

**SERVICE OF CONFIRMATION
MAY 5, 2024**

*Do you renounce the spiritual forces of wickedness, reject the evil powers of this world, and repent of your sins? **I do.***

*Do you accept the freedom and power God gives you to resist evil, injustice, and oppression in whatever forms they present themselves? **I do.***

*Do you confess Jesus Christ as your Savior, put your whole trust in his grace, and promise to serve him as your Lord, in union with the church which Christ has opened to people of all ages, nations, and races? **I do.***

*Do you believe in God the Father? **I believe in God the Father Almighty, the creator of heaven and earth.***

*Do you believe in Jesus Christ and intend to live with him in your life as Savior and Lord? **I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living and the dead.***

*Do you believe in the Holy Spirit? **I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.***

*Do you receive and profess the Christian faith as revealed in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments? **I do.***

*Do you promise, according to the grace given you, to live according to God's holy will and commandments and walk in them all the days of your life as a faithful member of Christ's holy church? **I do.***

*Will you be loyal to the United Methodist Church and uphold it by your prayers, your presence, your gifts, your service, and your witness? **I will.***

COMMENDATION AND WELCOME

We give thanks for all that God has already given you and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and in this congregation of the United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant faithfully to participate in the ministries of the church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.

CONFIRMATION CLASS OF 2024

Tyler Jerrel Blankenship
Mentored by J.B. Ritchie

Rachel Lynne Brook
Mentored by Kathleen Miller

Nathan John Cook
Mentored by Karl Hetzel

Jakob Alexander Everett
Mentored by Jennifer Villanueva-Henkle

Alexander Jacob Gibson
Mentored by Dave Miller

Eloise Anne Gibson
Mentored by Vicki Lefevre

Vivian Lander Kumpf
Mentored by Sue Chaney

Wyatt Simpson Kumpf
Mentored by Judy Maxwell

George Christopher Morrison
Mentored by Jon Powers

Caroline Annette Phillips
Mentored by Beth and Steve Dolk

Lynette Ada Richardson
Mentored by Susan Speer-Powers

Jacob Scott Zahniser
Mentored by Erik English

Confirmation Teachers

Rev. Katie Osier, Rev. Kara Jones, Paul Lance, Ryan Osier