



**Come Celebrate!!**

## OVERLOOK AT CRYSTAL LAKE

Thursday, July 28th

4:00 p.m. ~ Ribbon Cutting Ceremony (Overlook Folks)

5:00 p.m. ~ Food Truck and Events.

Grace UMC's Board Members will be handing out a welcome package and gift to tenants on behalf of the church. Stop on over and help offer a smile and a welcome to our new neighbors.

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY:

Park Nicollet Methodist Hospice is now providing training for new volunteers. They would provide much-needed respite to family caregivers of a terminally ill loved one as well as provide companionship to the person affected. This may include letter writing, active listening, baking, crafts, or walks outside. The opportunities are as unique as the people you will be supporting. You may see folks in their own homes, in a nursing home or assisted living. We also have an active veteran visiting program and are always looking volunteers for this specific need.

Commitment is a maximum of four hours per week, but it can be less. No worries if you winter away. We can accommodate.

If interested please call Colleen Hass at 952-234-0594 or e-mail: Colleen.Hass@parknicollet.com. Thank you for your interest.

**WORSHIP HELPERS:** Serving us **TODAY** ~ Greeter: Suanne Turner; Usher: Rhonda Brown; Sound: Roy Koenigsberg; Liturgist: Lynn Kilian;

**WORSHIP HELPERS:** Serving us **July 31st** ~ Greeter: Addie Benjamin; Usher: Rick Fossum; Sound: Joel Hartle; Liturgist: Bill Macklin;

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Our Mission: To serve and unite those we touch with the Grace of God.

Our Vision: Transforming lives to become the heart, hands and feet of Jesus in the world.

\*Please stand as you are able in body or spirit.  
Wearing of masks is optional.

July 24, 2022

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

9:00 a.m. Service



Prelude

“Here I am, Lord”

- Schutte/Carter

Greeting

**\*Call to Worship**

The Spirit of the Lord calls us here.

**He calls the babes in arms that they may know boundless love from all those in his family.**

She calls the young ones so they can learn from the experience and wisdom of others.

**He calls all women and men to be supported by each other and given the opportunity to share their skills with all.**

She calls those in the autumn of their lives, so they may be invigorated and re-energized by the young, filled with new ideas and a zest for life.

**The Spirit of the Lord calls all to share in his love. We respond with our worship.**

**\*Opening Hymn #145/UMH** “Morning Has Broken” verses 1 thru 3

**Opening Prayer - *in Unison***

God of miracles and transformations, break through our distractions. Slow us down. Bring us present into your Presence. Speak your divine love into our hearts. Help us to feel the revelations in your world, and move us to strengthen our bonds with neighbors, community, and families. In the name of the resurrected Savior. Amen.

**Special Music** “Peace Canon” - Donald Moore  
Duet, Patricia Swanson and Lynn Kilian

**Centering Prayer/Time of Silence**

**Scripture** Luke 10:38-42 MSG translation

As they continued their travel, Jesus entered a village. A woman by the name of Martha welcomed him and made him feel quite at home. She had a sister, Mary, who sat before the Master, hanging on every word he said. But Martha was pulled away by all she had to do in the kitchen. Later, she stepped in, interrupting them. “Master, don’t you care that my sister has abandoned the kitchen to me? Tell her to lend me a hand.”

The Master said, “Martha, dear Martha, you’re fussing far too much and getting yourself worked up over nothing. One thing only is essential, and Mary has chosen it—it’s the main course, and won’t be taken from her.”

**Meditation** Pastor Amanda Lunemann

**Hymn #399 /UMH** “Take My Life and Let it Be” verses 1 and 3

**Time of Prayer**

**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, thy 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. Amen.

**Offering**

**Offertory** “Sicilana” - Handle/Wolff

**Offertory Prayer - *in Unison***

It is with grateful hearts we thank you - O God - for bringing us into your family through Jesus, your Son. With love and thanksgiving, we give to you now these offerings, that

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they might be used for the building of your kin-dom and the flourishing of your gospel. Now and evermore. Amen.

**\*Hymn TFWS #2123** “Loving Spirit” verses 1 and 4

**Benediction**

**\*Song of Peace** Go in peace, my friend, till we meet again.  
May God’s blessing be on you, may you be a blessing too.  
May God’s Spirit burning bright, be your ever-guiding light.  
God go with you, making all things new.

**Postlude** “Allegro” - arr. Corellii

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**ATTENTION**

Quarterly statements are in your mailboxes. Please take the time to pick them up. Those not picked up will be mailed the first week of August. Thank you.



**TODAY** following the 9:00 a.m. service in Fellowship Hall

***Please join us.***

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**RUTH VOLL CIRCLE PICNIC**

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 27, 2022 ~ 1:00—3:00 P.M.**

at Marilyn Oliphants Home  
20193 Kensington Way, Lakeville, MN

We would like to invite any church members (spouses included) to join us for our annual picnic. Please bring a dish to share and what you would like to drink. Please RSVP to Lynn Kilian at 651-315-1647 if you plan on attending. More people more fun.

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To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven.