

5th Sunday after Pentecost

June 19, 2016 ♦ 11:00 a.m. Worship

GATHERING

Welcome

Stewardship Moment

Prelude

*Call to Worship

Leader: Break down the barriers that divide us, O Lord.

People: Tear down the walls of hostility and fear.

Leader: Melt the barbed wire of anger and hatred.

People: Breathe new life into your people, O God.

Leader: For we are called to newness in Christ Jesus.

People: We are all brothers and sisters through God's love.

Leader: Come, let us worship the God who removes obstacles from our paths.

People: Let us praise God who seeks to unite us in peace.

AMEN.

*Hymn #547

O Church of God, United

Opening Prayer

Open our hearts today, O Lord, to feel the powerful strength and love you have for us. Help us to listen, not only with our ears, but with our spirits for your words of compassion and healing. Enable us to become more faithful disciples for you; for we ask this in the name of our Savior Jesus Christ.
AMEN.

PROCLAMATION

Old Testament Reading – 1 Kings 19:1-15a

Leader: The Word of God for the People of God.

People: Thanks be to God. Amen.

*Psalter – Psalm 42

Hymnal, Page 777

*Gloria Patri #70

Epistle Reading – Galatians 3:23-29

Leader: The Word of God for the People of God.

People: Thanks be to God. Amen.

*Hymn #620

One Bread, One Body

*Gospel Reading – Luke 8:26-39

Leader: The Word of God for the People of God.

People: Thanks be to God. Amen.

Children's Message

Sermon – “Unified By Our Faith”

Chad Hrbek

RESPONSE

*Affirmation of Faith #881 – The Apostles' Creed

Prayers of the People

The Pastor will lift up a series of petitions. After each petition:

Leader: Lord in your mercy

People: Hear our Prayer.

Invitation

Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Pardon

*Passing the Peace

Offering & Offertory

*Doxology (UMH #95)

THANKSGIVING & COMMUNION

*The Great Thanksgiving (UMH, pg. 17, Setting A)

*The Lord's Prayer

Sharing of the Bread & Cup

Prayer After Receiving (UMH, pg. 11)

SENDING FORTH

*Hymn #545

The Church's One Foundation

*Benediction

*Postlude

**For those who are able, please stand*