

Waupun
United Methodist Church
August 25, 2024
Sunday worship – 9:00 a.m.

“THE WORDS THAT I HAVE
SPOKEN TO YOU ARE



spirit
and life.”

JOHN 6:63

Welcome to worship.
May you find the presence of God wherever you are.

At the * sign, please stand as you are able.

Bold print = Congregational

Prelude

Welcome

Musical Call to Worship

***Call to Worship**

God calls us to life, joy, and peace through Jesus.

We come to be filled with the very life of our God!

Many things tempt us, but they do not satisfy.

Even the good gifts of creation are fleeting.

Only God can fill the hunger in our deepest being.

We long for God. We desire God above all.

***Opening Hymn**

Red #600

on supplement

“Wonderful Words of Life”

***Opening Prayer**

We praise you, O God, because you call us to eternal life through Jesus. Through him you show us the path we must follow to find joy and peace everlasting. Help us to find the courage to follow him even when the way is difficult. Amen.

Message from/for the Children

“Where Else Would We Go?”

Bible Reading

John 6:56-69

⁶ Anyone who eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me, and I in him. ⁵⁷ I live because of the living Father who sent me; in the same way, anyone who feeds on me will live because of me. ⁵⁸ I am the true bread that came down from heaven. Anyone who eats this bread will not die as your ancestors did (even though they ate the manna) but will live forever.”

⁵⁹ He said these things while he was teaching in the synagogue in Capernaum.

⁶⁰ Many of his disciples said, “This is very hard to understand. How can anyone accept it?”

⁶¹ Jesus was aware that his disciples were complaining, so he said to them, “Does this offend you? ⁶² Then what will you think if you see the Son of Man ascend to heaven again? ⁶³ The Spirit alone gives eternal life. Human effort accomplishes nothing. And the very words I have spoken to you are spirit and life. ⁶⁴ But some of you do not believe me.” (For Jesus knew from the beginning which ones didn’t believe, and he knew who would betray him.) ⁶⁵ Then he said, “That is why I said that people can’t come to me unless the Father gives them to me.”

⁶⁶ At this point many of his disciples turned away and deserted him. ⁶⁷ Then Jesus turned to the Twelve and asked, “Are you also going to leave?”

⁶⁸ Simon Peter replied, “Lord, to whom would we go? You have the words that give eternal life. ⁶⁹ We believe, and we know you are the Holy One of God. New Living Translation (NLT)

Pastor’s Message

“Three Options”

Tithes and Offerings

***Song of Thanksgiving** **Black #2031** **on screen** **“We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise”**

*Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People

Joys, Praise and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Announcements

***Closing Hymn Red #714 on supplement vs. 1-3 “I Know Whom I Have Believed”**

***Blessing/Dismissal**

In life, in death,
in life beyond death,
God is with us.
We are not alone.
Thanks be to God. Amen.

Today's Worship Ministers:	All of us – wherever we are
Tech Operators:	Brady Bronson and Val Dolgner
Pianist:	Sue Rens Guell
Worship Leader/Preacher:	Pastor Steve Miller
Coffee hour host:	Marcia Schaub
Counters:	Deb White and Jeanne Ludjack

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Monday, August 26: SPRC – 10:00

Wednesday, August 28: Nominations – 10:00

Thursday, August 29: Worship Committee – 10:15




August – Peanut butter & Jelly
September – Breakfast foods

INTENSIVE PRAYER LIST

Lois Bentley Mike Duer Joyce Brown
Tammy Kasuboski Bob Bradley Ray Dolgner
Ryan Giese Jerry Kok Marion Dolgner
Those impacted by war in Ukraine For peace in the Mideast

Remember our homebound:

Hillside Manor, Beaver Dam: Joyce Berry
Home in Waupun: Dean and Karen Starks
Prairie Place, Ripon: Elaine Stanton
Prairie Ridge, Waupun: Betty Buchholz, Phyllis McDowell

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