



**Crooks Memorial
United Methodist Church**
November 21, 2021, at 10:00 a.m.

Serving In Worship Today

Ushers/Greeters: Kay Locke and Hannah Barbery
A/V Coordinator: Allen Conway
Stream Team: Jim Pile, Chuck Eldred, Pete Prokup,
Kasey Landis, Elvin Ahl

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Refer to our weekly Enews, Church Website and/or Facebook page. You can subscribe to the Enews via the Connection Card or Church Website. If you do not have email access, contact the church office to be placed on our mailing list.



Our Mission:

To Make Disciples of Jesus Christ for the
Transformation of the World

Our Vision:

Making Space for God and Others

Our Values:

Worship † Faith † Family † Hospitality

Welcome to Worship

Cell phone and electronic devices: Please set to silence.
Connection Card: Helps us know you are here and helps you engage. Please complete and place it in the offering plate.
Hard of hearing or sight: Large print hymnals and listening devices are available from an usher.
We love children in worship! Worship Bags and books are located in the narthex. However, if needed, our staffed nursery is available for those three and under. Ask an usher for directions.
We record worship: As a ministry to those unable to be present, our worship service is livestreamed, recorded and posted to our website and social media sites.

Rev. Lisa Ann Barbery, Pastor
Rev. Sharma Lewis – Bishop
Rev. Charles F. Ledlum-Bates –
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Bold print indicates a congregational/unison reading.

Welcome

Prelude *“Holy Ground Medley”* Joyce Bailey
(*“Holy Ground”* by C. Beatty and *“Holy Ground”* by G. Davis)

Gathering Words

Opening Prayer

With thankful hearts we pause this day
to be reminded of our grandest hope:
that the calamities, the demands,
even the blessings of this world
do not have the last word.
You are the one who was and is,
and who is yet to come—
a ruler of a different kind.
Open our hearts to the comfort, the challenge
and the mystery of this good news.
In the name of Jesus Christ, your faithful witness,
we pray. Amen.

Hymn *“Come, Thou Almighty King”* UMH 61

Scripture Revelation 1:4b-8 and John 18:33-37 Tom Snively
(Pew Bible N.T. 230 and 106-107)
The Word of God for the People of God.
Thanks be to God.

Message Rev. Lisa Barbery

Hymn *“Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus”* UMH 349

Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer UMH 895

Our Response and Offering

Prayer of Offering

With gratitude for all the blessings you have poured into our lives, Lord Jesus, we offer our gifts to you that they may be used in service to those in need. Help us see how you call us each to share from the gifts of time, presence, prayer, skill, ability, and finance to be a blessing for others. Call us out of our apathy, our selfishness, our false insecurities knowing that you seek to reign in our lives and have our whole being committed to you. Bless all that we offer to you in this time of reflection so that they may truly be a blessing in your holy name. AMEN.

Special Music *“My Jesus, I Love Thee”*
(Composed by Gordon, arr. by C. Berry)

Hymn *“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”* UMH 154

Benediction

Postlude *“He is Exalted”*
(Composed by Twila Paris)



The rosebud on the altar is in honor of Maxwell Oliver Christiansen. Maxwell is the son of Todd and Alyssa Christiansen and grandson of Jan Christianson.