Welcome to Worship

May 1, 2022 | Order of Worship Sunday 3rd Sunday of Easter

Invitation and Gathering

Gathering, Welcome & Announcements: **Opening Hymn:** #399 Take My Life and Let It Be

Call to Worship

L: Christ asked Peter if he loved him.

P: Peter affirmed three times his love of the Lord.

L: Christ asks us if we love him.

P: We affirm our love of the Lord in our worship

L: Christ calls us to demonstrate our love in service.

P: Lord, help us to witness to your love in the ways in which we care for others. AMEN

Children's Message:

The Lord's Prayer

Loving the Wider World Through Our Sharing

Prayers of the People

Pastor: "Lord in Your Mercy,"
Congregational response: "Hear our prayer."

Pastoral Prayer

Prayer Response: #398 Jesus Calls Us

Proclamation and Response

Scripture: John 21:15-19

Sermon: Still Called Rev. Dale Ostema

The Offering: *Doxology: Hymn #95

Sending Forth

Benediction:

As you go out into the world, seek the presence of the Risen Christ in each other and in all of Creation.

May God give you joyful courage to follow the command of Jesus:

"Feed my lambs." "Tend my sheep."

Closing Hymn: #593 Here I Am (verses 1 & 3)

*Please stand as you are able Read in unison words printed in bolded type

Announcements

Sunday, May 8th at 2-4 pm: Mother's Day Tea Bring finger food to share and an under \$5 gift to exchange!

Wednesday, May 11th at 1pm: UMW meeting

Sunday, May 15th: UMW recognition in worship

Tuesday, May 17th at 7pm: Ad Board

Mission/Vision Statement

The mission of the Alden Community United Methodist Church is to CONNECT people to Christ, NURTURE them to spiritual maturity, and PREPARE them to go into the world to bear fruit and to set a Christian Example.

We will accomplish this by:

- Celebrating with heartfelt worship of God
- Pursuing individual Christ-centered growth
- Being a caring community for all
- Using our time, talents, and gifts for God's purpose
- Sharing the Word of God

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