



# FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF LOMBARD AND VILLA PARK

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**▲ ABOVE**  
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**MAY 31<sup>ST</sup>, 2026**  
**10AM**



## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude

Centering Hymn Eternal God Transcending Time 3030(green)

### \* Call To Worship

One: Trust in the Lord and do good;  
live in the land, and farm faithfulness.

**All: Enjoy the Lord, and God will give you what your heart asks.**

One: Commit your way to the Lord! Trust God! And God will  
make your righteousness shine like the dawn, your justice  
like high noon.

**All: Be still before the Lord and wait for God.**

One: Our steps are made firm by the Lord when God delights  
in our way.

**All: Though we stumble, we will not fall headfirst, for the  
Lord holds us by the hand.**

[Psalm 37, CEB & NRSVUE]

### \* Opening Prayer

Loving God, in that first spark of creativity, you set  
everything in motion. Time after time, your creative presence  
brings new life and hope. We experience your love as we see  
the marvels of the world and all who are in it. Your love  
draws us to the example and compassion of Jesus. For your  
loving presence in all your infinite ways, we give you  
thanks. Amen.

\* Hymn of Praise O Lord, You're Beautiful 2064(black)

Children's Time Chris Smith Kozlowski, *Dir. of Children's Min.*  
Children's church is available after the children's time!

\* You are invited to rise in body or spirit!

The Word in Music This I Believe Words and Music  
Matt Crocker and Ben Fielding

Gospel Reading Isaiah 40:28-31

Sermon *Cycling With God*  
Deaconess Catherine Inserra

### OUR RESPONSE

#### Prayers of the People

Share a prayer concern on one of our prayer cards!

#### Invitation to Generosity

<https://fumclombardandvillapark.flocknote.com/give/>

Offertory

\*Doxology



#### Blessing of the Gifts

Creating God, from the beginning, you formed light out of  
darkness, breath from dust, and life from love. In Christ, you  
walked among us, and through your Spirit, you empower us still.  
Today, we offer our gifts—signs of our desire to partner with you  
in your ongoing work of creation, healing, and discipleship. Use  
these offerings to build communities of compassion, to welcome  
the stranger, and to teach your ways of justice and joy. May our  
giving reflect the wonder of your Triune love and our willingness  
to go and grow disciples in your name. Amen.

\* Hymn of Celebration I'm Gonna Live 2153(black)

#### \* Charge & Benediction

And now, may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you  
trust in God, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the  
Holy Spirit. Go and share that hope with all you meet. **Amen. We go  
to share God's peace in all the world.**