

**THE ORDER OF WORSHIP
ENTRANCE**

GATHERING

PRELUDE

“How Beautiful”
Celebration Ringers

Twila Paris
arr. P. Bettcher

WELCOME

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful.

And kindle in them the fire of your love.

Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created.

And you will renew the face of the earth.

*ACT OF PRAISE 70 UMH Gloria Patri

*HYMN 77 UMH “How Great Thou Art”

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE Pastor Jan

OPENING PRAYER OF CELEBRATION AND CONCERN

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

NEW TESTAMENT READING 1 Peter 2:2-10

GOSPEL READING John 14:15-21 Amber Belcher

ANTHEM “Precious Lord, Take My Hand” Thomas Dorsey
Bill Bondurant, clarinet arr. Anna L. Page
New Spirit Ringers

CONGREGATIONAL BELLS “Blessed Assurance”

SERMON *Discovering Jesus: Seeking God’s Counsel*
Jan Nicholson Angle

CONFIRMATION &
RECEPTION INTO MEMBERSHIP 33UMH

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY 95 UMH

SENDING FORTH

*HYMN 593 UMH “Here I Am Lord”

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

****Congregation invited to stand as you are able.***



*The flowers on the altar today are given to the
glory of God in honor of Delores Smith for her giving
nature and faithful service to God and Grove UMC
by Diane Christian.*

Prayer Request

Please provide information below:

Person placing the request:

Prayer Requested for:

Name:

*Their Need :*_____

*Are they family, friend,
co-worker or neighbor?*

YES or NO

*May we share your prayer
request in our bulletins and
newsletters?*

YES or NO

*Email:*_____

*Phone:*_____



TO GROVE

We Are Glad You Are Here!

Today you will experience Christ-centered worship and fellowship. Want to know more about our ministries and opportunities? Your ushers, members and pastor are here to assist you. Welcome to Grove!

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Chris Dunn	Carolee Bondurant
Bob Surber	Jim Radford
Shannon Nelson	Jim Keffer
Pattie Crawford	Corene Simms
Amy Black	Sam Belcher
Jim & Sonya Nicely	Frankie Cook
Diane Pryor	Drew DeHart
Renie Price	Ovella Wade
Mildred Wall	Shirley Alley
Doug Fitzpatrick	Those homebound
Becky Ritter	Those in assisted living

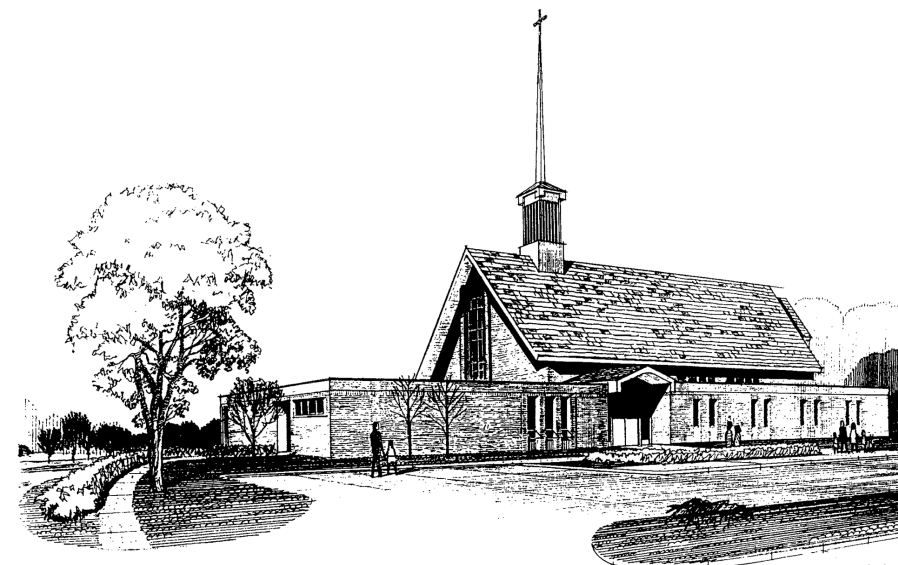
SERVING TODAY

USHERS.....	Betsy Hagan, Banjo Williamson
LITURGIST.....	Carla Russell
SECOND LITURGIST.....	Amber Belcher
SOUND TECHNICIAN.....	Jim Radford
ALTAR GUILD.....	Jean Carson & Carla Russell
COUNTERS.....	Linda Clifford, Susan Boggess & Delores Smith
NURSERY.....	Dana Watson & Diane Christian
ACOLYTE.....	Natalie Schepisi

Grove United Methodist Church

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May 14, 2023
Sixth Sunday of Easter
10:00 am



Rev. Dr. Jan Nicholson Angle
Minister

Cell 540-589-9118

Pat Brown
Organist

Rev. Dr. Joe Borden
Chancel Choir Director

Libby Watts
Handbell Choir Director

Donna Alley
Finance Assistant

Lynn Wright
Custodian

Dana E. Watson
Administrative Assistant

Jim Harrison
Pianist

Ila Schepisi
Deacon in Residence

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