

Upcoming Events at Bay UMC

May 31	Worship	10:00 am
	ASP Picnic	12:00 pm
June 1	AI Anon/P	7:00 pm
June 2	AI Anon/P	1:15 pm
June 3	O'Neill Communion/Bradley	3:00 pm
June 4	AA Women/P	7:30 pm
June 5	AA Men & Women/P	6:00 pm
June 7	Worship/Communion	10:00 am
	New Member Sunday	
	Egg Sunday	
	UWF Board Meeting/CR	11:15 am

All are invited to join us after worship for
Coffee Fellowship!



The Weekly Word

Up-to-date news on all church activities and Prayer Request can now be found in the Weekly Word. On Fridays, the Weekly Word is sent via email to all the church members for which we have an email address. Each Sunday, you can find a paper copy on the central table in the Narthex.

Sunday School

Children are always welcome in worship! Children are welcome to come forward for the children's sermon. After the children's sermon, children and youth from four-years-old through eighth grade will be accompanied to their classrooms in the Sunday School on the 3rd floor, where they can be picked up after worship.

Parents! Text "LIGHTHOUSE" to 440.218.4410 to opt in for Bay Beacon updates and communication.

Today's Worship Team

Rev. Lisa Kropinak	Senior Pastor
Lindsey Martin	Youth Education Coordinator
Ron Muth	Director of Music
Bill Zurkey	Organist
Keith McGregor, Dan Hurst, John Schofield	Technology
David Graves	Liturgist
Jim & Jody Bracken,	
Jeanne Maslar, Jo-Anne Marshall	Ushers
Sharon & Pete Kratt	Coffee Fellowship

Altar Flowers: To The Glory of God
Courtesy of Mike & Karen Memmer
In honor of our 55th wedding anniversary on May 29.

Week of May 24

Worship Attendance: 93
Online Attendance: 74

As members of Bay United Methodist Church, we have covenanted together to uphold it by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness. Another way you can give towards the congregations' ministries is to give electronically. To give electronically...



Order of Worship May 31, 2026 10:00 am



Make! Baptize! Teach! Remember!
Matthew 28:16-20

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Bay United Methodist Church

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, May 31, 2026

Reverend Lisa Kropinak

*Please stand if you are able

Welcome and Announcements

(Please sign the attendance pad.)

*Time of Greeting

Invocation

Prelude **Nimrod from Enigma Variations –**
Edward Elgar (1857-1934)

Call to Worship:

Liturgist: On this Trinity Sunday, we come to praise the Triune God—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit!

People: We praise God who creates, redeems, and sustains all creation!

Liturgist: We come to wade into the depths of the divine mystery of God, the One-in-Three and Three-in-One.

People: We seek an ever-deepening faith in God who creates, redeems, and sustains all creation!

Liturgist: We come to witness the interconnectedness of the Triune God, to marvel at the divine dance of partnership and cooperation.

People: We receive the invitation to join the divine dance of God who creates, redeems, and sustains all creation!

Liturgist: Come, let us worship the Triune God—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit!

People: Come, let us worship the Triune God who creates, redeems, and sustains all creation!

Written by Dr. Lisa Hancock, Discipleship Ministries, December 2025.

*Opening Hymn # 77 (Red)

How Great Thou Art

(At this time, give your prayer cards to the nearest usher)

Scripture Lesson Matthew 28:16-20 (p.34 NT)

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Anthem *To Everything There Is A Season* ...Harris

Children's Sermon Rev. Lisa Kropinak
(Children excused for Sunday School)

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Sermon Make! Baptize! Teach! Remember!

Offertory

*Doxology #95 (Red)

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*Closing Hymn # 671 (Red)
Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy Blessing

Closing Prayer:

Grant, most gracious God, that we may love and seek you always and everywhere, above all things, and for your sake, in the life present and at length find you and forever hold you fast in the life to come. Grant this for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Rev. Thomas Bradwardine (1300-1349)

Benediction

Postlude **How Great Thou Art**
Swedish Folk Melody
arr. Wilbur Held

Music Notes

'Nimrod' is the name given to the ninth and best-known variation in Edward Elgar's *Enigma Variations*, an orchestral work of 14 variations on an original theme composed between 1898 and 1899. Each variation is also a portrait of one of 14 members of Elgar's family and circle of friends. A celebrated work, 'Nimrod' is a portrait of Augustus J. Jaeger, Elgar's editor and publisher.

This work, commenced in a spirit of humor & continued in deep seriousness, contains sketches of the composer's friends. It may be understood that these personages' comment or reflect on the original theme & each one attempts a solution of the Enigma, for so the theme is called. The sketches are not 'portraits' but each variation contains a distinct idea founded on some particular personality or perhaps on some incident known only to two people.

How Great Thou Art is a Christian hymn based on a Swedish traditional melody and a poem written by Carl Boberg (1859–1940) in Mönsterås, Sweden, in 1885. The hymn was popularized by George Beverly Shea and Cliff Barrows during the Billy Graham crusades.

Prayer Requests

Prayers for all suffering from seasonal illnesses.

Receiving Treatment for Cancer

Andrew Mills, grandson of Kathi Rayburn
Louis Pena, friend of Larry Johnson
Peggy Shumate, friend of Jennifer Sauer and Mary Jones
Colin Kissel, grandson of Jerry and Susie Jenkins.
Gene Braden, member of Bay UMC
Jason Santos, nephew of Betty Christ
Jody Brubaker, sister of Libby Johnson
Pat Riley Stephen, cousin of Sue Davis
Tom Szor, friend of Connie Ward
Rose Menas, mother-in-law to Jenn Menas.