# **Our Worship of God**

5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter May 19, 2019

Our mission: To welcome all to grow together in Christ through prayer and the Word.

In the psalmist's words, "Young men and women alike, old and young together! Let us praise the name of the LORD, for his name alone is exalted" (Psalm 148:12-13, NRSV). Welcome to worship!

#### **GOD'S PEOPLE GATHER**

**Greetings/Announcements** 

Processional "Thine is the Glory" choir

Leader: Praise the Lord.

People: I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in

the congregation.

Leader: Great are the works of the Lord, studied by all who have pleasure in them.

People: Full honor and majesty are the works of the Lord whose righteousness endures for

ever,

Leader: who has caused his wonderful works to be remembered; the Lord is gracious and

merciful.

\*Hymn "I Love to Tell the Story" screen or #156

\*Opening prayer – Heavenly Father, Your generosity and hospitality are the reason why we are all here this morning. You gave up Your only Son for us so that we may be called by Your name. Through Jesus Christ, You have made us not only Your children, but also Your servants. Help us faithfully live for You all the days of our lives. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

\*Sharing the Peace of Christ

Recognition of graduating seniors

Sharing Joys, Concerns, Prayers

# **GOD'S WORD IS READ AND PROCLAIMED**

Children's Sermon—as the children come forward, let us sing "We Shall Overcome" screen or #533, vs. 1

Scripture Joshua 1:1-9

Message "The Bible: Part One"

### **RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD**

Offering Kendall Niemeier

Please sign the attendance record and pass it on to the next person in the pew when completed so we may learn one another's names.

\*Doxology "How Great Thou Art" (refrain) screen or #77

### **GOD'S PEOPLE ARE SENT OUT**

\*Closing Song "What a Mighty God We Serve" screen (twice)

\*Spoken Benediction

Please be seated "A Choral Benediction" choir

\*Postlude

**Prayer Concerns:** Tom Jansen (cancer), Lil Jansen (shoulder surgery), Hannah Harmon (Pastor Tim's daughter), Cheryl Dake (cancer), Garrett Goodell, those with mental health concerns, Sherry Ahrenstorff (chemo), Allen Rowe (Parkinson's), Shirley Fredericksen, Karen Rehms, Rita Reimers, Ardyce Rueter (mother of Lori Sheeler and Scott Rueter), Dave Lindemann, the men and women in the armed services, their families, and our churches.

### Large print bulletins are available from your ushers.

Ministers	The People of God	Greeters/Ushers	Matt Barnhart
Bishop	Laurie Haller		Jeff/Phyllis Johnson
District Supt	Ron Carlson		
Pastor	Emmanuel Naweji	Sanctuary Flowers	No flowers during Lent
Custodian	Mary Schmidt		
Parish Secretary	Judy Taber	Candle Lighters	Jr. /Sr. High Youth Group
Worship Music	Diane Duitsman		

# **Sunday School Snacks**

May 19 – Snacks/Juice – Heather Voss

<sup>\*</sup>Prayer of Dedication

Today ...... 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

# Congratulations Graduates!



Harris-Lake Park Commencement will be held TODAY at 2:00 p.m. at the High School Gymnasium. Congratulations to our Harris and Lake Park UMC graduates!

Payton Ahrenstorff Morgan Bradley Madison Brevik Grace Elser Charles Ingham Katelyn Loring Taylor Meyer Jack Rasche



We offer our sympathy and our prayers to Vivian Lynn and her family on the loss of her husband, Wesley. Plans are uncertain as of printing time as to when a memorial service might be held.

Be part of this group in Haiti next summer (2020).

First meeting: July 21, 2019—4:00 p.m. at LP UMC

Come and learn more about this opportunity!









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Harris – 9:00 am ...... Lake Park – 10:30 am

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District Superintendent Ron Carlson			Nick Fiebig
Pastor	Emmanuel Naweji	Worship Music	Marian Tuinstra
Parish Secretary	Judy Taber	Flowers Amy Bos	sma, Cheryl Dake
Custodian	Kellev Morgan		

# Coffee Servers

May 19	Scott Robertson
May 26	Memorial weekend—no coffee

