

Central
and
Algonquin
United Methodist Churches

Mission Statement:
**Connecting all people to God by building bridges of caring,
outreach, and acceptance.**



Sunday, April 17, 2022

EASTER SUNDAY

With Reverend Vickie Hadaway

Central UMC's Worship Gathering
April 17, 2022, at 10:30 am

Welcome to our worship celebration!

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EASTER SUNDAY

PRELUDE *The Strife Is O'er* SIMONE

CHORAL INTROIT *Christ is Arisen* arr. P. LIEBERGEN

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP¹

One: Beloveds, rejoice!

All: Systems of evil cannot overcome Hope;

One: forces of oppression cannot destroy Love.

All: Alleluia! The Holy is alive within us!

One: Praise the God of New Life even amidst grief,

Praise the God of Possibility even when all seems lost.

All: The stone of despair has been rolled away!

One: Christ is risen!

All: Christ is risen Indeed!

*OPENING HYMN *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today* UMH 302 vv.1-4
EASTER HYMN

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

*(Following the Time for Young Christians, children age Kindergarten through 4th grade are invited for
Children's Worship in Rm. 103)*

SCRIPTURE 1 John 4:7-17

CHOIR ANTHEM *Jubilate Deo* E. CROCKER

SCRIPTURE John 20:1-18

SERMON "Seeing Clearly"

INVITATION TO OFFERING

REFLECTION HYMN *Christ Is Risen* UMH 307
W ZLOBIE LEZY

***DOXOLOGY**

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

UMH 95
OLD HUNDREDTH

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

One: Holy God, we bring these offerings because of the love you have poured out on us in the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus.

All: **Your gift calls for a response that cannot be contained in envelopes or baskets.**

One: Nothing less than all we have and all we are is good enough to dedicate to your will and purposes.

All: **With fear and trembling, yet with joy, relief and gratitude, we bring you all we have to give—ourselves. Use us that your rule may be realized among all people. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD’S PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CLOSING HYMN**

He Lives

UMH 310
ACKLEY

BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE

The Lord is Risen from the Dead

arr. P. LIEBERGEN

POSTLUDE

King All Glorious

arr. VAIL

*UMH—The United Methodist Hymnal

*TFWS—The Faith We Sing

Organist: Pat Deatruck

Liturgist: Jerry Bell

Music Director: Cathy Wilkinson

Admin. Assist: Shelley Ronquist

Video Camera: Matty Barrow

Ushers: Tom Brown and Kelley Bunker

Nursery Staff: Mallory Baier

Pastor: Rev. Vickie Hadaway

*Indicates please stand on your feet or in your heart.

Footnotes:

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111 E. Spruce St., Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783.*

**Church Office Open from 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, Friday
Call before coming in.**

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Announcements – April 17, 2022

All are welcome to join an Adult Bible Study class.

Sunday mornings at 9:15 a.m. Led by Ray & Diane Bell. Drop in! All are welcome.

Wednesday mornings at 10:00 a.m. – *“Invitation to the New Testament”*.

The class meets in the library. Led by Norb Bennin.

Bell Choir Rehearsal - Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m.

Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

Central UMC will be taking donations for Ukraine through Easter Sunday. You can send in a donation to the church office (make sure to designate it for Ukraine on memo line). We will send the final total to United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) and 100% of the funds will go directly to those in need in Ukraine. You can also donate directly to UMCOR online by going to <https://umcmmission.org/>

Please continue to keep all the people who are caught up in this war in your prayers.
Pray for peace on earth as it is in heaven. God bless you for all you are doing.

SAVE THE DATES:

April 20 - Bible Study- 10:00 a.m. – “Introduction to the New Testament” -Library
Family Night at 5:30 p.m. -light meal & activities
Bell Rehearsal at 6:00 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal at 7:00 P.M.

April 23 - **Ladies Craft Day** – Our next ladies craft day will be held at Algonquin Church on Saturday, April 23 from 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. All ladies from Central and Algonquin are invited to attend to make a prayer box, have lunch and best of all, enjoy good fellowship. Please RSVP to Bev Atkins by April 20 at 906-635-0150.

April 24 - Worship with Pastor Vickie Hadaway
9:00 a.m. at Algonquin UMC
10:30 a.m. at Central UMC
Youth Gathering Activity-Bowling from 3:00-5:00 p.m. –



June 5- Save the Date!

Come celebrate Pastor Vickie's ministry with us on June 5th!
One worship service for both congregations at 10:30 a.m. at Central UMC
with a reception to follow.



2022 Easter Flower Dedications



- In Memory of Jim Nayback by Tyson, Ethan, & Marla Nayback and Families
- In Memory of Vern & Beatrice Ball by Tyson Nayback, Ethan Nayback and Families
- In Memory of Albert & Lorraine Cheney by Diane & Ray Bell
- In Memory of Kathy Heins & Lola Stowe by Bob & Lisa Vincent
- In Memory of Kimberly Anne Rogers by Larry & Janet Rogers
- In Honor of our Grandchildren: Courtney, Megan, Rowan & Remy
by Colleen & Bernie Arbic
- In Memory of Joel Arbic by Colleen & Bernie Arbic
- In Memory of Aunt Vera Spence by Terri Bush
- In Memory of our Parents & Grandparents, and Ivan Hartman by Ben & Sharon Jones
- In Memory of Margaret "Peggy" Kanisto by Kim Harris
- In Memory of Alvin & Marguerite Ball by Marcia Jenkins-Ball & Carol Ball
- In Memory of Frank & Wayne Morley by Dorothy Morley, wife & mother
- In Memory of Keith & Betty Rutledge by Norla Rutledge, Nicole Suggitt, and Natalie Lloyd
- In Memory of Bob Larson & Todd Larson, husband and son by Barbara Larson
- In Memory of Ivan Hartman by Kristen & Grady Hartman
- In Memory of Grandmas Vesta Fyvie & Ida Arfstrom; and
In Memory of loving mother Bonnie Arfstrom by Jamie & Mary Arfstrom
- In Memory of Kimberly Rogers by Kimberly Rowland

In Memory of Kimberly Rogers by Lily Rowland
In Memory of Kimberly Rogers by Lochland Rowland
In Memory of Kimberly Rogers by Kolette Rowland
In Memory of Margaret Atkinson & Jacolyn Rudd by Audrey Aros & Naomi Tucci
In Memory of Joanne Sweeley by Gary Sweeley
In Honor of Central UMC Family by Pastor Vickie Hadaway
In Honor of our families by Pastor Vickie Hadaway & Dan Robinson
To the Glory of Easter by John & Cathy Wilkinson