

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 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.

COFFEE HOUR IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

Please join us in Janet Brown Fellowship Hall following the 8:30am worship service for coffee and snacks. Mary & Ron Sears will be our hosts today and they look forward to seeing you.



Claiming the Power of Christian Community

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 De Groot, Director, Chancel Choir
Jason Hawkins, Director, Worship Band
Kathleen Hermansen, Organist
Karyn Holstead, Director, Jr. Choir
Kelly Markwell, Director, Bellissimo
Janine Valkema, Director, Jr. Chimes

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January 18, 2015

8:30AM

2nd Sunday after the Epiphany

8:30AM Worship

**Indicates congregation stands*

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PRELUDE

"The Souls of the Righteous" - Noble

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INTROIT

"This Is the Day" - Douglas E. Wagner

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 34:2-3)

O taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are those who take refuge in him.

O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together.

*HYMN OF PRAISE

UMH #145 *"Morning Has Broken"*

*OPENING PRAYER

Holy God, you gather us together in our faith journey. Trusting in you, we join one another as a community: a community of faith on a journey: a journey to grow ever deeper in our faith and in our desire to long for you. Along the way, remind us of your love and of your ever mindful presence. Help us never lose hope along the way and the journey. For it is in your strength and love you bestow upon us, that we can go out and share in your love and faith with all those in our community. It is in the name of Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE AND OTHER GREETINGS

The Peace of the Lord be with you

And also with you

CHILDREN'S TIME

Rev. Chris Walters

TFWS #2233 *"Where Children Belong"*

This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshiping throng. Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song: This is where children belong.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayers (trespasses)

CHORAL ANTHEM

"Go Tell It on the Mountain" - Kirby Shaw

Mary Snydersmith, bassist

Eric Wellman, percussionist

TESTIMONY

"Claiming the Power of Christian Community"

Jan Johnston

*GOSPEL LESSON

Mark 2:1-12

*HYMN

UMH #262 *"Heal Me, Hands of Jesus"*

SERMON

"The Power of Christian Friends" Rev. Eun-Hye Choi

WORSHIP IN TITHES AND OFFERING

Offertory

"Andante in F" - Beethoven

*Doxology

UMH#94

Prayer of Dedication

*CLOSING HYMN UMH #263 (vs. 1 - 5)

"When Jesus the Healer Passed Through Galilee"

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL BENEDICTION

"Go In Peace" - Dale Wood

POSTLUDE

"Choral" - Vierne

Scripture Reader: Larry Newton