

GATHERING

Prelude A New Song of Joy Denton

Welcome

GREETING

*Introit Christ the Lord is Risen Today UMH302, stz 5

*Call to Worship : Responsive reading, congregation in bold

As the sun rises in the morning.

Let all creation worship God.

From the highest mountains to the deepest sea

Let all creation worship God.

God alone makes all things new

Let all creation worship God.

*Opening Hymn All Creatures UMH 62 stz 1,4-5

*Collect

*Response Alleluia, Alleluia UMH 162, chorus
*Alleluia, Alleluia, give thanks to the risen Lord,
Alleluia, alleluia, give praise to His name.*

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

First Reading Acts 11:1-18

Psalm 148 UMH861

Second Reading Revelation 21:1-6

Hymn Christ Is Risen UMH 307

Gospel Reading John 13:31-35

The word of the Lord!

Thanks Be to God!

Sermon Pastor

The word of the Lord!

Thanks Be to God!

Hymn of Reflection Jesus Loves Me UMH 191

Affirmation of Faith *The Apostles' Creed* UMH 881

I believe **In God the Father Almighty. Maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day He rose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

Response All Creatures UMH 62 stz 7

7. Let all things their Creator bless, and worship him in humbleness,
O praise ye! Alleluia! Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
and praise the Spirit, Three in One! O praise ye! O praise ye!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Pastoral Prayer: This week the church prays for the church in Bangladesh, Bhutan, Nepal

Silent confession

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

Offertory

Fill Me Now

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***Doxology**

OLD 100TH

UMH 95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

THANKSGIVING

***Unison Prayer of Thanksgiving:**

Holy God, you have given us so much, through your love and abundance, our cup overflows. From the bounty of your blessings, we offer these gifts back to you. Use these offerings for your glory, as we work to bring your kingdom here on earth. Amen

***Closing Hymn**

When We All Get to Heaven

UMH701

SENDING FORTH

***Blessing**

***Hymn of Dismissal**

Blest Be the Tie

UMH 557, stz1

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This week in our church.....

Today- Church Council meeting, 9:50 am, after service

Wednesday – Lectionary Bible Study 3:00, church
5:00 Study in Matthew, Facebook

Thursday – Prayer group 9:00; No Choir

Saturday-Pastor is not in this week. Call if you need to talk to the pastor, 507-696-5035.

**Denotes stand as able*

The Fifth Sunday of Easter

May 15, 2022

Ottertail UMC

8:45 A.M.



