



*Central and Algonquin United
Methodist Churches*

With Pastor Marty Johnston

Sunday, May 19, 2024

Mission Statement:

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

Central and Algonquin UMC's Worship Gathering
May 19, 2024 – 10:30 AM
CCLI License# 3999519
Pentecost Sunday

Greeters/Ushers: Jackie Willey

Liturgist: Norb Bennin/Ron Morgan/James Arfstrom

PRELUDE "Galilee" arr. Hughes

BELL CHOIR INTROIT "When Morning Gilds the Skies" arr. D. Wagner

WELCOME/MISSION STATEMENT

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*CALL TO WORSHIP¹

One: O Lord, how manifold are your works!

All: In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.

One: Yonder is the sea, great and wide,

All: creeping things innumerable are there, living things both small and great.

One: There go the ships, and Leviathan whom you formed to play in it.

All: These all look to you, to give them their food in due season.

One: When you give to them, they gather it;

All: when you open your hand, they are filled with good things.

One: When you hide your face, they are dismayed;

All: when you take away their breath, they die and return to their dust.

One: when you send forth your spirit, they are created;

All: and you renew the face of the ground.

One: May the glory of the Lord endure forever, may the Lord rejoice in his
works,

**All: who looks on the earth and it trembles, who touches the mountains and
they smoke**

One: I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;

All: I will sing praise to my God while I have being.

One: May my meditation be pleasing to the Lord in whom I rejoice.

*OPENING HYMN "This Is My Father's World" UMH 144
TERRA BEATA

PASTOR'S OPENING PRAYER *

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS *Youth are invited to attend Young Christians'*

Worship downstairs.

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Acts 2:1-8, 11b-21

BELL CHOIR ANTHEM “This Little Light of Mine” arr. K. Meyer

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15

Leader: The Word of God for the People of God

All: Thanks be to God

SERMON Pentecost

INVITATION TO OFFERING

Let us share God’s bounty to the glory of our maker and for the blessing of the world.

OFFERTORY “Trentham” arr. Wilson

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 DEDICATION²

Merciful God, may this offering bring love and light to those who have not yet been touched by the sacred fire of your Spirit. Amen.

HYMN “Spirit Song” UMH 347
SPIRIT SONG

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader: God of grace,

All: hear our prayer.

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS – May 19, 2024

Hiring - Family Ministries Coordinator Position

Do you know someone who enjoys working with children and loves God? CUMC is **seeking** to hire a **Family Ministries Coordinator**. The position is **part-time** with **flexible hours** and has a **strong support team**. A job description is available in the church office. Anyone **interested** or with questions is encouraged to **contact Pastor Marty** at the church office or **Terri Bush** at **906-440-2850**.

CUMC Annual Rummage Sale

CUMC's Annual Rummage Sale has been moved to **June 14 - 15th**. All proceeds will go to a much-needed new church roof for CUMC. Coming together as a community is vital for the success of this event. Please sign up to volunteer. If you have any questions contact Diana Morgan at 906-632-2356. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Pastor Marty will be out of the office **Mon. – Wed.** of next week.

Central Birthdays/Anniversary

May 25 – Art Smart

May 22 - Charlene and Marv DeWitt – 49th Anni.

This Week

Monday: Rebecca Circle – Lunch Off-Site

Monday – Wednesday: Pastor Marty will be out of the office

Tuesday: Finance Meeting – 6:30 PM in CUMC library

Wednesday: Bible Study at 10:30 in the CUMC library. Viewing and discussing “Making Good Habits & Breaking Bad Habits” by Joyce Meyer.

Save the Date

Mon., 5/27 - Memorial Day – The CUMC office will be closed.

Fri. & Sat., 6/14-15 – CUMC Annual Rummage Sale, Fri. 8 AM – 2 PM,
Sat. 8 AM – 1 PM - CUMC Fellowship Hall

*CLOSING HYMN

“Open My Eyes That I May See”

UMH 454
OPEN MY EYES

BENEDICTION

*God be with you till we meet again, by his council guide, uphold you,
with his sheep securely fold you; God be with you till we meet again...*

BELL CHORAL

“God be With You Till We Meet Again”

BENEDICTION RESPONSE

arr. D. Wagner

POSTLUDE

“Rondeau”

arr. Lyons

Footnotes: *UMH—The United Methodist Hymnal

*1. Taken from the UMH 827 Psalm 104:24-34

**TFWS—The Faith We Sing

**2. Taken from the Abington Worship Annual 2024

Pastor: Pastor Marty Johnston

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Liturgist: Jackie Willey

Family Ministries Coordinator: Vacant

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