



## **HELPFUL TO KNOW**

### NURSERY

Our nursery is open 15 minutes before the service begins for children who are newborn through 4 years old.

## CHILDREN'S CHURCH

After the Passing the Peace portion of our service, children ages 5 through 5th grade are invited to meet by the round table in the narthex for Children's Church.

# **PRAYER REQUESTS**

The Pastor is always glad to share prayer requests during the worship service. Share a request in the comments section. Additionally, the Prayer Chain may be activated by calling Dorothy Burriss 817-715-0968 (macb.dlb@sbcglobal.net) or Dean Hecht at 715-919-1325.

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# **Online Worship**

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 9th, 2025 10:00 AM

If you are joining us online, please light a candle to remind yourself of the presence of God.

\* Please rise in body or spirit.

If the text is bolded, everyone is invited to say the words in unison.

PRELUDE Alex Sandor

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

\*CALL TO WORSHIP & INTROIT: I Sing the Mighty Power of God

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## \*PRAYER OF ADORATION & CONFESSION

One: God of the birds of the air and the flowers of the field.

All: You care for each one of us an immeasurable amount.

One: Forgive us for not casting our nets when you call us to.

All: Forgive us for not having faith in the midst of our difficulties and setbacks.

One: Help us to have such faith that we can move mountains.

All: Fill our nets beyond our belief as we live in faith. In the name of Jesus we pray, amen.

### \*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

One: Though we make mistakes, though we sin, God who is merciful and just forgives us all. God calls us beloved just as we are.

All: Because of Christ and his birth, life, death, and resurrection we are all forgiven. Amen.

# \*PASSING THE PEACE

You are invited to bless those around you with the words, "The peace of Christ be with you." In response you may say "And also with you!" (you may pass the peace in the comments section)

Children are invited to gather by the round table in the narthex for Children's Church.

**RESPONSE** I've Got Peace like a River

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**CHANCEL CHOIR** 

SCRIPTURE READINGS Tom Vosburgh

Old Testament Isaiah 6: 1-8

SERMON One More Cast: Fishing & Unexpected Blessing Rev. Brett M. Foote

New Testament Luke 5: 1-11

## COMMISSIONING OF SERVICE TEAM

One: We are called by God to be the church of Jesus Christ, a sign in the world today of what God intends for all humankind.

All: The great ends of the church are the proclamation of the gospel for the salvation of humankind; the shelter, nurture, and spiritual fellowship of the children of God; the maintenance of divine worship; the preservation of the truth; the promotion of social righteousness; and the exhibition of the Kingdom of Heaven to the world.

One: The call of Christ is to willing, dedicated discipleship. Our discipleship is a manifestation of the new life we enter through baptism. Discipleship is both a gift and a commitment, an offering and a responsibility.

## MOMENT FOR MISSION & STEWARDSHIP

**OFFERING** 

OFFERTORY Alex Sandor

\*RESPONSE We Give Thee but Thine Own (vs 1)

## \*PRAYER OVER OFFERING

One: Let us bless these gifts.

All: God who bursts the nets, take our gifts of time, talents, and treasures and grow them for your kingdom. Help us to live openhanded lives sharing the gift of our lives with others. Move in us so that we may center the voices of those on the margins. Send your grace filled Spirit so we can connect with, serve, and care for our congregation, Superior community, and this world. We want others to experience an overflow of blessings too! Amen.

TIME FOR PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SILENT PRAYER

### LORD'S PRAYER

All: 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

\*CLOSING HYMN We Are One in the Spirit

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\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

# **DID YOU KNOW YOU CAN DONATE ONLINE?**

At United Presbyterian Church, we offer many opportunities to give of yourself to glorify God.

From signing up to volunteer to donating financially, if you'd like to support the mission and vision of the church you can do so at the following link:

https://www.upc-superior.com/donate

# SCRIPTURE READINGS

**OLD TESTAMENT** Isaiah 6: 1-8

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty, and the hem of his robe filled the temple. Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings: with two they covered their faces, and with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew. And one called to another and said,

"Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;

the whole earth is full of his glory."

The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. And I said, "Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips, yet my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!"

Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. The seraph touched my mouth with it and said, "Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out." Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" And I said, "Here am I; send me!"

#### **NEW TESTAMENT** Luke 5: 1-11

Once while Jesus was standing beside the Lake of Gennesaret and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gotten out of them and were washing their nets. He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch." Simon answered, "Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets." When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to burst. So they signaled their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus's knees, saying, "Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!" For he and all who were with him were astounded at the catch of fish that they had taken, and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people." When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

# **COMMUNITY DINNER**

The next community dinner will be held next Sunday, February 16, starting at 4pm. Volunteers will be needed for set-up, serving, clean-up, and take down. Be on the lookout for sign-up sheets!

# WIFI

If you are looking to connect to the WiFi at the church, you can scan the OR code in the narthex for access.

# WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUNDAY 2/9

8:30 AM SF Committee 8:45 AM Chancel Choir 6:00 PM Volleyball

**MONDAY 2/10** 3:30 PM Piano Lessons

5:00 PM Finance Committee 5:30 PM Elder Onboarding

TUESDAY 2/11

10:00 AM Pickleball 1:00 PM AA Meeting 6:00 PM Bell Choir

WEDNESDAY 2/12

10:00 AM Crafters Group 4:30 PM Piano Lessons 6:15 PM Personnel Committee

THURSDAY 2/13

9:30 AM The Chosen-Viewing & Discussion Confirmation Retreat 10:00 AM Pickleball

3:30 PM Piano Lessons

4:00 PM Kickstarters Soccer 4:30 PM Building & Grounds FRIDAY 2/14

# SATURDAY 2/15

**Confirmation Retreat** 

# **Birthdays This Week**

2/10— Bryce Brittan

2/10— Jason Matthias

2/10— Robert Okash

2/11— Rosa Palmer 2/15— Ed Anderson

2/15— Diedrick Nikoi

2/15— Eric Schlacks

# Ways to Serve

There are plenty of ways to get involved here at United! \*Sign-up sheets are in the narthex.

- Coffee Hour\*—Make coffee and bring treats for everyone.
- Liturgist\*—Being a liturgist is a great opportunity to get involved by leading the church in our scripture readings, and our call to worship.
- Crafters Group—Every Wednesday at 10:00 AM.
- Community Dinner\* Volunteer for our Community Dinner the third Sunday in October, February, June and August.
- Twin Ports Welcome Corp Join the TPWC and help sponsor a refugee.
- Community Garden\*— Help plan and carry out the UPC Community Garden project, which provides vegetables for UPC Community Dinners and Great Lakes Elementary students.
- Nursery— Come spend time with our babies and toddlers in the nursery during the Sunday service! You will serve with a Nursery Coordinator once or twice a month (your choice). A background check is required.
- Children's Church— Come support our young ones as they grow in their faith during Children's Church! This takes place during the Sunday service. You can volunteer once or twice a month (your choice). A background check is required.

# Ways To Learn, Grow, & Get Involved

- Pickleball—Every Tuesday & Thursday at 10:00 AM.
- Volleyball— Every Sunday at 6:00 PM.
- Spiritual Formation Small Groups\*— We will be journeying through
   A Good Enough Lent and meet for six weeks during Lent. More details and sign-up forms are on the table in the narthex.

# We Give Thee but Thine Own 708



# I Sing the Mighty Power of God



- sing the good-ness of the Lord who filled the earth with food.
- 3 There's not a plant or flower be-low but makes thy glo-ries known.





spread the flow-ing seas a - broad and built the loft - y God formed the crea-tures through the Word, and then pro-nounced them And clouds a - rise, and tem-pests blow, by or - der from thy





sing the wis-dom that or - dained the sun to rule the day. good. Lord, how thy won-ders are dis-played, wher-e'er I turn my eye, throne, while all that bor-rows life from thee is





The moon shines full at God's com-mand, and all the stars o - bey. I sur - vey the ground I tread, or gaze up - on the sky! and ev - ery-where that we can be, thou, God, art pres-ent there.



# We Are One in the Spirit

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They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love



- in the Spir-it; we are one in the Lord; 1 We are one
- 2 We will walk with each oth er; we will walk hand in hand;
- 3 We will work with each oth er; we will work side by side;
- praise to the Fa-ther, from whom all things come,



in the Spir - it; we are one in the Lord, are one will walk with each oth - er; we will walk hand in hand, will work with each oth - er; we will work side by side, and all praise to Christ Je - sus, God's on - ly Son,



and we pray that all u - ni - ty may one day be re - stored: and to - geth - er we'll spread the news that God is in our land: and we'll guard hu-man dig - ni - ty and save hu-man pride: and all praise to the Spir - it, who makes



And they'll know we are Chris-tians by our love,



love; yes, they'll know we are Chris-tians by our love.

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