Elm Grove United Methodist Church



May 19, 2024 Day of Pentecost

Welcome

Prelude David Waddell

*Hymn "Trust and Obey" UMH #467

*Call to Worship

Leader: In rushing wind and tongues of fire...

All: the Church is born.

Leader: In courage found and faith renewed...

All: the Church gains strength.

Leader: In visions seen and dreams made real...

All: the Church blesses the world.

Leader: In hopes rekindled and fears released...

All: the Church leads the way.

Leader: In rushing wind and tongues of fire...

All: Come, Holy Spirit, come.

*Opening Prayer

God of wind and flame, ignite a fire in our hearts and fill us with your courage and power. On this day of Pentecost, may our young people see visions and our elders dream dreams. Blow open the doors of our shut-up hearts and send us into the world to spread the good news of your saving love. Amen.

Sharing Joys & Concerns Pastoral Prayer

The LORD'S Prayer

UMH #895

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.

Offering of Gifts, Prayers, & Tithes

Special Music

"His Eye is on the Sparrow" Soloist: Colleen Polley by Martin/Gabriel

Presentation of our Gifts

*Doxology

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

UMH #95

*Prayer of Dedication

O God, we recognize that we have been blessed with great abundance.

In offering these gifts, may we be strengthened to proclaim your faithfulness and your salvation this day and always.

We pray in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

Dismissal for Children's Church (ages infant-5th grade)

11:00

*Passing the Peace

*Hymn

"Spirit Song"

UMH #347

Scripture

Message Doug Whitecotton

*The Apostle's 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.

*Hymn

"How Great Thou Art"

UMH #77

*Sending Forth

Pastor: In rushing wind and cleansing fire, go forth in the power of the living God.

All: We go as children of God.

Pastor: In courage found and strength renewed, go forth in the power of the eternal Christ.

All: We go as heirs with Christ.

Pastor: In visions born and dreams restored, go forth in the power of the Holy Spirit.

All: We go as new creations in the Spirit. Amen.

*Postlude David Waddell

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MISSION OF THE MONTH

Bridge Street Middle School

- 3-ring Binders
 - Pencils
- New, Plain t-shirts, adult sizes; small 3X
 - New, Shoes, adult sizes; 4-12

You may drop your donation at the church during regular office hours or Sunday mornings.

Monetary donations are always welcome,
just mark the memo line of your check "Mission Group".



VBS June 24-28 9:00am to 12:00pm *G*rades K-5

*We are still accepting monetary donations to help defray costs.

To register your child for VBS, scan the code below with your cell phone, visit the web link below, or pick-up a registration form from the church office.

https://vbspro.events/p/299228



<u>Thank you</u> to all who supported Troop 29's Mulch Fundraiser.

We sold 640 bags!

This money will help fund the summer camping trip.



June 30, 2024

One worship service - 8:30am

Covered-dish

If you are interested in becoming a member of Elm Grove United Methodist Church, please speak with Pastor Deb.



PLEASE DO NOT SEND IN ANY MORE
PAPER GROCERY BAGS.
WE ARE FULL!