

MISSION STATEMENT:

Equipping people for a growing relationship with Jesus Christ to serve all.

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 theoffering 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.

Rev. Eun-Hye Choi, Lead Pastor Rev. Chris Walters, Associate Pastor Rev. Sherry Scates, Minister of Faith Formation John DeGroot, Director, Chancel Choir Kathleen Hermansen, Organist Karyn Holstead, Director, Jr. Choir Kelly Markwell, Director, Bellissimo Chip Mackley, Director, Worship Band Janine Valkema, Director, Jr. Chimes

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September 8, 2013 10:00am

16th Sunday after Pentecost 10:00am EUCHARIST WORSHIP

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Prelude

Prelude on "Slane"--Young

GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENT

*RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 139:1-6)
O Lord, you have examined my heart and know everything about me.

You know when I sit down or stand up. You know my thoughts even when I'm far away.

You see me when I travel and when I rest at home. You know everything I do.

You know what I am going to say even before I say it, Lord. You go before me and follow me. You place your hand of blessing on my head.

Unison: Such knowledge is too wonderful for me, too great for me to understand! Amen.

*HYMN OF PRAISE TFWS #2129

"I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

*OPENING PRAYER

Dear Jesus we now turn to Thee,
Salvation to obtain;
Our Hearts and Souls do meet again,
To magnify thy Name.
Now Glory be to God on High,
Salvation high and low;
And thus the Soul on Christ rely,
To Heaven surely go.
Come Blessed Jesus, Heavenly Dove,
Accept Repentance here;
Salvation give, with tender Love;
Let us with Angels share.
Amen.

*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE AND OTHER GREETINGS

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

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Jeremiah 23:29-32 (OT page 726)

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Acts 17:10-15 (NT page 137)
John 5:39 (NT page 97)

SERMON "Making Sense of the Bible" Rev. Eun-Hye Choi

HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation/Confession and Pardon
The Great Thanksgiving
Breaking Bread/Sharing the Bread and Cup
Prayer
UMH #12
UMH #13

*CLOSING HYMN UMH #399 "Take My Life, and Let It Be"

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Recessional on "St. Anne"--Young

The "Opening Prayer" is selected verses from Jupiter Hammon's "An Evening Thought: Salvation by Christ, with Penitential Cries." Mr. Hammon (1711-1806) was the first African-American to publish in the United States.

Please leave your offering on the back table as you leave the sanctuary today.