

Reynolds United Methodist Church
May 14, 2023 – 6th Sunday of Eastertide

Gathering

Greeting & Words of Welcome & Centering

Processional

Announcements (See below)

The All Church Memory Verse of the Month: Deuteronomy 31:6

Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid....for the Lord your God goes with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you. Deuteronomy 31:6

Opening Praise “To God Be the Glory” FOG 363

Call to Worship (Call & Response)

Leader: The God of heaven and earth has called us together; here we will be touched by God’s Spirit.

People: There is so much we wish that God will show us.

Leader: Let us focus our attention and listen for God’s direction.

People: We have come to worship God who gives us breath.

Leader: In God we live and move and have our being; all that we are and have comes from God.

People: God is the source of our life and our salvation.

Union Prayer

Loving God, let the sounds of our praise for you be heard among us. We believe you are with us even when we cannot feel or see or hear you. We thank you for those times when you have caught our attention. We ask for one of those times here today. Shake us out of our complacency and the dullness of our faith. Hold us close in your steadfast love. Remind us of all your blessings and stimulate us with an eagerness to worship you and live as you intend us to live. AMEN

Praise Song “Alleluia” FOG 361

Proclamation and Response

A Remembrance of Mothers

Scripture Lesson Acts 1:1-11 (page 1690 in pew Bible)

Children’s Moment Rhonda Brown

Message “Why Are You Standing Around?” Pastor Glen Stewart

Thanksgiving

Testimony to Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Offertory “We Are Climbing Jacob’s Ladder” FOG 488
The Doxology UMH 95

Prayer of Dedication (Unison)

Loving God, may all that we give today be used to express your love among us, and beyond us. We are thankful for your gift to us in Jesus Christ. We claim anew his teaching, forgiveness, and salvation. May Christ live among us today in our giving, in our caring, and in our doing. With these gifts we rededicate ourselves to your service. AMEN

Sending Forth
Sending Song “Trust & Obey” FOG 454

Benediction

CHURCH CALENDAR

Thursday, May 21 – Canned Pasta Drive for Summer Eats
Thursday, May 25 – Hub Cluster Pork Chop Drive thru at Rochelle UMC 4:30-6:30 pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The mission of the month for May is Tree of Life Ministry. Tree of Life Ministry is a part of the working hands and feet of God to the Lakota Nation residing on the Rosebud Reservation serving body, mind, and soul. They feed, cloth, shelter, and love demonstrating His love, power, and grace to a broken, hurting society. Our gifts in the past has enabled them to buy a fork lift to help them to distribute food and other items to folks who are in need. Every donation is vital to this ministry. Thank you for your support, love, and prayers.
Please make checks payable to "Reynolds Church" with “Tree of Life” or “M.O.M.” in the memo line and drop your donation any Sunday or mail to Penny Bennett.
Thank you. Missions Team

There are cards for the graduates in Fellowship Hall. Please sign them and Rhonda will mail them in a couple of weeks

Joyce Brake has copies of yearbooks from the 70’s to now if anyone one.

Submit items for the Newsletter to the Church office by April 24th

Serving This Sunday, May 14

Organist: Bev Kearns

Ushers for this week: Volunteers needed

Greeters: TBD

Liturgist: Volunteer needed

Youth Moment: Rhonda Brown

Children's Church Teacher: Summer break, Children stay in church

Children's Church Shepherd: Summer break, Children stay in church

Communion Steward for May: Kathy Becker

Church Hostess for May: Contact Kathy Becker

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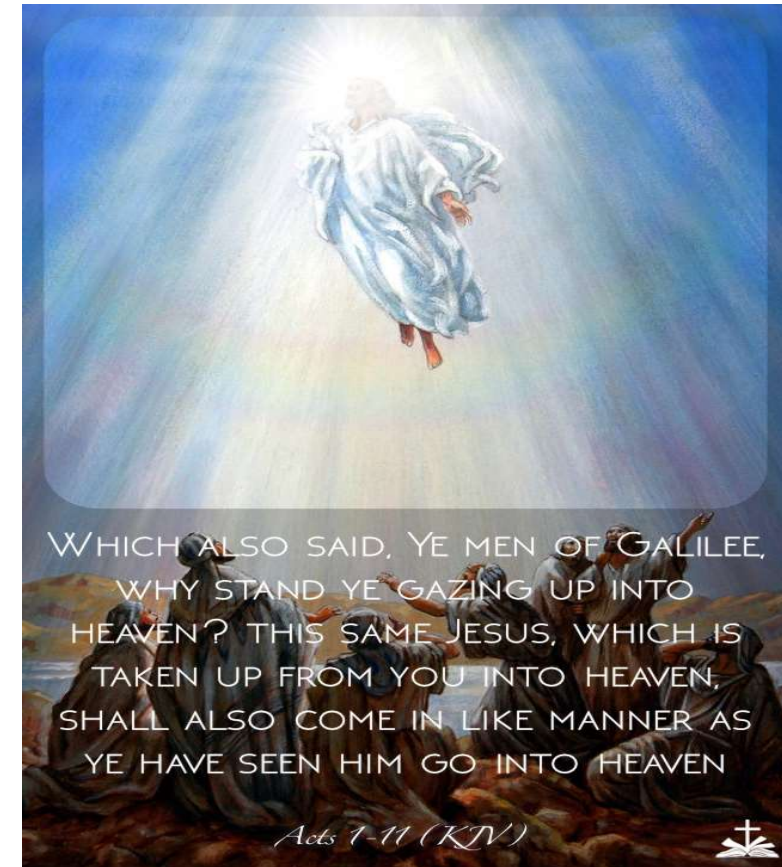
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Offering for:

Church Fund: \$1,320.00

MOM \$30.00



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