

Gathering & Welcoming God's Presence

Prelude **Jean Okuye**
GREETINGS **Ida Escola**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. *Covenant @10am on Wednesdays in person or via zoom*
2. For those who are interested, the "One Bible in 365 Days" daily Bible reading schedule for the rest of the year is on the back of this bulletin.
3. Homeless feeding last Friday of the month @ 6:30.
Contribution and helps needed. Talk to Merlin or Pastor Kalo
4. Vacation Bible School from June 17th to June 21st from 8am to noon. Need volunteers and contributions are appreciated.
5. Adult Bible Studies -- Sundays @9:30am
6. Zoom Bible Study –with Lucy Kishaba every other Thursday@1:00 pm

OPENING PRAYER: New every morning is your love, great God of light, and all day long you are working for good in the world. Stir up in us desire to serve you, to live peacefully with our neighbors, and to devote each day to your Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Come to Christ, that living stone, rejected by the world, but in God's sight chosen and precious.

People: We have responded to Christ's call, and seek to be built into a spiritual house, a living reminder of God's presence on earth.

Leader; Once we were no people, but now we are God's people,

called out of the darkness into God's marvelous light. Therefore, we sing with the Church in all ages.

People: Blessed be your name, O God, our Redeemer. By your mercy we have been born anew to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.

OPENING HYMN; "Come thou Almighty King" v 1-4
UMH#61

LUMC's Vision Statement:

"Show God's love by accepting, supporting, and serving all people." Matthew 25:35,36,40

TIME TO SHARE OUR JOY AND CONCERN

PASTORAL PRAYER **Pastor Kalo**

The Lord's Prayer (in unison)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

OFFERING

DOXOLOGY

UMH#95

OFFERTORY PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC/UKULELE BAND

Children Ministry

Reflection hymn: "Breathe on Me, Breath of God" v 1-4

UMH#420

SCRIPTURE

Mark 2:23-3:6

SERMON: "Jesus is Lord of the Sabbath" **Pastor Kalo**

HOLY COMMUNION

*CLOSING HYMN "Shalom to You" 2x. UMH#666

*BENEDICTION:

*POSTLUDE

June 04	<u>2. John 4-6</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	June 05	<u>I John 4:7-10</u>
June 06	<u>I John 4:11-21</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	June 07	<u>I John 5:6-12</u>
June 08	<u>Psalms 18:1-6</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	June 09	<u>Rom. 9:6-16</u>
June 10	<u>Exo. 3:13-20</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>		

SCRIPTURE READING **Mark 2:23-3:6**

²³ One Sabbath Jesus was going through the grainfields, and as his disciples walked along, they began to pick some heads of grain. ²⁴ The Pharisees said to him, "Look, why are they doing what is unlawful on the Sabbath?" ²⁵ He answered, "Have you never read what David did when he and his companions were hungry and in need? ²⁶ In the days of Abiathar the high priest, he entered the house of God and ate the consecrated bread, which is lawful only for priests to eat. And he also gave some to his companions." ²⁷ Then he said to them, "The Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath. ²⁸ So the Son of Man is Lord even of the Sabbath."

3 Another time Jesus went into the synagogue, and a man with a shriveled hand was there. ² Some of them were looking for a reason to accuse Jesus, so they watched him closely to see if he would heal him on the Sabbath. ³ Jesus said to the man with the shriveled hand, "Stand up in front of everyone." ⁴ Then Jesus asked them, "Which is lawful on the Sabbath: to do good or to do evil, to save life or to kill?" But they remained silent. ⁵ He looked around at them in anger and, deeply distressed at their stubborn hearts, said to the man, "Stretch out your hand." He stretched it out, and his hand was completely restored. ⁶ Then the Pharisees went out and began to plot with the Herodians how they might kill Jesus.

Reader: This is the Word of God **Congregation:** Thanks be to God

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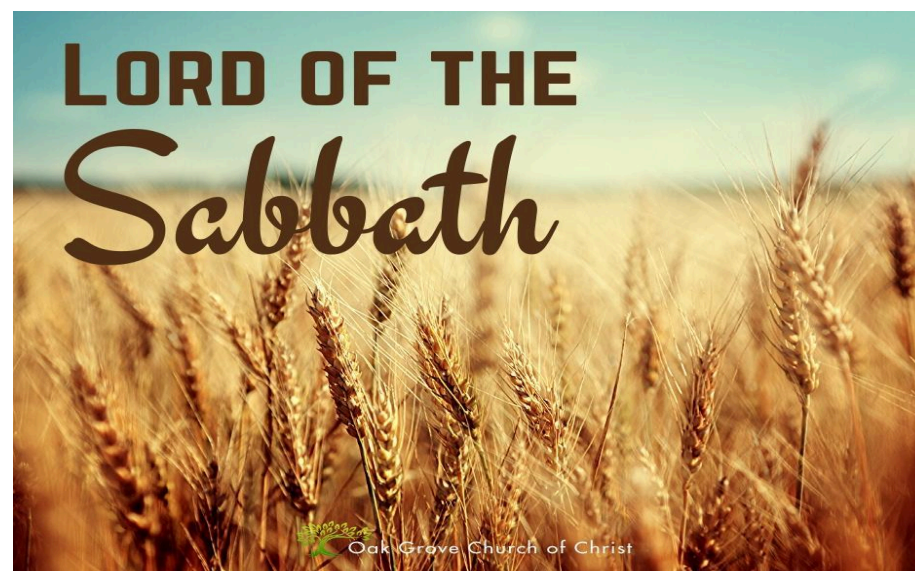
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2nd Sunday after Pentecost

June 2, 2024

Sunday Worship 10:30 am

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