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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**
and Rev. Judy Downing
Youth Directors: **Cindy Cooper and George Faust**
Music Director: **Rebecca Sopha**
Handbell Choir Director: **John Reed**
Water's Edge Praise Band Director: **Jac Russell**
Accompanist: **Rogene Lathouwers**

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11:00 AM



be with you.
As the Father has
sent me,
so I send you."

John 20:21, NRSV

Second Sunday of Easter

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

PRELUDE **“Because He Lives”** William Gaither/John Wilson
Piano/Organ Duet

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS 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 Phyllis Heimall

THE PSALTER Psalm 133 Hymnal p. 850

*HYMN **“Christ Is Risen”** Hymnal #307

THE NEW TESTAMENT READINGS
Acts 4:32-35
1 John 1:1-2:2

CHOIR ANTHEM **“How Deep the Father’s Love for Us”**
Townend/Shackley
Sung by 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 **“Dona Nobis Pacem (Grant Us Peace)”** W. A. Mozart

*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 **“Breathe on Me, Breath of God”** Hymnal #420

THE GOSPEL READING John 20:19-31

SERMON **“The Power to Forgive, and the Choices We Make”**
Pastor Dennis Bromley

*HYMN **“Trust and Obey”** Hymnal #467

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE **“Fugue in C Major”** J. S. Bach

**Please stand if able*