

LIFE OF OUR CHURCH

Today	Mother's Day	
	9:00 am	Adult Sunday School
	10:30 am	Sunday Worship
	10:30 am	Youth Sunday School
Tuesday, May 12th	10:30 am	Exercise Group
	12:00 pm	Community Dinner Planning
Wednesday, May 13th	8:30 am	Prayer Meeting (Zoom) (Call 606-5009 with prayer concerns)
	1:30 pm	UWF
	6:00 pm	Choir Practice
Thursday, May 14th	10:30 am	Exercise Group
Sunday, May 17th	9:00 am	Adult Sunday School
	10:30 am	Sunday Worship
	10:30 am	Youth Sunday School
	11:30 am	Ministry Team Meeting
	4:00 pm	Inquirer's Class
	4:00 pm	Bible Study @ Kathy Hanson's
	6:00 pm	Church Council Meeting

Happy Mother's Day! Thanks to the young people for baking cinnamon rolls this morning in celebration of mothers! All mothers and daughters are invited to pick up a plant in the Narthex following the service.

Inquirer's Class begins next Sunday, May 17th @ 4:00 pm It will be led by Pastor Paul & looks at faith, the Methodist tradition, & what it means to follow Jesus. This class is for all, but especially those desiring to become members of our church. Sign up in the Narthex!

Check out the **UM Summer Camps!** Note that our church pays for half the cost of attending a UM camp. A wide variety of kinds of camps are offered, so take a look.

Prayer List: All Homebound Members, Zoe, Ryleigh, Pat M, Jolene G, Ardith O., Hester N., Janice P., Chris D., Jim H, Erma E, Shirley B, all those suffering from personal stress, pain and/or illness.

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Viroqua United Methodist Church

May 10, 2026



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 10, 2026

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Viroqua UMC Worship Service

Please turn off all cell phones and electronics

**Please stand if you are able

PREPARING OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE "LEGENDE" Edward Broughton

RINGING OF THE BELL (remain seated)

WELCOMING WORDS/LIFE OF THE CHURCH

CALLED TO WORSHIP

**CALL TO WORSHIP

L: We come from different places, different weeks, different struggles.

P: But we are gathered here by the same grace that found us.

L: We are not here because we sought God, but because God first sought us.

P: We are here because we have been called, and we have been accepted.

L: So let us lay down our week and turn our hearts to the One who called us here.

P: We are here, Lord. We belong to you. Let us worship you.

**APOSTLES' CREED UMH No. 881

**HYMN OF PRAISE "EASTER PEOPLE, RAISE YOUR VOICES" UMH No. 304

**OPENING PRAYER (in unison)

Risen Lord, we thank you that you have called us into this moment of worship. As we come before you now, quiet our hearts and open our ears. As we worship, form us into the disciples you have called us to be — people who carry your presence into our homes, our friendships, and our daily lives, and who build communities of faith wherever we go. We are yours. We pray in the name of Christ, Amen.

CALLED TO REFLECTION

**GOSPEL READING TITUS 1: 1-6 PEW BIBLE NO. 1457

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

P. Thanks be to God.

CHOIR ANTHEM "GOD GIVES US THOSE WHO LOVE US"
Mary Kay Beale & John Carter

MESSAGE DISCIPLE TITUS: ONE WHO BUILDS A COMMUNITY OF FAITH

**HYMN OF AFFIRMATION "HERE I AM, LORD" UMH No. 593

CALLED TO COMMUNITY AND TO SHARE

JOYS AND CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER

COMMUNITY PRAYER/LORD'S PRAYER

**OFFERING/DOXOLOGY UMH No. 95

**OFFERING PRAYER

**CLOSING HYMN "GO MAKE OF ALL DISCIPLES" UMH No. 571

SENT TO SERVE

**BENEDICTION

**BENEDICTION RESPONSE "TO GOD BE THE GLORY" (refrain) UMH No. 98

**RINGING OF THE BELL

**POSTLUDE "TOCCATA" Robert Thygerson

The radio broadcast this morning is given by Kathy Hanson in memory of her mother, Clara Overbo, and in honor of Janette Hanson and Angie Hanson, the mothers of her grandchildren.

Love Boldly, Serve Joyfully, Lead Courageously

If this is your first time to worship here at Viroqua UMC, WELCOME!
Be sure to get one of our red welcome bags as you leave!