share announcements, joys and concerns and all other necessary information.

COMING TOGETHER/ANNOUNCEMENTS

UNITED WE SING *"This is Amazing Grace"*

PRAISE TEAM SONG

OPENING PRAYER

UNITED WE SING *"Surely the Presence of the Lord"*

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DOXOLOGY

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Please note: We will pass the offering during our second song and bring it forward during the doxology. You may also use the online GIVE link on our website at umcluverne.com or use our mobile app at any time.

CALL TO WORSHIP, *responsively*,

L: May the Lord be with you,

C: And also with you.

L: O Divine Voice, you sing and the universe comes into being;

C: O Divine Breath, you breathe and all things spring to life;

L: O Divine Word, you call and creation is sustained;

C: O Divine Flesh, you are born among us, and the Creator is clothed in creation;

L: O Divine Spirit, you fill all that has been formed;

C: O Divine Life,

L: You are the pulse of all that is. And so, in amazement and awe, in wonder and celebration,

C: We marvel at this mystery:

L: In you all things live and move and have being.

C: In all things, you live and move and express your Divine artistry; and so we join with creation in the eternal song of worship and wonder. Amen.

God's People Worship

This time is to hear God's voice

SCRIPTURE

John 14:15-21
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OUR MESSAGE

How do I Know What I Know?

UNITED WE SING

"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

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God's People Pray...

This time allows us to lift our thoughts to God

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

God's People Go to Live Out...

This is the time we are called to go and Share Jesus with the world.

UNITED WE SING

"All the People Say Amen"

PRAISE TEAM SONG

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE



We will now be making Sunshine Gift Cards available on Sundays!

Make sure to talk to Mary Gehrke as she will be handling that this week and she will hook you up!

Prayer Chain for May 21, 2023

Jeff and Sheila Aukes
Josh and Emily Crabtree Family
Norbert and Loreen Fick
Todd Leech
Randy and Marcia Mulder
Jerry and Ann Rigney
And for the Rock County Food shelf