

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.

PRAYER CONCERNS

If you have 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 Preschoolers through Kindergartners are invited to Playful Praise in Room 102 following the Children's Time.

COFFEE HOUR IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

Please join us in the fellowship hall following the 8:30am worship service for coffee and snacks. The Valkema Family will be our hosts today and they look forward to seeing you.

Rev. Eun-Hye Choi, Lead Pastor
Rev. Chris Walters, Associate Pastor
Rev. Sherry Scates, Minister of Faith Formation

Sunday Worship Services:

8:30a Worship with Chancel Choir
9:45a Sunday School for all ages and Confirmation
10:00a Communion Service
11:00a Worship with Worship Band

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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4th Sunday after the Epiphany

February 2, 2014

8:30 AM

Sunday, February 2, 2014
8:30AM Worship
**Indicates congregation stands and
Bold type indicates to read in unison*

PRELUDE *“Interlude”* - Young

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INTROIT *“O Worship the King”* - arranged by R, Gerig

***RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP**

We come seeking the holy love of God, that we may become whole and loving.

As Jesus Christ has shared the life of earth through Christ we may share the life of God, in growing holiness, justice and love.

In awe, faith, and thanksgiving, let us rejoice in God’s presence and share God’s love.

Let us worship God.

***HYMN** UMH #170 *“O How I Love Jesus”*

***OPENING PRAYER**

Steadfast Lover of humanity, we come to you as those who search for ways to love more wisely, more genuinely, more steadily. We seek to base our lives on the love of God in Christ that from day to day we may be passionate and patient, faithful and forgiving in loving one another and this world of many people. Amen.

***SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE**

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

CHILDREN’S TIME Kathy Wellman

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Sharing of Joys and Concerns
Pastoral Prayer

CHORAL ANTHEM

“The Blood Will Never Lose It’s Power”
Words and Music by Andraé Crouch
Sherry Scates, Soloist

SCRIPTURE LESSON

1 John 4:1-12

SERMON

“Love in Human Form” Rev. Eun-Hye Choi

HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation and Confession UMH #12
Great Thanksgiving UMH #13
Sharing the Bread and the Cup
Hymns during Communion UMH #171, #158, #174

WORSHIP IN TITHES AND OFFERING

Offertory *“Offertory in E Flat”* - Dubois
*Doxology UMH #94
*Prayer of Dedication

***CLOSING HYMN** UMH #172 *“My Jesus, I Love Thee”*

BENEDICTION

CHORAL BENEDICTION

“May the Lord Bless and Keep You”
Music by Richard Rodgers

POSTLUDE

“Adorn Thyself, O My Soul” - Bach