

May 15, 2022 – 10 am Blended Service
Fifth Sunday of Easter
Confirmation Sunday
Order of Worship



WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING HYMN – *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* - #89 (all 4 verses)

PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

DISMISSAL TO CHILDREN’S CHURCH

HONORING OUR GRADUATES

Meredith Ballou, Palmer Boekhout, Ali Gill, Brock Martin, Maria Molinari

TIME OF GIVING

Offertory – *In the Cross of Glory* (Arr by Harold De Cou)

DOXOLOGY – “*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*” - #94

BAPTISMS

Bobbie Jean Fernandez, Natalie Jean Fernandez, Nicole Noemi Fernandez

CONFIRMATION

Caroline Jane Ballou, Natalie Jean Fernandez, Nicole Noemi Fernandez,
Lillia Joy Miller, Finn Gary Lee Smith, Madelyn Elizabeth Stewart

SCRIPTURE READINGS – Luke 2:21-22 and Acts 6:6b-7

MESSAGE – **Unstoppable Force**

CLOSING SONG – *10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord)*

BENEDICTION

“Let Your Light Shine”

ORGAN POSTLUDE – *The Church’s One Foundation* (Arr by James Mansfield)



Message Notes



Altar Flowers are shared today by PCUMC to Honor those being Confirmed, those being Baptized, and those Graduating! Congratulations to Everyone!

Sunday, May 15, 2022

Message – "Unstoppable Force"

- **10 am - Blended Worship Service**
- **11 am - Church Potluck and Vision Conversations (Bring a side dish or dessert to share. The meat will be provided by the church - smoked pork prepared by Steve Wegner and Lisi & Dick Stephens!!)**
- **No 5 pm Worship or Sunday Night Live Activities**

Looking Ahead

Monday 05/16- Mondays with the Minister at Price Chopper (See below)

Wed 05/18- C-3: Coffee, Cards & Conversation, 10 am to Noon in the Library

Wednesday 05/18 - Baccalaureate Service, 6:30 to 7:30 pm, at the High School

Wilson Auditorium. This event has returned after several years absence and is hosted by the local Village Fire (Ministerial Association).

Friday, May 20 - Memorial Service for Bill and Lisa Werline. Family visitation will be from 5 to 6:30 pm in Fellowship Hall, followed by the Memorial Service in the Sanctuary.

Sunday 05/22 - The last Sunday Night Live before summer. There will be a **"Scavenger Hunt for a Cause"** followed by an Ice Cream Social. Bring your favorite topping to share. The fun begins after dinner at 6:30 pm. See below.

**UPCOMING
EVENTS**

New Neighbor Welcome

Learn more about this new project at the Potluck and Vision Luncheon following Worship.





Mondays with the Minister

Each Monday in May from 1 to 3 pm, Pastor Robert will have office hours at the Price Chopper food court, next to Starbucks.

Please stop by during those times for a chat or word of prayer with him.

IGNITE **HOPE**

05/22 - How Strong is Your HOPE?
05/29 - Pray for People Who Need HOPE
06/05 - Pursue People Who Need HOPE (Pentecost)
06/12 - Prisoners of HOPE

Pastor Robert Sefrit
Platte City United Methodist Church

**New Message Series
begins next week!**

Scavenger Hunt for a Cause - May 22

Donations are still needed for two (2) of each of the items listed:

- Cans of chicken, other meats (spam/ham), beef stew, chili, baked beans, pears, pineapple, peaches, mixed fruit, tomato sauce
- Boxes of rice, cereal, crackers, graham crackers, granola bars, hamburger helper.

Sign up at the Connect Center, send an email or call the office. All items will need to be delivered to the church by Friday, May 20.



We are looking for volunteers to join our VBS team!

This year VBS will be July 11-14, from 6 to 8:30 pm.

The theme is **"Food Truck Party"**.

Check out the Connect Center for volunteer opportunities, contact Katie Shank or Carly Sefrit, email or call the office.

"How can we help those in Ukraine?"

The United Methodist Church has developed this information: "Resource for Learning About and Supporting Ukraine" which you can read at this site:

<https://www.moumethodist.org/resource/detail/resource-for-learning-about-and-supporting-ukraine-16379693>



We believe it is important to pray for one another.

With that in mind, our staff and prayer team will be praying for five families/individuals from our congregation each week with the goal of praying for each person in our congregation by name. As always, if you have prayer requests, you may complete a Prayer Request Card, contact the church or call/text Pastor Robert (816-813-8184).

Every Wednesday afternoon, the Prayer Chain email group receives a list of Prayer Requests and Concerns. If you would like to be a part of this Prayer Ministry, please send an email to or call the church office.

