

Calendar of Events

Sun., May 13th		Ascension Sunday Mothers' Day Golden Cross Sunday
	10:30 a.m.	Choir sings @ V
Tues., May 15th	6:00 p.m.	Finance Mtg. @ V
	6:30 p.m.	Council @ V
Wed., May 16th	3:30 p.m.	Church School-V
	6:00 p.m.	Choir Practice @ V
Fri., May 18th	6:03 p.m.	Prayer Vigil—Graduates 1:00 a.m. to midnight Clown Crew Show
Sat., May 19th		Armed Forces Day
Sun., May 20th	10:30 a.m.	Day of Pentecost Choir sings @ V Confirmation Class Graduation Fortney Meal—LP
	10:30 a.m.	Choir sings @ V
Wed., May 23rd	3:30 p.m.	Church School
	6:00 p.m.	Choir Practice @ V

Prayer List: Carol H., Robert P., Mae O., Orvin G., Ron S., Brian G., Joyce F., Gloria F., Janice P., Peter G., Barb R., Janet P., Ramona A., Sharon D., Evelyn W., Family of Iva Cade

Viroqua UMC offers two adult Bible Study classes from 9:00-10:00 a.m., every Sunday @ V.



LIBERTY POLE UMC

VIROQUA UMC

USHERS

Paul & Sonja Bjerkos

GREETERS

David Peterson

LITURGIST

Paul Adams

Janet Welch

LAST SUNDAY'S ATTENDANCE

26

49

LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING

\$875.00

\$1,928.00

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Ascension Sunday—Mothers Day Sunday
Golden Cross Sunday

May 13th, 2018

Mother's Day Sunday - Ascension Sunday

Liberty Pole UMC Worship Service-Sunday, 9:00 A.M.

Viroqua UMC Worship Service-Sunday, 10:30 A.M.

Please turn off all cell phones and electronics.

**Please stand if you are able.

PRELUDE "THE GIFT OF LOVE" Arr. By: Hal Hopson

(A time to prepare for worship through prayer and meditation.)

WELCOMING WORDS, ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Please sign the attendance sheets.)

INTROIT VUMC CHOIR

**HYMN OF PRAISE "OUR PARENT BY WHOSE NAME" UMH No. 447

CALL TO WORSHIP PSALM 1 RSP. 1 UMH No. 738

**OPENING PRAYER

God of all grace and blessing, grant that your face may shine upon us, that your way may be made known, and your people may praise you. Pour out your blessings upon all mothers. Guide them and bless them. *Amen.*

CHILDREN'S TIME

Children leave for Sunday School @ LP

SPECIAL MUSIC VUMC CHOIR

NEW TESTAMENT READING ACTS 1:15-26 LP-PEW BIBLE No. 882

V-PEW BIBLE NO. 1317

NEW TESTAMENT READING 1 JOHN 5:7-13 LP-PEW BIBLE No. 988

V-PEW BIBLE NO. 1497

HYMN "HAPPY THE HOME" (REMAIN SEATED) UMH No. 445

**GOSPEL JOHN 13:34-25 LP-PEW BIBLE No. 875

V-PEW BIBLE NO. 1303

L: THIS IS THE WORD OF GOD FOR THE PEOPLE OF GOD.

P: THANKS BE TO GOD.

SERMON "MOTHER IS THE WORD FOR LOVE"

JOYS AND CONCERNS, PASTORAL PRAYER, LORD'S PRAYER

UMH No. 895

L: Lord, in your mercy,

P: HEAR OUR PRAYER.

OFFERING "GROSSER GOTT" Arr. By: Paul Manz

**DOXOLOGY

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.*

**OFFERTORY PRAYER

**CLOSING HYMN "GIFT OF LOVE" UMH No. 408

**BENEDICTION IN UNISON:

As you leave here today, leave with glad hearts and generous minds. Leave with Christ's teaching within your spirit so that you may minister to those without love and without hope. In the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

**BENEDICTION RESPONSE "SHALOM TO YOU" UMH No. 666

POSTLUDE "JOYFUL, JOYFUL WE ADORE THEE" ARR. BY: RICHARD ELLSASSER

The flowers on the altar are given by Jim Porter in loving memory of his mother Della Porter.

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!