



United Methodist Church of Antioch

Trinity Sunday

June 4, 2023

PRELUDE *Here I Am to Worship*

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Today	Communion Sunday, Worship, 9:15am Rev. Matt Mariani Preaching AA, 8-9pm/White Rm Peace with Justice Sunday
Mon, June 5	AA, 10-11am; 8-9pm/White Room Quilters, 9am-12pm/Green Room
Tues, June 6	PEO, 11-3pm/White Room AA, 6-7pm/White Room
Wed, June 7	AA, 10-11am; 8-9pm/White Rm UWF, 11:45am/Wesley Hall
Thurs, June 8	AA, 6-7pm/White Rm PC Gatherings 7pm/Zoom
Fri, June 9	AA, 10-11am; 6:30-7:30pm;8:30-9:30pm
Sat, June 10	AA, 6-7pm/White Rm CWM Blood Drive, 9:30am-1:30pm/ Wesley Hall
Sun, June 11	Worship, 9:15am Daniel Holmes Leading Worship AA, 8-9pm/White Rm

~Please note, the worship service is recorded and streamed to the internet.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

-Please note, Pastor Katie will be on vacation until June 12. If you need pastoral assistance while she is away, please contact Beth Stahl or Jim Menzer for the on-call pastor's information. Also, please know Pastor Katie turns her cell phone off while on vacation, so she will not receive your call, voicemail, text, or email until she returns. Thank you.

-The preschool is accepting applications for a teacher in the two-year-old program that would float between the 3 classrooms and for substitutes. Applications are on the wooden cabinet near the top of the preschool stairway, or you can go to the church's website and click the link to the preschool for one.

-CWM is hosting a blood drive on Saturday, June 10th from 9:30am-1:30pm in Wesley Hall. Please spread the word among your family and friends so we can help save lives. The blood bank shortage is real. There are flyers posted at various places throughout UMCA with the link for sign up. Your help is appreciated!

-There is a box in Wesley Hall for Midwest Missions Center donations. We are specifically collecting cleaning products and personal dignity items. Please see the list attached to the box for more details. Carol Dunn and Robin Kessell will be attending Annual Conference and will deliver these items to the Midwest Missions truck between June 6-8, 2023. Please donate as you can and thanks in advance for the help!

-Music Opportunity: We have an opportunity to purchase a 5-octave set of handbells for the church at a much-reduced price. We have an initial gift of \$2000 toward this project, but will need to raise an additional \$12,500 within the next month to make it happen. If you are willing and able to help, please mark your donation envelope “Church Bells.” If we don’t raise the funds, we will not purchase the bells. Thank you.

-Fellowship of Asian Americans Dinner takes place on June 7, 5 to 7 p.m., at Our Saviour’s UMC, Schaumburg. Program includes honoring retiring Asian American clergy, welcoming new Asian American clergy, and welcoming Rev. Hwa-Young Chong as Prairie North District Superintendent. Fee: \$15. Contact **Rev. Ayla Samson** at pastorayla05@gmail.com to reserve your place.

-Pastor Kurt and Betsy will be leading a trip to the Holy Land in Jan. 2024. This will be my (Pastor Kurt’s) third trip to Israel and along with the Holy Land portion of the trip. There is a flyer in Wesley Hall with additional information. If you have questions, please feel free to email Kurt at kagoffice@earthlink.net or call 630-341-1414.

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: We come today to worship the Triune God, even as we, like the Eleven on the mountainside, have our doubts.

P: Holy Trinity, meet us in our questions and help us embrace your mystery.

L: We come to encounter the God who is both immense and particular, greater than words can describe, and yet intimately present with us.

P: Holy Trinity, surround us with your love that brings order to chaos and community to individualism.

L: We come to give thanks to the God who created and sustains us, and who calls us to steward the earth and all that live in it.

P: Holy Trinity, empower us to enter into partnership with you for the flourishing of all creation with gratitude and joy.

L: We come to receive Christ's commission to make disciples, to baptize, and to teach the gospel wherever we go.

P: God, immerse us in the life of the Holy Trinity that we might go and welcome others into the dance of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.

(Written by Dr. Lisa Hancock, Discipleship Ministries, November 2022.)

***HYMN Black Hymnal #2009** *O God Beyond All Praising*

***OPENING PRAYER (Unison)**

God our Father, we receive the light of your new day. Jesus, Savior; we receive the gift of your life, death, and resurrection this day. Spirit, Renewer; set our hearts on fire with zeal for holy living. Triune God of mystery and grace, set us to the task you have given today. Amen.

CHILDREN'S TIME

HYMN Red Hymnal #75

All People That on Earth Do Dwell

WE ASK FOR UNDERSTANDING (Unison)

Triune God, open our ears to hear what you would speak to us. Allow our hearts to be on fire for your Word. Amen.

WE HEAR THE GOOD NEWS -Matthew 28:16-20

Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

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

P: Thanks be to God.

REFLECTION I am with You Rev. Matthew Mariani

CHOIR ANTHEM

At This Table

UMCA Choir

MORNING PRAYERS

Joys/Concerns/Teacher Appreciation
Confession & Pardon

Pastor: In the act of confession, we acknowledge how we have missed the mark, and we call upon God to save us from the destruction of sin and turn us back toward life. Let us now confess our sin before God and one another.

Gracious God, we confess our sin, which separates us from you. We know how people who belong to you should live, but we fail to live that way. At times we have forgotten that we bear your image and have done evil. At times we have forgotten to live in response to your sacrifice for us and have acted selfishly. At times we have ignored the voice of your spirit speaking to our conscience, and we have followed the desires of our own heart. As a result, we have lived for self rather than for you or our neighbor, our lives have been diminished, our witness has been stifled, and your image within us has been tarnished. Forgive us, good Lord, through Jesus Christ. By your Spirit, guide us to live as people who know and love you. Amen.

Offer silent prayers of confession.

Pastor: The Lord, who saves you, says: I am the God who forgives your sins; I do this because of who I am. I will not hold your sins against you. Let us praise the triune God: **Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be, world without end, Amen.**

(Adapted from Psalm 31 NRSVUE by Dr. Lisa Hancock, Discipleship Ministries, October 2022).

Silent Prayer
Pastoral Prayer

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Musical Setting pg. 2257 in The Faith We Sing

COMMUNION HYMNS

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| #2258 | <i>Sing Alleluia to the Lord</i> |
| #2256 | <i>Holy, Holy, Holy Lord</i> |
| #2268 | <i>As We Gather at Your Table</i> |

PRAYER AFTER RECEIVING

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. 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 *In Christ Alone*

***DOXOLOGY #95**

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

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

Triune God, accept these offerings we bring. We acknowledge that all we have is yours. Our time, our talents, our treasure; we offer to you in humble participation of building your kingdom on earth as it is in heaven. Put these gifts to work we pray in Christ's holy name. Amen

***CLOSING HYMN #584**

Lord, You Give the Great Commission

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

L: Go forth!

P: We go forth knowing that Christ is with us!

L: Go therefore and make disciples! May 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** *His Eye Is on the Sparrow*

Red indicates "The United Methodist Hymnal"

Black indicates "The Faith We Sing"

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Worship Leadership: Sundays 9:15am

Today

June 11

Greeters

Susan Antonelli

Carol Dunn

Vicki Walker

Becky Johnson

Ushers

Wayne Buck

Dan Fluck

Soundboard

Walt Cichonski

Denny Sathoff

Liturgists

Margaret Zaller

Sue DeRoche

Mike DeBenedetto

Coffee Servers

Linda Hensgen

Pat & Irv

Vi Kluth

Metz

Chris Hofius-

Krampe

Church Openers

Cichonskis

Sathoffs

Communion

Cichonskis

Robin Kessell

Worship Attendance/Giving for Sunday May 28, 2023:

9:15am -80

General Fund: \$2,301

Building: \$10

Hand Bells: \$2,700

Notes:

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Please Note:

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

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

Next deadline is June 15th for the July newsletter.

Open Hearts. Open Minds. Open Doors.