## Elm Grove United Methodist Church



June 19, 2022

Welcome

Prelude Anita Chops

Gathering Words

TAWA 2016; pg. 147

Faith calls us here, inviting us to leave our fears at the door. Enter into this time of worship with hope and trust in the God who loves us.

\*Call to Worship TAWA 2013; pg. 161

Leader: Praise the God of Elijah, who is steadfast and strong in the wilderness.

**People:** Our hope is in God!

Leader: Praise the God of the lost, who is our rock and our help in times of need.

People: Our help is in God!

Leader: Praise the God of Jesus Christ, who makes us children of the beloved.

People: Our life is in Christ! Amen!

\*Hymn

Happy the Home When God Is There

UMH #445

\*Opening Prayer W/S #201

God, our Creator, we give you thanks for those who have been fathers for us.

Help us inherit from them that which will make us more fully your people.

Where they have offered us blessings of love, may we incorporate those gifts into our lives.

Where they have hurt us or fallen short of our expectations, may we learn from them, that we might not repeat their mistakes.

May the honor we convey toward our fathers reflect the honor that we feel toward you. 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

You may mail in your offering or drop it in our locked mailbox that is to the right of our front glass doors.

Special Music Gospeleers

Presentation of our Gifts

\*Doxology Father, We Thank You UMH #565, v.1

\*Prayer of Dedication

TAWA 2016; pg. 150

We thank and praise you, O God, for the power of your healing touch and the gift of your saving presence.

Bless these gifts, that they may bring the power of your gifts to a world in need. In Christ's mighty name, we pray. Amen.

\*Hymn of Preparation Children of the Heavenly Father UMH #141

\*Gospel Lesson Luke 8:26-39

Message Doug Whitecotton

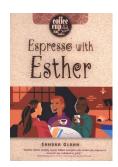
\*Hymn Faith of Our Fathers UMH #710

\*Sending Forth TAWA 2013; pg. 161

In the Spirit of God's unchanging love, live the stories of faith we have heard this day. In the melody of God's song within us, sing the faith we have received this day. In the hope of God's unfailing help, share the grace we have touched this day. Go and tell the world how much God has done for us! **Amen.** 

\*Postlude Anita Chops

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Book Study: "Espresso with Esther"

5-week study, beginning July 7th at 6:00pm
Call/email the church office to sign-up



## **HELP KEEP YOUR CHURCH BEAUTIFUL!**

Sign-up in the Narthex Work when it fits into your schedule Take pride in <u>YOUR</u> church!

See Jan for details and questions.

<sup>&</sup>quot;The United Methodist Hymnal" © 1989

<sup>&</sup>quot;Worship & Song" © 2011

## MISSION OF THE MONTH

Jump Ropes

Coloring Books

Crayons

100 - piece children puzzles

Small bottles of bubbles

Not ready to attend in-person worship, but still want to help out our mission group? You can mail in monetary donations to the church anytime, just mark the memo line of your check "Mission Group".

## **VBS MEETING**

JUNE 26<sup>TH</sup> - 6:30PM

PLANNING FOR A 2-DAY EVENT ONLY!!!

ANYONE INTERESTED IN HELPING IS ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND.



The Northern District of the UMW will be hosting an Artisan's Market at our annual meeting in October.

We will be selling stationery and cards using photos submitted from our District.

Be part of our new artisan market and submit your photos to:

nickerson246@gmail.com

Photo categories:
Stained Glass
Churches
God's creation



June 23rd thru July 4th