### Gathering

Processional

Pastor's Moment and announcements

Announcements (See below)

The All Church Memory Verse of the Month:

### \*Call to Worship

## (Call & Response)

Leader: Holy Source of New Life, you promise to set us free from paths of fear, doubt, and denial.

People: Yet we resist your invitation, seeing only what we must give up if we are to follow the path of Jesus.

Leader: You call us to have faith in your sustaining presence and power, but your call takes us beyond anything we can see or touch.

## People: We fear placing our trust in things beyond our control.

Leader: We doubt that you can bring water to the dry places of our lives or replace our suffering with joy.

**People: Forgive us when we turn away from your promise of abundant life.** Heal us and lead us home, Holy One. Amen.

**\*Opening Hymn:** Joy to the World - UMH 246

# \*Opening Prayer

Heavenly Father, you have done great things for us. In the life and teaching of your Son Jesus, you welcome us into your heart, you call us your children. Help us open our hearts to others, that we may be ever more willing to offer ourselves in your name to those in need, those who are walking in darkness, or those who need a comforting arm. We ask this in your holy name. Amen.

Pastor Jan Shaulis

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Responsive Reading Psalm 46: 1-7 UMH 780

\*Gloria Patri Pg. 70

## **Proclamation and Response**

*Scripture R	eading: John 1:1-14	
Children's 1	Moment	
Message	"Who is Jesus"	

#### Shaulis

ThanksgivingThe Communion HymnLet Us Break Bread Together - UMH 618The Great ThanksgivingUMH Page 15

### Joys & Concerns of God's People Pastoral Prayer The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, which 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 have trespassed against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom and power and the glory forever, AMEN

*Offertory* \**The Doxology* – UMH 95

### Prayer of Dedication

\* *Closing Hymn:* My Faith Looks Up to Thee - UMH 452 Benediction

# CHURCH CALENDAR

Monday April 14, 7:00 pm – Ad Board meeting

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Mission of The Month for April is Rosecrance Kinley Charity Care Fund. Rosecrance is a provider of behavioral health services with addiction treatment programs. Rosecrance serves clients at locations across Illinois, Wisconsin and Iowa. The Kinley Fund provides charity care to reduce financial barriers to treatment, and supports special programs including those for veterans, first responders and mental health programs and support for our most vulnerable clients. The Kinley Fund has provided more than &7million in charity care to patients since it was established in 1984.

Please make checks payable to "Reynolds Church" with UMCOR or "M.O.M." in the memo line and drop your donation any Sunday or mail to Penny Bennett. Thank you. Missions Team

It's hard to believe but graduation time will be here in just a couple of months. If you know anyone who is graduating from PK, 8<sup>th</sup> grade, High School, or college please give the names and addresses to Rhonda Brown. We will send a card to each graduate signed by the people of Reynolds

<u>Joy Camp information</u> Joy camp is scheduled for June 22<sup>nd</sup>-June 28<sup>th</sup>. To find out more information go to the website: <u>www.joycamp.org</u>

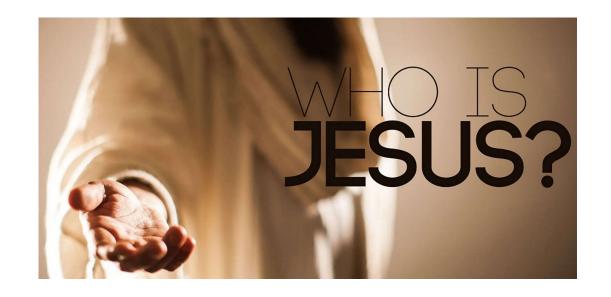
Submit items for the Newsletter to the Church office by April 28, 2025

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Offering for:

Church Fund: \$1,323.00 MOM. \$175.00



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