

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

**NURSERY.....Briona Carrier & Rachel Faust**  
**LITURGIST.....Max Schipper**  
**USHERS.....Friends of John Rodgers**  
**SOUND/VIDEO TECHNICIANS.....Wally Brown, Pat Shinn & 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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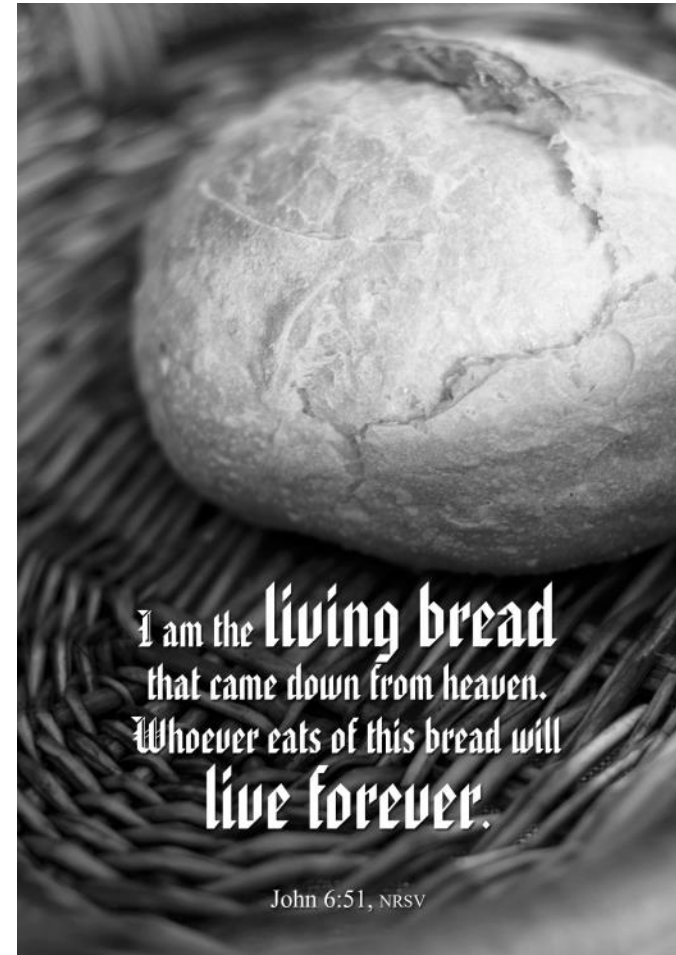
**WHY UMCL WEARS NAME TAGS:** Wearing a name tag helps us to know each other by name, not just by face. It helps visitors feel more comfortable to talk to others when they can call you by name. In addition, it helps our greeters identify visitors and people who may be looking for a church. If you would 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**  
Director of Christian Education: **Rev. Judy Downing**  
Office Managers: **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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**SUNDAY, AUGUST 12, 2018**  
**11:00 AM**



## Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

*The God of all times and seasons welcomes you, now and always. May the Word of God, heard and experienced, strengthen you this day.*

**PRELUDE** "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee"  
arr., Albin Whitworth

**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** Max Schipper

**THE PSALTER** Psalm 130 Hymnal p. 848

**\*HYMN** "To God Be the Glory" Hymnal #98

**THE OLD TESTAMENT READING** 2 Samuel 18:5-9, 15, 31-33

**THE NEW TESTAMENT READINGS** Ephesians 4:25-5:2

**SPECIAL MUSIC** "I Can Only Imagine" Bart Millard  
Soloist: Heidi Faust

### 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 "More Like You" Scott Wesley Brown

\*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 "Precious Lord, Take My Hand" Hymnal #474

**THE GOSPEL READING** John 6:35, 41-51

**SERMON** "Taught by God" Pastor Dennis

\*HYMN "God Be with You till We Meet Again"  
Hymnal #672, verse 1

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE "Allegro" Antonio Vivaldi

Everyone is invited to select your favorite hymn for the 11:00 am service Hymn Sing on September 30. Please put your selections in Becky Sopha's box in the church office or give them to the smiling volunteer at the desk. If you pick a hymn that is not in our hymnals, we will put words on the screens! Bring your singing friends, and we will raise the rafters up to heaven!