

WE WELCOME YOU

Thank you for worshipping with us today. We're glad you're here!
Please be sure to sign our Ritual of Friendship book, located at the end of the pew.

PRAYER CONCERNS

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

CHILDCARE

At the 8:30am worship service, childcare is provided in the Nursery, Room 208, for infants through Pre-schoolers. At the 11am worship we offer nursery care for infants through toddlers. Pre-schoolers through Kindergarteners are invited to Playful Praise in Room 202 following Children's Time at the 11am worship service.

COFFEE HOUR

Please join us in Janet Brown Fellowship Hall following the 8:30am worship service for coffee and snacks. The Proulx Girls will be hosting today and they look forward to greeting you!

Rev. Dick Wisdom, Senior Pastor
Rev. Sherry Steele, Minister of Faith Formation
Roger Beitzel, Youth Director

Beth Best, Director, Chancel Choir
Megan Marconi, Director,
Worship Band
Kelly Markwell, Director, Bellissimo
Karyn Holstead, Director, Jr. Choir
Kathleen Hermansen, Organist

Sunday Worship Services:

8:30a Worship w/Chancel Choir
9:45a Sunday School (all ages) and
Confirmation Class
11:00a Worship w/Worship Band



Sunday,
March 17, 2019

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SUNDAY, MARCH 17, 2019, 8:30AM

*Indicates congregation stands

Bold type indicates to read in unison

UMH indicates the United Methodist (hardcover) Hymnal

TFWS indicates "The Faith We Sing" (soft-cover) Hymnal

PRELUDE *"Jesus, Priceless Treasure"* -Bach
arranged by Thompson

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INTROIT

*CALL TO WORSHIP

We come to worship the God that walks with us through every challenge.

We come to remember what Jesus did when he was faced with the wilderness.

When Israel wandered through the wilderness, she was not alone, God was there!

(to one another) **If you are walking through the Wilderness, you are not alone, God is with you!**

We come today to worship our God, who gives us strength for every journey, and courage for every test!

***HYMN** *"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"* UMH #139

*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE AND LOVE

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

CHILDREN'S TIME Becky Potter

TFWS #2233 "Where Children Belong"

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

CHORAL ANTHEM -Henry Purcell
"Thou Knowest, Lord, the Secrets of Our Hearts"

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (on screen)

SCRIPTURE READING Deuteronomy 26:1-11
(The Message)

SERMON Rev. Dick Wisdom
"Lent - God's Generous Heart"

WORSHIP IN TITHES AND OFFERING

Offertory *"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"*

-Holden, arr. Dobrinski
Bellissimo Handbells

*Doxology (on screen)

*Prayer of Dedication

***CLOSING HYMN** UMH #156
"I Love to Tell the Story"

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL BENEDICTION

***POSTLUDE** *"Jesus, I Will Ponder Now"* -Walther

Bible Reader: Victoria Eggerstedt