TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

ASCENSION OF THE LORD | SATURDAY, MAY 16, 2026

ORDER OF WORSHIP

GATHERING AND WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Look to the heavens, people of God.
See the power of the Most High God.
Christ ascends to heaven in glory.
Shout to God with cries of joy.
Clap your hand, children of Love incarnate.
Sing praises to God, our king.

*HYMN *Jesus Shall Reign* UMH 157 vv 1, 4 & 5

*GOSPEL LESSON Luke 24:44-53

MESSAGE *Not Left Alone* Rev. Bobbie Maltas

THE OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY "*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*" UMH #95

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.

*OFFERING PRAYER

O God, for your power and might, we praise you. For your love and mercy, we thank you. For giving us your Spirit and your every blessing, we honor you with our lives and gifts. Received from our hand the fruit of our industry, in ministry to a world in need of your glory. In the name of the one who ascended to heaven, that we might have fullness of life here on earth, we pray. **Amen.**

*HYMN *Crown Him with Many Crowns* UMH 327 vv 1 & 4

*BENEDICTION

Go from this place into the world to be the people of God to do the ministry that God has entrusted to us by the power of the Holy Spirit.

*TAKING THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD POSTLUDE

*Please stand if you are able. **The congregation reads bold text.**

Are you our guest in worship tonight?
Welcome! We're glad you're here.

Scheduled Events

May 20	9:00a	Accountant Here
May 20	4:00p	Mary's Circle
May 20	5:30p	Baccalaureate at FUMC of FD
May 25		Office Closed for Memorial Day
May 26	5:30p	Cal Hamster Circuit Meeting at FUMC FD
May 27	9:15a	Ruth's Circle
May 28	5:00p	SPPRC Meeting
May 29	3:00p	GAB Sale (ends at 6:00p)
May 31	10:45a	Ministry Celebration for Laura Stover