

Reynolds United Methodist Church
May 4, 2025 – Third Sunday of Easter

Gathering

Processional

Pastor’s Moment and announcements

Announcements (See below)

The All Church Memory Verse of the Month: James 2:17

In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead. James 2:17

**Call to Worship*

Leader: God, you call us from the corners of the Earth.

All: From the cities and the prairies, from the rural communities and the tables of the wealthy.

Leader: God, you sing to us from the corners of the universe.

All: In the gentle ocean breeze, in the colors that burst forth from our landscapes, in the faces of our children.

Leader: God, you speak to us from the corners of the Earth.

All: To the east, to the west, to the north and to the south, above us, below us, and within us, your voice rings clear.

Send your voice to sing in us, we pray, as we worship this day.

**Opening Hymn:* Oh How I Love Jesus - UMH 170

**Opening Prayer*

Heavenly Father, we bring our whole selves to worship. Our triumphs. Our failures. Our vulnerabilities. Our greatest joys and our deepest sorrows. In this time set apart, may we hear the voice of Jesus urging us to feed and be fed, to love and be loved. Amen.

**Gloria Patri* Pg. 70

Responsive Reading Psalm 30:1-7 UMH 762

Proclamation and Response

**Scripture Reading:* John 21:1-19

Children’s Moment

Message “Three Times He Asked”

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Thanksgiving

The Communion Hymn Let Us Break Bread Together - UMH 618

The Great Thanksgiving UMH Page 15

Joys & Concerns of God’s People

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as

we forgive those who have trespassed against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom and power and the glory forever, AMEN

Offertory

**The Doxology* – UMH 95

Prayer of Dedication

** Closing Hymn:* Hymn of Promise - UMH 707

Benediction

CHURCH CALENDAR

Monday May 12 Ad Board meeting 7:00 pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Mission of The Month for May is Outdoor and Retreat Ministries “Camperships” Scholarships. Camp scholarships help persons from throughout the Northern Illinois Conference attend camps and retreats when they are in need of assistance. Funds are directed to either/or both sites, Reynoldswood and Wesley Woods, as campers needs arise. A camper from Reynolds Church praised her week spent at J.O.Y. Camp saying, “It’s a wonderful camp. It’s a time and place where campers and counselors alike congregate for a week of fun, friends, and greatest of all, worship. J.O.Y. Camp means the world to me.” Please make checks payable to "Reynolds Church" with UMCOR or “M.O.M.” in the memo line and drop your donation any Sunday or mail to Penny Bennett. Thank you. Missions Team

If there is anyone who is not a member of our congregation and would like to join, please contact Pastor Jan. We will be receiving new members Pentecost Sunday June 8th. Ashton church is selling 8ft banquet tables for \$25. Call church office if interested. Ashton church gazebo will be decorated for Prom April 26th if prom attendees would like a place to have pictures taken.

The Graduation cards are on the back table in Fellowship Hall for all to sign. Please let Rhonda Brown know if we forgot someone.

Submit items for the Newsletter to the Church office by May 26, 2025

Serving This Sunday, May 4

Organist: Bev Kearns

Ushers for this week: Volunteers needed

Liturgist:

Youth Moment: Pastor Jan Shaulis

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

Coffee Fellowship Time: Karen Yocum

Lawn Mowing: Volunteer Needed

Serving Next Sunday, May 11

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Liturgist:

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Offering for:

Church Fund: \$735.00

MOM: \$75.00

Easter Flowers. \$10.00



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Sunday Service 10:30 am

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