THE WORSHIP CELEBRATION OF THE CHURCH gathered as Lincoln Road United Methodist Church – Riverdale, MI Sunday, October 6, 2024- 9:45 a.m. – World Communion Ministers: The Rev'd Dr. Steven Young (PS) & All of Us "Growing in God's Love" is our vision

Please fill out a pew rack Prayer Request/'...Connected' card

WELCOME/Shoutout to Onliners (\*please stand as able ∠)

CANDLELIGHTING: God is with us...let us be with God

WORSHIP WORDS: Psalm 26:12 (CEB) by Pastor Steve

\*SONG: Holy Ground [FWS #2272]

\*SONG: You Who Are Thirsty [FWS #2132]

SCRIPTURE READINGS: Mark 9:38-41 (MSG)

MESSAGE: "...a cup of water..."

\*SONG: *In Christ There Is No East or West* [UMH #548, to the tune of UMH #549: *Where Charity and Love Prevail*]

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING PRAYER<sup>+</sup> Congregational responses: onscreen [and as UMH pages 15-16] HOLY COMMUNION: distributed up front or at your seat OFFERING DEDICATION & ANNOUNCEMENTS (over) PRAYERS & UNISON LORD'S PRAYER [UMH #895]

\*SONG: I Come with Joy [UMH #617]

\*SENDING OUT from the U.M. *Book of Worship* for this day, as read by Pastor Steve

## \*SENT OUT, BLESSED TO BE BLESSINGS

Thank you for participating in this service of worship!

PRINT/MUSIC RESOURCES: "UMH" (*The United Methodist Hymnal*) is the hardbound blue songbook in the pew racks; "FWS" (*The Faith We Sing*), the black paperback songbook, and "W&S" (Worship & Song), the green paperback songbook, along with large print versions are at the rear of the sanctuary (and thanks for returning them there). Bible versions used by permission: "CEB"=Common English Bible; "MSG"=*The Message* CCLI License Nos.- Copyright: 2458795; Streaming: 20795815



## THANK YOU!

Piano: Nancy Throop; Guitar: Dan Mason, Steve Young Media: Dave & Caroline DeGraaf, Dan Throop, Phil Whittier

**Calendar of Events** (all at the church building, if not indicated; Caution: Our church kitchen is licensed by the County Health Department, but food prepared offsite is regularly served):

OCTOBER 2024- Special Offering Opportunity: World Communion Sunday 6 (Sun.): In-Person & Facebook Worship at 9:45 a.m. (or Facebook on demand) World Holy Communion; Fellowship Time afterward

12 (Sat.): Mobile Food Pantry Distribution, Parking Lot, 9:00-10:00 a.m.

13 (Sun.): In-Person & Facebook Worship at 9:45 a.m. (or Facebook on demand) Fellowship Time after; CHURCH CONFERENCE, 6 p.m., at Alma UMC

15 (Tue.): Food Pantry Set-up in Fellowship Hall, Noon – 1:30-ish

17 (Thr.): Food Pantry Distribution in Fellowship Hall, 9:00 – 11:00 a.m.

20 (Sun.): In-Person & Facebook Worship at 9:45 a.m. (or Facebook on demand) Lay Ministry Dedication; Fellowship Time afterward

27 (Sun.): In-Person & Facebook Worship at 9:45 a.m. (or Facebook on demand) Generosity/Stewardship Emphasis Begins; Fellowship Time afterward

29 (Tue.): Leadership Team Meeting in Fellowship Hall, 9:00 a.m.

NOVEMBER 2024- Special Offering Opportunity: Food Pantry & Holiday Extras 2 (Sat. pm - 2 am Sun.): "Fall Back" 1 hour for EST (Daylight Saving Time ends) 3 (Sun.): In-Person & Facebook Worship at 9:45 a.m. (or Facebook on demand) Holy Communion/All Saints Sunday; Generosity/Stewardship Emphasis

continues; Fellowship Time afterward

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+from The U. M. Book of Worship, pp. 72-73: "...for World Communion Sunday"