

LIFE OF OUR CHURCH

Today	9:00 am	Adult Sunday School
	10:30 am	Worship
Tuesday, May 13th	HAPPY BIRTHDAY, PASTOR PAUL	
	10:30 am	Exercise Group
	1:00 pm	Hospitality Committee
	6:00 pm	Trustees Meeting
Wednesday, May 14th	8:30 am	Prayer Meeting (Zoom) (Call 606-5009 with prayer concerns)
	1:30 pm	UWF
	6:00 pm	Choir Practice
Thursday, May 15th	10:30 am	Exercise Group
Sunday, May 18th	CONFIRMATION SUNDAY	
	9:00 am	Adult Sunday School
	10:30 am	Worship

After Church Today! Stop and have a piece of birthday cake with Pastor Paul AND all mothers and daughters pick up a flowering plant in honor of your special day.

Lawn mowers, we need you! There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex if you can take a turn to mow the church lawn. We have a lawn mower here for you to use.

Prayer List: All Homebound Members, Pat M., Zoe, Gloria F., Tara J., Ryleigh A., all families suffering the loss of loved ones, all those suffering from personal stress, pain and/or illness.

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**Viroqua
United Methodist Church**

**May 11, 2025
10:30 am**



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.



Viroqua UMC
221 S. Center Ave.
Viroqua, WI 54665

May 11, 2025

Mother’s Day
Fourth Sunday of Easter

Viroqua UMC Worship Service—10:30 am

Please turn off all cell phones and electronics
**Please stand if you are able

PREPARING OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE “THE GIFT OF LOVE” Hopson/Carter
RINGING OF THE BELL (remain seated)
WELCOMING WORDS/LIFE OF THE CHURCH

CALLED TO WORSHIP

**CALL TO WORSHIP
L: The God of love and grace invites us in.
P: Blessed be the God of love!
L: The God of power and might welcomes us here.
P: Glory to God on high!
L: The God of wisdom and truth speaks to us now.
P: Praise the One who speaks truth to our hearts!

**THE APOSTLES’ CREED UMH No. 881

**HYMN OF PRAISE “CHRIST IS RISEN” UMH No. 307

**OPENING PRAYER (in unison)
Shepherding God, guide us in this time of worship. Help us receive your wisdom and respond with lives of faithful discipleship. Walk closely with us and help us feel your constant presence, both now and forevermore. Amen.

CALLED TO REFLECTION

**GOSPEL READING JOHN 10: 22-30 PEW BIBLE NO. 1297
L. This is the word of God for the people of God
P. Thanks be to God.

SPECIAL MUSIC “WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS” Youth Instrumental Group
MESSAGE “JESUS KNOWS ME BETTER THAN I”

HYMN OF AFFIRMATION “YOU KNOW BETTER THAN I”
CALLED TO COMMUNITY AND TO SHARE

JOYS AND CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER

COMMUNITY PRAYER/Mother’s Day Blessing

LORD’S PRAYER

OFFERING “PASS IT ON” Youth Instrumental Group

**DOXOLOGY UMH No. 95

**OFFERING PRAYER

**CLOSING HYMN “THE SUMMONS” TFWs No. 2130

SENT TO SERVE

**BENEDICTION

**BENEDICTION RESPONSE “HE LIVES” (Refrain) UMH No. 310

**RINGING OF THE BELL

**POSTLUDE “Holy, Holy, Holy” Edward Eicker

We Live Our Faith
Bible Reading Daily, Prayer & Devotion Daily, Worship Weekly,
Serve Monthly, Give Proportionally, Witness Freely

The Radio Broadcast today is given today by Kathy Hanson in memory of her mother, Clara Overbo.