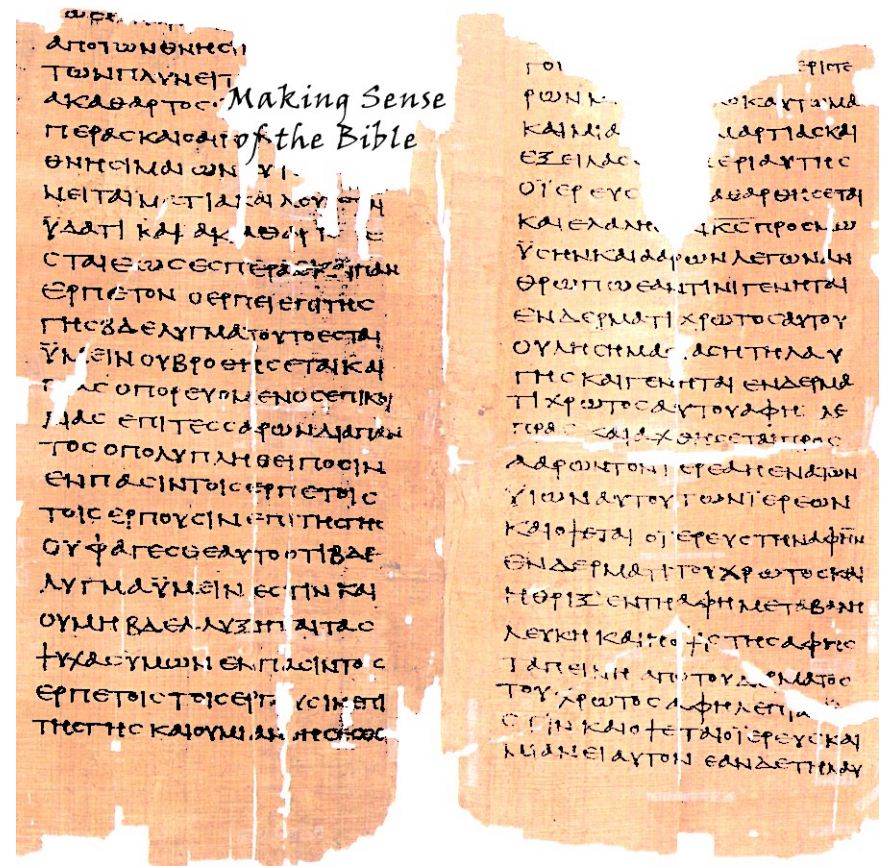


**MISSION STATEMENT:**  
**Equipping people for a growing relationship  
 with Jesus Christ to serve all.**

Sunday Worship Services:  
 8:30am ~ Worship with Chancel Choir  
 9:45am ~ Sunday School for all ages and Confirmation  
 10:00am ~ Eucharist Service  
 11:00am ~ Worship with Worship Band

Rev. Eun-Hye Choi, Lead Pastor  
 Rev. Chris Walters, Associate Pastor  
 Rev. Sherry Scates, Minister of Faith Formation  
 John DeGroot, Director, Chancel Choir  
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September 8, 2013  
 11:00am

## 16th Sunday after Pentecost

11:00am WORSHIP

*\*Indicates congregation stands*

*Bold type indicates to read in unison*

### PRELUDE

*Worship Band Instrumental*

### GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**\*HYMNS OF PRAISE** TFWS #2130 *“The Summons”*  
TFWS #2129 *“I Have Decided to Follow Jesus”*

### \*INVOCATION

### \*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE AND OTHER GREETINGS

The Peace of the Lord be with you  
**And also with you**

### CHILDREN’S SERMON

Rev. Sherry Scates

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

**Sharing of Joys, Gratitudes and Concerns**  
**Pastoral Prayer**  
**The Lord’s Prayer (trespasses)**

**\*HYMN** UMH #103 *“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”*

### OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Isaiah 55:6-11 (OT page 685)  
Jeremiah 23:23-32 (OT page 726)

### WORSHIP BAND

*“Words”* by Seth Mosley, Jon Steingard, and Matthew Hammitt

### NEW TESTAMENT READING

Acts 17:1-15 (NT page 137)  
John 5:39 (NT page 97)

### SERMON

*“Making Sense of the Bible”* Rev. Chris Walters

### WORSHIP IN TITHES AND OFFERING

Offertory

**\*Doxology**

Prayer of Dedication

**\*CLOSING HYMN** UMH #339 *“Take My Life, and Let it Be”*

### \*BENEDICTION

### POSTLUDE

*Worship Band Instrumental*

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### WE WELCOME YOU!

Thank you for worshiping with us today. We’re glad you’re here! Please fill out the Ritual of Friendship book located in the pew. If you have a prayer concern, or would like to request a pastoral visit, please complete the Prayer Card found in the pews.

### PRAYER CONCERNS

If you have a gratitude you wish to share, a prayer concern or would like to request a pastoral visit, please complete the appropriate card found in the pews and place it in the offering plate.

### CHILD CARE

At the 8:30am and 10:00am worship services child care is provided in the Nursery (Room 208) for Infants thru Preschoolers, and at 11:00am for Infants through Toddlers. At the 11:00am worship service Pre-Schoolers through Kindergartners are invited to Playful Praise in Room 102 following the Children’s Time.