**We Serve Through Our Gifts**

**May 15, 2016**

**General: $1,262.75 Building: $**

**We Serve Through Our Presence**

**May 15, 2016**

**Total in Worship: 29 Visitors: 0**

**We Serve Through Our Service**

**Monday, May 23, 2016**

9:00-5:00 Office Hours

10:30 a.m. Bible Study

12:30 p.m. Woman’s Ministries

**Wednesday, May 25, 2016**

9:00-5:00 Office Hours

6:30 p.m. Choir

**Thursday, May 26, 2016**

9:00-5:00 Office Hours

**Sunday, May 29, 2016**

9:30 a.m. Welcome Center

10:30 a.m. Worship Time

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Memorial Day**

**TODAY**

**Potluck**



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**May 22, 2016**

**OPEN DOORS**

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**UMH:** United Methodist Hymnal **FWS:**  Faith We Sing songbook

**Sunday, May 22, 2016-10:30 a.m.**

***We Gather for Worship***

***“Forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus” Phil. 3:13b-14***

*“This order of worship is subject to change by the Holy Spirit”*

*\*Please stand if you are able*

**PRELUDE (PREPARING FOR WORSHIP) Janice Settles**

**WELCOME**

Acolyte: Michaela Fransen

**BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST**

 *Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you. Allelu, alleluia! Ask, and it shall be given unto you; seek and ye shall find; knock, and the door shall be opened unto you. Allelu, alleluia!*

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**OPENING PRAYER (Unison)**

**O God, talk with us today and hear us as we pray. Free us, that we might listen for Your voice, and empower us to speak to You. For in Christ Jesus, You have called us into a friendship which influences all other relationships. May Your “joy” be found there as well. As You have lifted us off our knees, help us to lift others up. For we all were created in Your image. Re-create in us a new heart, O God, one that beats in tune with Your own. This we pray in Jesus’ name. Amen.**

**AFIRMING OUR FAITH**

**LAY LEADER: Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is the one true church, apostolic and universal, whose holy faith let us now declare:**

**ALL: We believe in God the Father, infinite in wisdom, power, and love, whose mercy is over all His works, and whose will is ever directed to His children’s good. We believe in Jesus Christ, Son of God and Son of man, the gift of the Father’s unfailing grace, the ground of our hope, and the promise of our deliverance from sin and death. We believe in the Holy Spirit as the divine presence in our lives, whereby we are kept in perpetual remembrance of the truth of Christ, and find strength and help in time of need. We believe that this faith should manifest itself in the service of love as set forth in the example of our blessed Lord, to the end that the kingdom of God may come upon the earth. Amen.**

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**PROCLAI**M**ING GOD’S WORD**

**\*Gospel Lesson: John 16:12-15**

Page 1678 in pew Bible

Lay Leader*This is the Word of God for the people of God.*

**Congregation: Thanks be to God**

**CHOIR**

**WORSHIP THROUGH TITHES & OFFERINGS**

**\*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**

**\*OFFERTORY PRAYER**

**\*HYMN OF PREPARATION UMH 64** *“Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty”*

**PRAISE TIME**

 **Passing God’s Love and Peace, Praise Time in Song**

**PRAYER TIME**

 **Sharing in Joys and Concerns**

 **Silent Prayer, Pastor’s Prayer, Lord’s Prayer**

**MESSAGE OF THE DAY Pastor Jack Smith**

**\*HYMN OF PARTING UMH 152**

*“I Sing the Almighty Power of God”*

**(TAKE THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD)**

**\*BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE Janice Settle**