

Springfield United Methodist Church
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SUN 5/3	9:00 am	Sandwich Ministry	Kitchen
	10:30 am	Divine Worship	Sanctuary
	11:30 am	Coffee Hour	Welcome Center
	11:45 am	Children & Youth Choir	Sanctuary
	2:00 pm	Greenspring Worship	Garden Ridge
TUES 5/5	10:00 am	Morning Prayer	Zoom
WED 5/6	7:00 pm	Timbrel Ringers	Sanctuary
	8:00 pm	NarAnon	Welcome Center
THURS 5/7	8:00 am	National Day of Prayer	Zoom
	6:00 pm	Kids' Ministry Meeting	Zoom
	7:30 pm	Sanctuary Choir	Choir Room
	8:00 pm	National Day of Prayer	Zoom
SAT 5/9	11:00 am	Ladies Tea	Welcome Center

AA meets every day at 6 am in the Hospitality Center.

Welcome

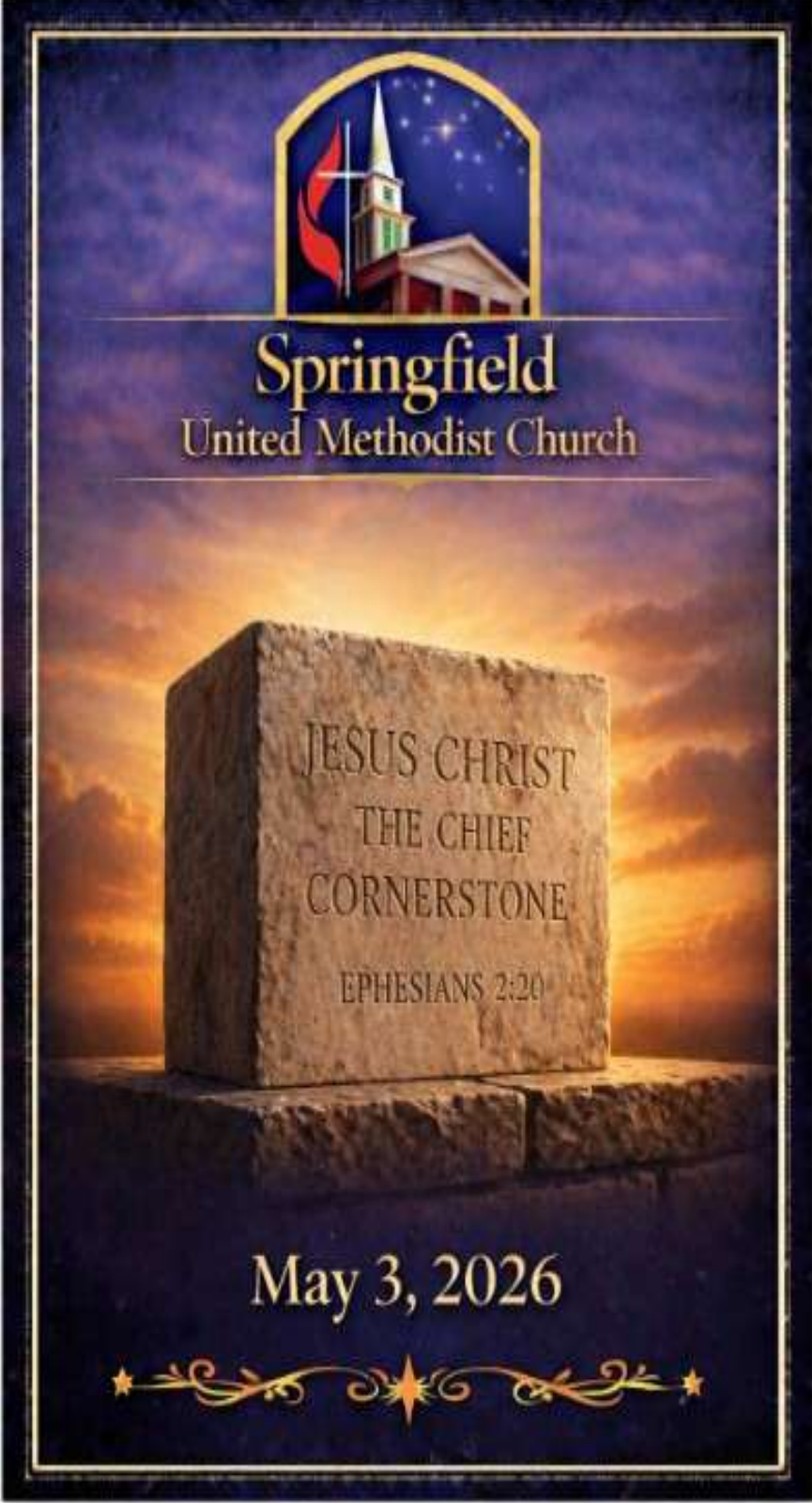
Welcome to worship! We are grateful you are here today. Your presence enriches our community and helps prepare your heart and spirit for the week ahead. If this is your first time with us, please stop by the Welcome Center to receive a gift. We also invite you to stay after worship for coffee and conversation with clergy and fellow disciples. If you would like more information about the church or would like someone to pray with you, please email office@springfieldumc.com or give us a call. God bless you!



Inclusivity Statement

Springfield United Methodist Church believes that all individuals are of sacred worth without regard to gender, gender identity or sexual orientation, ethnic background or national origin, age, physical or mental ability, marital status, economic condition, faith history, family makeup, or anything else which threatens to divide God’s family. By following examples set by Christ, we endeavor to make justice, inclusivity, and diversity a reality in this congregation and the world. We welcome all people, without exception, to worship, serve, and participate fully in the life of the church.

Ministers: *All the people of Springfield United Methodist Church*
Lead Pastor: Rev. Dr. DeLishia A. Davis
Associate Pastor: Rev. Wm. R. “Mac” McKenney
Office Manager: Jean Hmara
Interim Preschool Director: Mae Daly
Music Director: Dr. Linda Monson
Organist: Allan Weberg, C.A.G.O.
Handbell Director: Mindi Riffer
Children's Ministry Coordinator: Geneva Tatem
Nursery: Rania Abu-Taleb & Darlene Griffith
Ushers: Earle Mitchell, Antonio Peralta & Meredith Weberg
Audio Visual Ministry: Dave Endicott, Dean Quick, & Benjamin Dane



May 3, 2026
Fifth Sunday of Easter

*Please stand as you are able + No movement during this time

GATHERING MUSIC J. S. Bach
Prelude and Fugue in A Major

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE He Lives! Arr. Monson

*CALL TO WORSHIP Nathan Dally
Leader: Let us offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God,
through Jesus Christ our risen Lord.
People: Alleluia! Thanks be to God!

*HYMN UMH #545 AURELIA
The Church's One Foundation

+ PRAYER OF CONFESSION Pastor Mac McKenney
**Almighty God, your word offers freedom from sin, but we
confess that we have not obeyed your word. We have
harbored malice toward our enemies; we have been
deceitful in our relationships; we have been insincere in our
commitments; through gossip we have slandered our
friends. Forgive us our sins and lead us to genuine
repentance. Help your children long for your pure, spiritual
milk that we may grow into the joy of salvation through
Jesus Christ. Amen.**

WORDS OF ASSURANCE
Sisters and brothers, once you were not a people, but now you
are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now
you have received mercy. In the name of Jesus Christ, we are
forgiven. **Amen**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

ANTHEM Hymn of Gladness Craig Courtney
Sanctuary Choir

+ PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION
**Almighty God, through your only Son you overcame death
and opened to us the light of eternity. Enlighten our minds
and kindle our hearts with the presence of your Spirit, that
we may hear your words of comfort and challenge in the
reading of the scriptures, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

SCRIPTURE LESSON Page 233 1 Peter 2:2-10
The Word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

+SERMON Pastor DeLishia A. Davis
Spiritual Architecture

*HYMN Cornerstone Arr. Joel Mott

+ PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
God of resurrection,
Hear our prayer.

HOLY COMMUNION 23rd Psalm Henry Smart
Cynthia Tashjian and Teresa Pohlman, sopranos

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plates or give online at www.sumc-cares.org

*HYMN UMH #368 THE SOLID ROCK
My Hope Is Built

*BENEDICTION

ORGAN POSTLUDE J. Walther
God, Our Father, Dwells Within



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Prayers and Readings
May 3 – May 10, 2026

See the Springfield Connection for more information

Gracious and justice-seeking God,
we give thanks for the gift of ministry opened
to women and all whom You call. Let us
remember that Your Spirit equips people of
every gender, every age, and every identity,
so that no one is silenced, excluded, or diminished.
Shape us into a Church that celebrates each
person's gifts with joy, equity, and shared purpose.
Renew us as a community that learns together,
serves together and transforms together. We pray
in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

- Rev. Hyewon "Sophia" Carno, GCSRW Board Member,
Associate Pastor of First United Methodist Church (FUMC) at
the Chicago Temple, Northern Illinois Annual Conference



May 7 - National Day of Prayer
May 9 - Ladies' Tea
May 10 - Mother's Day Worship
May 24 - Day of Pentecost
June 14 - Annual Children's Day
Jul 13 – Jul 17 – Vacation Bible School

For audio/hearing assistance, see the A/V desk.
Large print Bibles, bulletins, and hymnals are
available in the back of the sanctuary.

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UMH – United Methodist Hymnal
TFWS- The Faith We Sing