



United Methodist Church of Antioch

Third Sunday of Easter

May 1, 2022

PRELUDE *Interlude on Dunlap's Creek*

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Today Communion Sunday
Worship, 8am & 10:30am
Choir/Church Chat/
Sunday School/Youth Group, 9:15am
Native American Ministries Sunday
- Tues, May 3 UMCAP, 9-2pm
Missions Cmte, 1pm/Wesley Hall
Early Adopters, 6:30pm/Wesley Hall
- Wed, May 4 UWF, 11:45am/Wesley Hall
Church Council, 6pm/Wesley Hall
- Thurs, May 5 National Day of Prayer
UMCAP, 9-2pm
- Sun, May 8 Worship, 8am & 10:30am
Choir/Church Chat/
Sunday School, 9:15am
Mother's Day

*~Please note, the worship service is recorded and streamed to the internet.
Also, we follow Lake County Covid Guidelines, which encourages mask
wearing for greater protection per personal discretion.*

MISSION STATEMENT (Unison)

The mission of the United Methodist Church of Antioch is to grow in faith; to worship God following the teachings of Jesus Christ, and to be instruments of God's love through the Holy Spirit as we reach out to our community and the world.

** Invites you to stand as you are able, or to sit with gusto!*

***WE ARE WELCOMED TO WORSHIP (Responsively)**

L: Do you remember a time when you've had to repeat yourself to get your point across?

P: Oh, my yes. We may have had to do this at home or work, but sometimes our communication skills have needed an upgrade.

L: When someone doesn't understand and the other person in the conversation just keeps using the same words over and over again, it feels like the conversation is stuck in a circle.

P: We hope that Jesus and Simon Peter are able to get out of the rut and help us understand what it means to love Jesus.

***HYMN Red Hymnal #304**

Easter People, Raise Your Voices

***OPENING PRAYER (Unison)**

O Jesus who appeared to share breakfast on the beach with your friends, we trust that you join us in these morning hours now. As you shared with them, we pray that you will share with us. Multiply your gifts with us so that we might take what you offer, learn and grow from it and then share out of the abundance. And now, O God, hear us as we pray as Jesus taught us ...

***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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
forever. Amen.**

CHILDREN'S TIME

HYMN Black Hymnal #2265

Time Now to Gather

WE ASK FOR UNDERSTANDING (Unison)

Ever-Present God, we pause now before the Scripture lesson is read, asking for your help in understanding what will come. We are in the season of Easter, we will hear stories of Jesus appearing to his disciples, of his disciples performing miracles in his name, and we will wonder what that means for us. Now what? What do we do now? Help us. Show us what you would have us learn. In the name of Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

WE HEAR THE GOOD NEWS

-John 21:1-19

After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We will go with you." They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to them, "Children, you have no fish, have you?" They answered him, "No." He said to them, "Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some." So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!" When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the sea. But the

other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off. When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. Jesus said to them, “Bring some of the fish that you have just caught.” So, Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, “Come and have breakfast.” Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, “Who are you?” because they knew it was the Lord. Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, “Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?” He said to him, “Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.” Jesus said to him, “Feed my lambs.” A second time he said to him, “Simon son of John, do you love me?” He said to him, “Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.” Jesus said to him, “Tend my sheep.” He said to him the third time, “Simon son of John, do you love me?” Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, “Do you love me?” And he said to him, “Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.” Jesus said to him, “Feed my sheep. Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go.” (He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, “Follow me.”

L: The word of God for the people of God.

P: Thanks be to God.

REFLECTION

What Did He Say?

Rev. Katie Voigt

CHOIR ANTHEM (10:30am)

UMCA Choir

Lead Me Lord

MORNING PRAYERS

Joys/Concerns

Confession & Pardon

(Unison): Most merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(Pastor): Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

(Unison): In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! Glory to God. Amen.

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

COMMUNION HYMN #2268

#2267

As We Gather

Taste and See

PRAYER AFTER RECEIVING

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Following Christ wherever we go, grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OFFERTORY *He is Exalted*

***DOXOLOGY #95**

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

***WE DEDICATE OUR GIFTS TO GOD (Unison)**

Today we saw the amazing catch of fish you brought in, Jesus. We celebrate and give thanks for your bounty. This morning we share out of what you have given to us. We have given in these offering plates and electronically, we have given of our time and energy, we have prayed with our church family and outside of our church family, and we have spent time reading our Bibles trying to discern what you would have us do. Multiply everything we offer to you so that you receive the praise and glory. Do even more than we could imagine with what we bring. Amen.

***CLOSING HYMN #400**

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

***WE GO FORTH WITH BLESSING (Responsively)**

L: Even if we make Jesus repeat himself when he comes to us, we know that he will never give up trying to communicate his message to us.

P: Our desire is to love Jesus with all of who are. We will try to communicate that love clearly to the world, and therefore, to God.

L: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

P: And also, with you. Amen.

***POSTLUDE**

You are My All in All

Red indicates “The United Methodist Hymnal”

Black indicates “The Faith We Sing”

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WORSHIP LEADERSHIP

Today

May 8

Greeters

8:00am	Denny Sathoff	Dawn Vogel
10:30am	Nancy Rae	Sally Rodgers

Ushers

8:00am	Walt Cichonski	Jim Menzer
10:30am	Jerry Topcik	Tom Kessell

Soundboard

8:00am	Bob Raukohl	Walt Cichonski
10:30am	Kenz Rae	Chris Shannon

Liturgists

8:00am	Mike DeBenedetto	Mike DeBenedetto
10:30am	Nancy Zitkus	Nancy Zitkus

Coffee Servers

8:00am	Carol & Walt Cichonski	Leta & Denny Sathoff
10:30am	Cheryl Collins	Nancy & Joanne Rae

Church Openers

	Heather Menzer	Cichonskis
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Communion Stewards (May 1 only)

8:00am	Heather Menzer
10:30am	Robin Kessell

Worship Attendance/Giving for Sunday April 24, 2022:

8:00am -29 10:30am -57

General Fund: \$3,636 Building: \$30



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Deadline for the Newsletter is the 15th of each month-**for the FOLLOWING month**

Send info to editorumca@att.net in Word Doc form or body of email.

Next deadline is May 15th for the June newsletter.

Open Hearts. Open Minds. Open Doors.