

# Order of Celebration

May 26, 2019 ◆ 10:30 AM

Easter Season

## GATHERING

Gathering Music

Welcome

Songs	O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing Verses 1, 2, & 3	UMH 57
	Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty Verses 1 & 2	UMH 64

Sharing the Life of the Church

Please complete the Communication Card and place in the offering plate. If you have a prayer request, fill out a prayer card that will be collected during the first song

Centering Music and Service of Lights

\*Call to Worship

Leader: This is the day that the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

All: This is the day that God has made for us to worship Him. Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

*Children ages 3-5th grade are invited to Fellowship Hall for "Kids Rock"*

*Song	O Worship the King Verses 1, 2 & 3	UMH 73
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A Time of Confession

Leader: Spirit of God, you are the breath of creation, the wind of change that blows through our lives, opening us up to new dreams and new hopes, new life in Jesus Christ. Forgive us for our closed minds, which barricade themselves against new ideas, preferring the past to what you might want to do through us tomorrow.

All: Forgive our closed eyes, which fail to see the needs of your world, blind to opportunities of service and love. Spirit of new life, forgive us and break down the prison walls of our

selfishness, that we might be open to your love and open for service in your world.

Leader: May the Spirit of God guide us to be obedient disciples, following Him in all that we say and do.

All: Amen.

Song	Glorify Thy Name	TFWS
2016		

## THE WORD

Old Testament Lesson	Psalms 104: 24 - 35	pg 746
Epistle Lesson	1 Corinthians 12: 12 - 29	pg 1398
Message	"A Healthy Church Body"	

## OUR RESPONSE

Song	Here I Am, Lord	UMH 593
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Offering Invitation

"Let each of us use whatever gift we have received, faithfully sharing God's grace in many forms. Freely we have received; freely we will give."

Offertory Music

\*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.

\*Dedication Prayer (in unison)

"O God, we give you thanks for all the gifts, great and small, that have been poured out upon your children. Accept us with our gifts to be living praise and witness to your love throughout all the earth. Amen. "

Prayers of the People

Our Father, which 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, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

## WE ARE SENT FORTH

\*Song O Church of God, United UMH 547

Taking the Light to the World

Benediction 1 Peter 2: 9 - 10

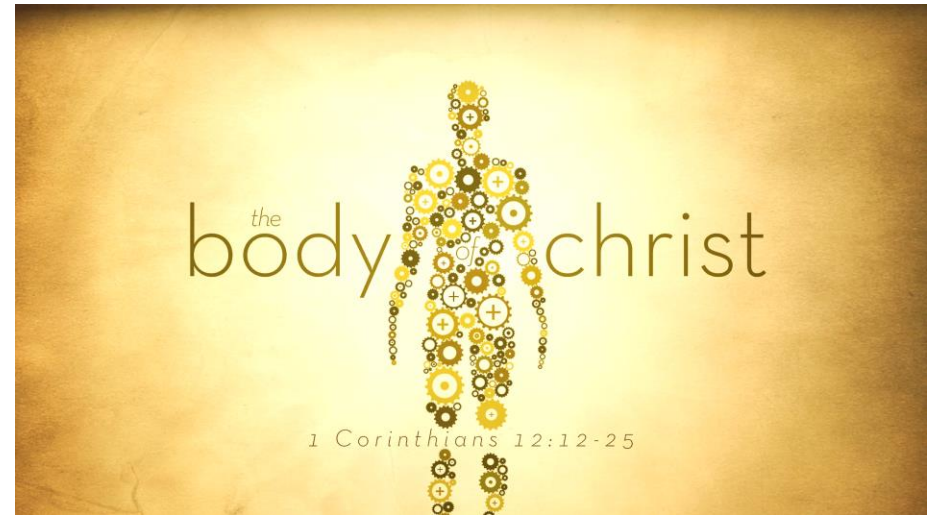
Pastor: Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing so that by the power of God's Spirit you overflow with love and hope.

All: Thanks be to God!

Postlude

We invite you to enjoy the closing music or depart the sanctuary as you choose.

\*Please stand as you feel comfortable



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