

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 in
the offering plate.

CHILD CARE

During the 9:30AM worship service Nursery Care is provided
for Infants and Toddlers in Room 208.



9TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

AUGUST 6, 2017

8:30AM

Rev. Eun-Hye Choi, Lead Pastor
Rev. Sherry Scates, Minister of Faith Formation
Roger Beitzel, Youth Director

Beth Best, Director, Chancel Choir
Megan Marconi / Tim Scates, Co-Directors, Worship Band
Kelly Markwell, Director, Bellissimo
Karyn Holstead, Director, Jr. Choir
Kathleen Hermansen, Organist

Summer Sunday Worship Services:

8:30a Eucharist Worship
9:30a Traditional Worship/with Special Music
9:45a Sunday School/Preschoolers through 5th graders
(2017-18 School Year)

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**Indicates congregation stands
bold type indicates to read in unison*

PRELUDE "Eucharistia" - Cassler

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CALL TO WORSHIP** (Romans 12:9-13)

Let love be genuine, hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good.
Love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honor.
Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord.
Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer.

***HYMN** "All Who Hunger" (v. 1) TFWS #2126

***OPENING PRAYER FOR GOD'S HOSPITALITY** (unison)

O God, give us eyes to see the deepest needs of people.
Give us hearts full of love for our neighbors as well as for the strangers we meet. Help us understand what it means to love others as we love ourselves. Teach us to care in a way that strengthens those who are sick.

Fill us with generosity so we feed the hungry, clothe the naked and give drink to the thirsty.

Let us be a healing balm to those who are weak and lonely and weary by offering our kindness to them. May we remember to listen, to smile, to offer a helping hand each time the opportunity presents itself. Give us hearts of courage that we will be brave enough to risk loving our enemy. Inspire us to go out of our way to include those in the margins. Help us to be welcoming and inclusive to all who come to our door. Let us be God's hospitality in the world. Amen.

***SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE AND LOVE**

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

***GOSPEL LESSON**

Luke 19:1-10

SERMON "Welcoming as Jesus Did" Rev. Eun-Hye Choi

HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation/Confession and Assurance UMH p.12
Table Candle Lighting and Prayer

Pastor: *Welcoming God, you prepared the table for us.
Fill this feast with grace and love, and inspire us to make
the same invitation to others. Amen.*

The Great Thanksgiving Insert
Lord's Prayer UMH #895

Sharing the Bread and the Cup
Hymn During Sharing UMH #378

***CLOSING HYMN** "For All the Saints" TFWS #2283

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE "Sinfonietta" - Handel

Please leave your offering in the offering plate
at the back of the sanctuary as you leave today.