



Jesus is Lord of the Sabbath

Mark 2:23-3:6

*Central and Algonquin United
Methodist Churches*

Sunday, June 2, 2024

*With Pastor Dirk Caldwell
USCG Chaplain*

Mission Statement:

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

Central and Algonquin UMC's Worship Gathering
Pastor Dirk Caldwell – USCG Chaplain
June 2, 2024 – 10:30 AM
Second Sunday After Pentecost
CCLI License# 3999519

Greeters/Ushers: Tom Brown/Kelley Bunker/Tom Robinson
Liturgist: Jerry Bell

PRELUDE “Holy Spirit Lead Us” Trick

CHOIR INTROIT 'Holy Ground' G. Davis

WELCOME/MISSION STATEMENT

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*CALL TO WORSHIP¹

One: O Lord, you have searched me and known me!

All: You know when I sit down and when I rise up; you discern my thoughts from afar.

One: You search out my path and my lying down, and are acquainted with all my ways.

All: Even before a word is on my tongue, O Lord, you know it altogether,

One: You pursue me behind and before, and lay your hand upon me.

All: Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; it is high, I cannot attain it.

One: For it was you who formed my inward parts,

All: you knit me together in my mother's womb.

One: I praise you, for you are fearful and wonderful.

All: Wonderful are your works!

One: You know me very well;

All: my frame was not hidden from you, when I was being made in secret, intricately wrought in the depths of the earth.

One: Your eyes beheld my unformed substance;

All: in your book were written the days that were formed for me, every day, before they came into being.

One: How profound to me are your thoughts, O God! How vast is the sum of them!

All: If I would count them, they are more than the sand. When I awake, I am still with you.

*OPENING HYMN “Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise” UMH 103
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PASTOR’S OPENING PRAYER *

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS - Sherry Hutchins presenting

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING II Corinthians 4:5-12 (Liturgist)

CHOIR ANTHEM 'A Jubilant Song' M.L. Lightfoot

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING Mark 2:23-3:6 (Pastor)

Leader: The Word of God for the People of God

All: Thanks be to God

SERMON “Beats Me”

INVITATION TO OFFERING

Let us share the blessings of our maker with those who need God’s light and glory in their lives.

OFFERTORY “Woodland Meditation” Nolte

DOXOLOGY UMH 95

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.
OLD HUNDREDTH

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION²

Gracious God, may today’s offering bring health, hope, and wholeness to all of your beloved people. Amen.

HYMN “Rise, Shine, You People” UMH 187
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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader: Merciful God,

All: receive 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 – June 2, 2024

****PLEASE ANNOUNCE**

NOTE: Communion Service will be held next Sunday, June 9th.

Join us in the Fellowship Hall after today's service for a Salad Luncheon.

**** Flame Team** – Thank you to those who **took time out of their day to assist Kathy Wright at CUMC library** on Tuesday to prepare the **Flame pages** for mailing. **Your help was/is truly appreciated.**

Today, at CUMC, the Steeltown Silver Band, directed by Dr. John Wilkinson, is holding a concert @ 3 pm. Admission is by donation.

Monday, June 3rd, at 6:30 pm, Aimee, the Care Net Pregnancy Center director, will be speaking at our Algonquin Women in Faith meeting. Please join us and learn more about the mission of this organization.

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**.

Central Birthdays

June 2nd – Bob Noble (99th)

June 7th – Marv DeWitt

Algonquin Birthdays/Anniversaries

June 4 – Bev Atkins June 4 – Madison Atkins June 5 – Jim Wilson

June 2 - Becky and Chris Meicher – Anniv.

June 2 - Sarah and Ryan Atkins - 17th Anniv.

June 6 - Bernita and Bob Sibbald - 37th Anniv.

This Week

Today: Concert at CUMC 3 PM – Attendance is through a donation.

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

Wednesday: Choir Rehearsal 7 – 8 PM

Save the Date

Sun., 6/9 – Communion Service

Fri., 6/14 – CUMC Rummage Sale, **8 AM – 2 PM**, CUMC Fellowship Hall

Sat., 6/15 – Rummage Sale **8 AM - 1 PM** – CUMC Fellowship Hall

Sun., 6/16 – Father’s Day

*CLOSING HYMN “Have Thine Own Way, Lord”

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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...*

POSTLUDE

“Postlude in C”

Johnston

CHORAL BENEDICTION RESPONSE ‘The Lord Bless and Keep You’
J. Strathtdee

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