



# WESTSIDE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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*“Fifth Sunday of Easter”*

John 15:1 - 8

May 2, 2021

# *Order of Service*

Prelude

*Eileen Hartles*

Please quietly focus your mind's attention and your heart's affection on God during this time.

Welcome/Call to Worship

God is here and has been waiting for you all morning!  
Let us have open hearts to receive what the Spirit is saying to His church!

Opening Song

“Indescribable”

*Video*

Prayers for the People

Scripture Reading

*Carol Blass*

John 15:1 - 8

Message

*Rev. Josh Andrews*

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Holy Communion

Benediction

Closing Hymn

“Lift High the Cross”

*UMH # 159*

Postlude

## *John 15:1 - 8*

<sup>1</sup> "I am the true vine, and my Father is the vinedresser.

<sup>2</sup> Every branch in me that does not bear fruit he takes away, and every branch that does bear fruit he prunes, that it may bear more fruit.

<sup>3</sup> Already you are clean because of the word that I have spoken to you.

<sup>4</sup> Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me.

<sup>5</sup> I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing.

<sup>6</sup> If anyone does not abide in me he is thrown away like a branch and withers; and the branches are gathered, thrown into the fire, and burned.

<sup>7</sup> If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you.

<sup>8</sup> By this my Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit and so prove to be my disciples.

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### ***Giving Update***

Monthly Need: \$ 15,948

Received: \$ 8,813

55 % of needed

amount was received

### ***Serving this Week***

**Accompanist:** Eileen Hartles

**Liturgist:** Clarissa Frail

**Kids' Connection:** Kristen Davis