

Reynolds United Methodist Church
May 18, 2025 – Fifth 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***

L: Let praise to God resound in the heavens!

P: Let praise to God fill the earth!

L: Let all God's angels offer praise and rejoicing!

P: Let all God's creatures sing praise and joy!

L: Open your hearts and spirits today.

P: Let us praise the Lord today and always! AMEN.

***Opening Hymn:** Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee - UMH 89

****Opening Prayer***

Gracious and Loving God, we are grateful that you have called us together this day, drawing us from darkness to the glory of your light. May our spirits rejoice at the good news you have for us today. Open our hearts to your healing love, for we ask this in Christ's Name. AMEN.

Proclamation and Response

***Gloria Patri** Pg. 70

Responsive Reading Psalm 148: 1-8 UMH 861

Hymn: Precious Lord, Take My Hand - UMH 474

***Scripture Reading:** Acts 11: 1-18

Children's Moment

Pastor Jan Shaulis

Message "All Are Invited to God's House"

Pastor Jan Shaulis

Thanksgiving

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:** In Christ There Is No East or West - UMH 548

Benediction

CHURCH CALENDAR

Ashton United Methodist Church will be having a Baccalaureate Service at 7:pm this evening. This is a time to recognize the graduates and pray for their future and celebrate what they have accomplished. All graduates and their family and friends are invited.

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

We will be receiving new members on Pentecost Sunday June 8th. Please contact Pastor Jan and she will make time to meet with you to talk about our church.

We are taking a special donation to help pay for the new computer. Please make checks payable to "Reynolds Church" with Computer in the memo line.

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

Serving This Sunday, May 18

Organist: Bev Kearns

Ushers for this week: Volunteers needed

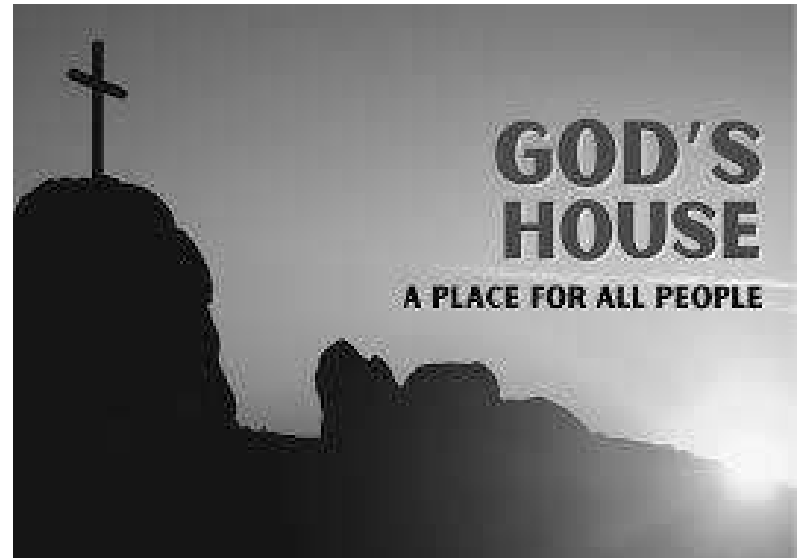
Liturgist:

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: Volunteer Needed
Lawn Mowing: Volunteer Needed

Serving Next Sunday, May 25

Pianist: Becky Ackland
Ushers for this week: Volunteers needed
Liturgist:
Youth Moment: Kathy Becker
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: Laurie & Dean Ackland
Lawn Mowing: Volunteer Needed

Offering for:
Church Fund: \$879.00



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