

Prelude ~

Welcome & Announcements

Christ's Light Enters

(Please stand as you are able)

***Call to Worship**

Give praise to God, O heavenly beings!

Give praise to God's glory and strength.

Give God the glory due God's holy name.

Worship God in holy array.

The voice of God is powerful.

The voice of God is full of majesty.

May God give strength to the people of God!

May God bless the people with peace. (from Psalm 29)

* **Song of Praise** "Fairest Lord Jesus" #189

***Opening Prayer**

Savior God, guide us into the truth of your generous

love. When we try to exclude others from your

promise, forgive us and open our hearts to be as

generous and open with others as your Spirit is with

us. When we think ourselves righteous or judge others

to be condemned, forgive us and soften our hearts to be

as gentle and loving as Jesus was when he walked upon

this earth. Guide us to be people of true faith, blessed

to be a blessing, born anew to share your salvation

with all. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.

New Testament Reading Romans 8:12-17

Children's Moment

Gospel Reading John 3:1-17

Sermon "How to Change a Pharisee"

Pastor Melanie Adams

Response Song "Just a Closer Walk" #2158

Time of Prayer

(Where have you seen God's presence? What joys and concerns are in your hearts and minds?)

Lord's Prayer #895

Offertory with meditation song

***Doxology** #94

***Offertory Prayer [Unison]**

Loving God, as you have shown us your amazing sufficient grace, we give these gifts freely and joyfully so that we might be instruments of that grace. May our giving and our service glorify you. Amen.

Closing Song "America, The Beautiful" #696

***Our Purpose**

What is our purpose?

To provide a place for all to BELONG to our community,

BELIEVE in and experience the transforming love of Jesus

Christ, and BECOME his disciples.

BELONG! BELIEVE! BECOME!

***Benediction**

Postlude ~



PRAYERS

Please see the Prayer Board outside the office for ongoing prayer requests.

Pray for our congregation: For the ministry of making, nurturing, and sending out of disciples; because we believe that God's Love is the answer for the most difficult questions of our world today. Jesus changes lives!

7:40 Prayer initiative



Set your phones to remind yourself to stop at 7:40 am and/or 7:40 pm each day to pray for our Church and the mission and ministry we are called to do.

Events this week in church:

Sunday, May 30, 2021

9:30am Crusaders
9:30am Searchers
10:30am Worship Service

Tuesday, June 1, 2021

7:00pm Trustees

Wednesday, June 2, 2021

5:00pm Sitting with Jesus

Sunday, June 6, 2021

9:30am Crusader
9:30am Searchers
10:30am Worship Service



MEMORIAL DAY SERVICE

MONDAY, MAY 31, 2021 AT 11:00AM
AMERICAN LEGION POST

ALL HELP NEEDED AT CEMETERY :
SOUTHWEST CORNER

SATURDAY, MAY 29 ~ PUT UP SMALL FLAGS
MONDAY, MAY 31, 2021 8:00AM FLAGS GO UP
MONDAY, MAY 31, 2021 DOWN AT 4:00PM
FOLD FLAGS AT THE AMERICAN LEGION POST HOME!

Welcome to our guests! We are glad you are here. We hope you were blessed by your experience at First United Methodist Church this morning and will tell a friend.



Concordia Lutheran Church
325 East 8th St.
Concordia, Kansas

Saturday, June 19th

9:30am Registration/Breakfast

Fun Begins at 10:00am
Finale 1:40pm...
Closing Prayer 2:00pm
(Parents Welcomed for Finale)

Breakfast and Lunch Provided

Sponsored by:
Concordia Lutheran Church,
First Presbyterian Church
& First United Methodist Church

* For more information contact a sponsoring church*



May 30, 2021

First United Methodist Church

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Rev. Melanie Adams, Pastor

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN THE CONGREGATIONS OF
TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

&

CONCORDIA FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
OF CONCORDIA, KANSAS

AT A

RETIREMENT LUNCHEON IN HONOR OF
REV. MELANIE ADAMS
JUNE 13TH
11:45AM

PLEASE JOIN US FOR LUNCH AND CAKE
AT THE BROADWAY PLAZA!

CHECK OUT THE JUNE NEWSLETTER FOR MORE INFORMATION!

