

LIFE OF OUR CHURCH

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| Today | 10:30 am | Worship |
| Monday, July 29th | 7:00 pm | SPRC Meeting |
| Tuesday, July 30th | 10:30 am | Exercise Group |
| | 6:00 pm | Education Committee |
| Wednesday, July 31st | 8:00 am | Prayer Meeting (Zoom) |
| | | (Call 606-5009 with prayer concerns or to join) |
| Thursday, August 1st | 10:30 am | Exercise Group |
| Sunday, August 4th | 10:30 am | Worship with Communion |

Remember to continue to wear name tags as Pastor Paul and family learn to know us. You will find them in the Narthex.

Plans are underway for Vacation Bible School to be held on August 18th. Watch for more information as plans develop.

The next book to be read by the Book Group is *The Buy Nothing Get Everything Plan* by Liesl Clark & Rebecca Rockefeller. Experience the benefits of buying less and sharing more with this accessible seven-step guide to decluttering, saving money, and creating community from the creators of the Buy Nothing Project.

Prayer List: All Homebound Members, Pat M., Zoe, Jolene, Pastor Lee & family, Pastor Erika, all those suffering from economic distress, pain and/or illness.

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Viroqua United Methodist Church

July 28, 2024

10:30 a.m.



Viroqua UMC
221 S. Center Ave.
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Our Prayer

God, the giver of life, generous giver of gifts and abilities, help us discover our talents and have the courage to use them to serve you and our community with unimagined new purposes and deepening love for Jesus Christ. Amen.

July 28, 2024

Tenth Sunday of Pentecost

Viroqua UMC Worship Service—Sunday, 10:30 A.M.

Please turn off all cell phones and electronics

**Please stand if you are able

PREPARING OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE "TIS SO SWEET TO TRUST IN JESUS" *Lloyd Larson*

RINGING OF THE BELL

GREETING

God is with us. Whether we come to worship with regrets and sadness or with joy and thanksgiving, God welcomes us. Let us open our hearts and minds to worship our gracious and loving God.

WELCOMING WORDS/LIFE OF THE CHURCH

CALLED TO WORSHIP

**CALL TO WORSHIP

L: May every family in heaven and on earth gather in name and spirit.

P: May God pour out courage and compassion on our congregation through the Spirit.

L: May our minds be open, that Christ may dwell within. May our hearts receive the fullness of our faith.

P: From generation to generation, God's grace is abundant! Amen.

**HYMN OF PRAISE "PRAISE, MY SOUL, THE KING OF HEAVEN" UMH No. 66

**OPENING PRAYER (in unison)

Holy Spirit, meet us here. Find our spirits open and our hearts receptive to your word for us this day. With our songs and prayers, our witness and reflection, may we faithfully go where you call us to be. In the name of Christ, we pray. Amen.

CALLED TO REFLECTION

OLD TESTAMENT READING JOSHUA 6: 15-20 PEW BIBLE NO. 250

NEW TESTAMENT READING ACTS 2: 1-4 PEW BIBLE NO. 1318

GOSPEL READING

LUKE 24: 45-49

PEW BIBLE NO. 1277

L. This is the word of God for the people of God

P. Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

"UNTIL THE END"

**HYMN OF AFFIRMATION

"THE OLD RUGGED CROSS"

UMH No. 504

CALLED TO COMMUNITY AND TO SHARE

JOYS AND CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER, COMMUNITY PRAYER, LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING

"SANDON"

Charles H. Purday

**DOXOLOGY

UMH No. 95

**OFFERING PRAYER

**CLOSING HYMN

"THE SUMMONS"

TFWS No. 2130

SENT TO SERVE

**SENDING FORTH

We enter our journey of life in God's presence. We will share God's love and grace with the people we meet along the way. We will continue to walk the Way to Heaven with God.

**BENEDICTION

**BENEDICTION RESPONSE

"I SING PRAISES TO YOUR NAME" (vs. 1)

TFWS No. 2037

**RINGING OF THE BELL

**POSTLUDE

"FANFARE IN C MAJOR"

Henry Purcell

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