

**WORSHIP SERVERS: *THANK YOU FOR SERVING!***

**NURSERY.....Sharon Dostal & Kaitlyn Davis**  
**LITURGIST.....Karen Disegna**  
**USHERS.....John Rodgers, Louis Wolven & Friends**  
**SOUND/VIDEO TECHNICIANS.....Wally Brown & Dennis Tabor**

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**ASK AN USHER FOR** Large Print Worship Bulletins, Large Print Hymnals, Children's Doodle Folders and Listening Devices.

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**WHY UMCL WEARS NAME TAGS:** Wearing a name tag helps us to know each other by name, not just by face. It helps visitors feel more comfortable to talk to others when they can call you by name. In addition, it helps our greeters identify visitors and people who may be looking for a church. If you would like to have a plastic name badge made for you, please call the church office.

**VISION STATEMENT**

Believers seeking and sharing the character of Christ

Pastor: **Rev. Dennis B. Bromley**  
Office Manager: **Rev. Laurie McKinven-Copus**  
Youth Directors: **Cindy Cooper and George Faust**  
Christian Education Director: **Britney Cole**  
Music Director: **Rebecca Sopha**  
Handbell Choir Director: **John Reed**  
*Water's Edge* Praise Band Director: **Jac Russell**



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**SUNDAY, MAY 8, 2016**

**11:00 AM**



*“that they may all be one”*

*John 17:21*

## Seventh Sunday of Easter

*Welcome to this sacred time of prayer, praise, and singing to God; a time of listening to God's Word and being strengthened in faith for service to the world.*

**PRELUDE**      **“O, How He Loves You and Me”**      arr., Fred Bock  
Piano/Organ Duet

### WELCOME AND PASSING GOD'S PEACE

*Please sign the attendance pad located at the end of your pew. Pass it down the row and then back. Use the yellow Prayer Cards in the pews to write your requests. Give them to one of the ushers at the prayer time.*

**PRAYER**      Karen Disegna

**THE PSALTER**      **Psalm 97**      Hymnal p. 816

**\*HYMN**      **“Happy the Home When God Is There”**      Hymnal #445

**FIRST NEW TESTAMENT READING**      Acts 16:16-34

**SECOND NEW TESTAMENT READING**  
Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21

**ANTHEM**      **“Order My Steps”**      Jack Schrader  
Praise Choir

### PRAYER TIME

**THE PASTORAL PRAYER**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**      Hymnal #895

Our Father, who 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 trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

### GIVING OF OUR GIFTS

**OFFERTORY**      **“Rain Forest Rhapsody”**      Carol Matz  
Piano: Bella Gasaway

**\*DOXOLOGY**      Hymnal #95  
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**\*HYMN**      **“He Touched Me”**      Hymnal #367

**THE GOSPEL READING**      John 17:20-26

**SERMON**      **“Praying for the Future Church”**      Pastor Dennis

**\*HYMN**      **“God Will Take Care of You”**      Hymnal #130

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE**      **“March in G Major”**      J.S. Bach

*\*Please stand if able*