



“All I have to do is dream. Dream, dream, dream.”
-- Boudleaux Bryant (sung by the Everly Brothers and others)

Edmonds United  Methodist Church

November 19, 2017 - 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Order of Service

Today we celebrate Dream Sabbath, a day to call upon people of faith to stand in solidarity with immigrants who were brought to the US as children. DACA (Deferred Action on Childhood Arrivals) protects over 1.5 million children and youth by allowing them to work, study and serve in the military, and is slated to be discontinued, putting immigrants raised in the US at risk of sudden deportation and insecurity.

We Gather

Prelude *II. Romanza from Concerto for Bass Tuba* Kirk Jones, Tuba & Hyun-Ja Choi, Piano
Ralph Vaughan Williams

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Sandy Brown

***Passing the Peace**

***Call to Worship**

Rev. Clarissa Fuentes

***Opening Hymn** *All Creatures of Our God and King*

Red Hymnal #62, vs. 1, 2, 3 & 7

***Opening Prayer**

Pastor Clarissa

We Proclaim

Children's Song *Seek Ye First*

Red Hymnal #405, vs. 1

Children's Moment

Jen McLaughlin

Children's Song *Seek Ye First*

Red Hymnal #405, vs. 1

***Scripture Readings** Genesis 45:1-10; Hebrews 13:1-6

Anthem *For Everyone Born*
arr. Tom Trenney

Chancel Choir

Prayer of Preparation

Pastor Sandy

Sermon *"Dream, dream, dream"*

Pastor Sandy

We Respond

Silent Meditation

During this time of quiet you are invited to reflect on the sermon or to pray.

Sung Response *For the Healing of the Nations*

Red Hymnal #428, vs. 1

Dream Sabbath Litany

Lexi Catton, Denny Balascio,
Kathleen Hallum & Andres Fuentes

Offering our Gifts and Our Lives

Invitation to the Offering

Pastor Clarissa

Offertory *VI. from Suite No. 1 for Tuba and Piano 'Effie Suite'*
Alec Wilder

Kirk Jones
& Hyun-ja Choi

***Doxology** *For the Beauty of the Earth*

Red Hymnal #92, vs. 1

***Prayer of Dedication**

Pastor Clarissa

We Scatter to Serve

Sharing of Newcomer Flowers

Pastor Sandy and Pastor Clarissa

***Closing Hymn** *God of Love and God of Power*

Red Hymnal #578

*Benediction

Pastor Sandy

Postlude *V & IV from Suite No. 1 for Tuba and Piano 'Effie Suite'*
Alec Wilder

Kirk Jones
& Hyun-Ja Choi

~You are always welcome to be seated and enjoy the postlude~

Beyond Sunday Morning

Stewardship Update

Thanks to everyone who attended and helped with our chili lunch and pie social last Sunday. At the end of the lunch, we had 160 pledges totaling \$564,712. At end of this week, an additional 21 pledges came in to bring the total to \$622,492. If you haven't had a chance to turn in your pledge card, please bring it to the church office by Sunday, November 26th and help us build our ministry into 2018.

Upcoming Events:

Write a congressional letter | 10:30a.m. | Narthex

A writing workshop will be hosted by the immigration team. The focus is an appeal to support a new plan that offers Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals. Stop by the tables as you exit the sanctuary. With an investment of just a few minutes you can craft a letter that will let your legislators know DACA is important to you.

UMW Bazaar Sign-ups | Today | Wesley

The United Methodist Women need help (men and women) at the bazaar on Dec 2 & 3. A table will be in Wesley room for signing up. Come and talk with us. Many hands are needed. Dec 1-2-3.

Toy Shop Volunteering | Register Today | Narthex

In-person Volunteer Registration Today, 11/26, & 12/3, after both services in the narthex. Online Volunteer Registration has also opened. Go to www.edmondsumc.org/toy-shop. Volunteers are needed for Toy Shop Set-up on December 7 & 8, Toy Shop Event December 9. We are in desperate need for Spanish and Russian Interpreters. If you speak Spanish or Russian or know someone who does please contact the church office at 425-778-2119 or office@edmondsumc.org

Tamales Are Back | Today | Wesley

La Palabra Viviente Methodist Church will be bringing their tamales back. Orders can be made today and November 19. Delivery will be at the bazaar on Sunday December 3rd.

Winter Retreat Registration Open | Today | Wesley

The 2018, retreat, January 19-21, is at Rainbow Lodge in North Bend. Join us as we explore the theme of Hope. We will seek to open to God's Hope, drawing from Cynthia Bourgeault's *Mystical Hope*. Register after worship in the Wesley Room. Please contact Sue Sutherland-Hanson with questions at 425-778-2119 or sues@edmondsumc.org.

***Please stand if it's comfortable for you to do so**

Beyond Sunday Morning Cont....

Nuts - Last chance for nuts till the Bazaar! | Today | Wesley

United Methodist Women are selling nuts today! If you ordered nuts, they are ready for pick up. Come find our table after services today.

United Methodist Women Meeting | Today | 11:45a.m.

Room 113, Come and check out Bazaar plans. Ask Questions. Join our meeting if you wish.

Help support Sam Harris's Eagle Scout Project | Today | 12:00pm-4:00pm

Bring new/used kids bikes to EUMC Kennedy Hall. Bikes will go to the Toy Shop.

Club 58 & High School Combined Go Bowling | Tonight | 6:00-8:00p.m. | Spin Alley

\$20 covers food, shoe rental and up to 2 hours of bowling. Drop off/pick up at 1430 NW Richmond Beach Rd, Shoreline. Questions? Email GregM@edmondsumc.org.

Intergenerational Worship | Sunday, November 26

Join us for intergenerational worship on the theme of Gratitude on Sunday, November 26.

Children's Center to Host Family Night - Everyone is Welcome! | November 20 | 5:30p.m.

Join us for SEAHAWKS FUN in the Aldersgate Room where we'll watch the game and share appetizers, snacks, and board games! At Half-Time Kim Gorney from WA Kids in Transition (WAKITS) will talk about a special mission at EUMC that supports homeless children and their families in the Edmonds School District. Please bring an appetizer or snack to share...and a donation of pre-packaged, individually wrapped nut-free food items for WAKITS! Please contact Heather Bruno heatherp@edmondsumc.org with questions. We hope to see you there!

Understanding Islam | November 26 | 11:45a.m. | Aldersgate Room

Imam Jamal Rahman is a popular speaker on Islam, Sufi spirituality, and interfaith relations. Along with his Interfaith Amigos, he has been featured in the New York Times, CBS News, BBC, and various NPR programs. Jamal is co-founder and Muslim Sufi minister at Interfaith Community Sanctuary and adjunct faculty at Seattle University. He travels nationally and internationally, presenting at retreats and workshops. \$10 suggested donation.

Family Toy Shop Mission Night | November 30 | 6:30-8:30p.m.

Help families in need experience the joy of gift giving this Christmas. The EUMC Toy Shop invites parents to shop for free for their children. You can prepare for Toy Shop by making decorations, bagging candy canes and ribbon. Help us deck the halls and Join us for this family friendly service opportunity.

Middle School retreat | December 1-3

At Camp Indianola, for grades 6-9. Email GregM@edmondsumc.org to Sign Up. Cost \$75 includes travel.

Spiral Service | December 3 | 7:00pm | Youth Hall

Start the Advent Season with the elegant Spiral Service. Walk your prayers through a green spiral path with candles in apples. Anticipate with gratitude the blessing of all nature in the celebration of the birth of Christ. Sunday, Dec. 3rd at 7:00.

Israel/Palestine Event | December 3 | 12:00p.m.

You are invited to join us in the Chapel, for the DVD showing of "The Occupation of the American Mind", Israel's Public Relations War in the U.S. We are putting together other events for the future to include movies, DVDs, and guest speakers. Please invite others who may be interested in ongoing updates on the Israel/Palestine conflict. Expect refreshments!

Beyond Sunday Morning Cont....

Christmas Pageant Sign Up Dates | Sundays, December 3 & 10 | Chapel

Christmas nativity costumes + tons of kids = EUMC Christmas Eve Pageant every December 24 at 5pm! Your kids can participate by signing up in the Chapel on December 3rd or 10th and taking measurements for costume planning purposes! Required Pageant rehearsals are December 17 at 11:45 and on Christmas Eve at 3:30pm.

A Service of Light on the Longest Night | December 21 | 7:00p.m.-9:00p.m.

If you are experiencing loneliness or loss of any kind, the Christmas holidays can be particularly difficult. On the longest night of the year, we gather together for a quiet, meditative service. Let the quiet space, music, and candlelights heal your hurting places. This service will be held in the Sanctuary. Transportation and/or childcare is available by calling the church office at 425-778-2119 before December 14.

Serving & Volunteering

Assist the Cold Weather Shelter

CWS is in need of more people. Help in the kitchen for various meals and clean-up, standing watch to make sure everyone is okay. 8:00am - 12:00pm or 12:00am - 7:00am. As well as a new EUMC Team Coordinator. For years this effort has been coordinated by Coralie Shepherd, who is now looking for a successor. Please let us know by checking the I Am Here form or by contacting the church office at office@edmondsumc.org.

Bakers Unite - UMW Bazaar

Please help United Methodist Women in the annual Christmas Bazaar. We are looking for baked goods: cupcakes, cookies, pie, breads, any homemade treats. We are looking for lots of donations to make this year a special year for us. We would love some specialty cookies or decorated cookies that can be sold in our mix and match section. This is a big hit at the bazaar. Contact Gay Johnson at gayadele@comcast.net or 425-771-6569.

Tutoring Program in need of Cooks and Substitute Tutors

The Tutoring Program which began Wednesday, November 1st, is still looking for substitute tutors, and cooks, on Wednesday evenings until May 16. Contact Mary Feldhaus at 425-672-1469, feldhaus1@comcast.net or Annette Roberts 425-778-2261 leftyanette@yahoo.com to substitute. Contact Darryl Berg to cook zlgreatguy@comcast.net, 206-890-5788 (texts accepted), or you can sign-up to cook at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0a4ba8ac28a6fa7-20178>. Training is provided.

UMW - Donations Needed For Silent Auction

We are also collecting Silent Auction donations for the annual Church bazaar. Contact Gay Johnson or Millie Surdyke. Our profits go to help church ministry and charities local and abroad. Email: milliesur@yahoo.com; gayadele@comcast.net

Toy Shop is Coming!

We are collecting items in the red barrel outside the office: new toys, gently used toys, books, stuffed animals, and bikes/trikes, as well as holiday wrap and decor. Or you can visit our wish list on Amazon. Go to www.edmondsumc.org/toyshop and find the link. Items will ship directly to the church for a hassle free experience.

Be a part of the DREAM Act

Tom Quigley will seek appointments with our legislators to advocate for the passage of a clean DREAM Act of 2017. (S.1615/H.R. 3440.) If you would like to be a part of this advocacy group, please contact Tom Quigley at tomquigley1@comcast.net or by phone at (206) 498-9705.

UMW Bazaar

We are now asking to borrow Christmas tablecloths (fabric) in green, red, or white. Put your name on it. Contact Gay or Millie.

Beyond Sunday Morning Cont....

Important Dates to Know

Upcoming Church Building Closures

The Church Building will be closed for the Thanksgiving Holiday. Thursday 11/23 thru Friday 11/24 - reopening on Saturday the 25th.

Advent Dates:

- Decemeber 3 Spirial Service | 7pm
- December 10 Advent Evensong | 7pm
- December 17 Messiah Sing-A-Long | 7pm
- December 21 Longest Night Service | 6:30pm
- December 24 Christmas Eve | 5pm, 7pm & 9pm

Save The Dates:

- Women's Retreat: April 20-22, 2018
- Family Camp: June 22-24, 2018
- Vacation Bible School: July 16-20, 2018

Welcome Tyler Malifa to our staff!

The Staff-Parish Relations committee is excited to have Tyler Malifa join our staff as our new Custodian. Tyler grew up in American Samoa. He spent some time in California and recently moved to Edmonds with his wife and two children. Tyler currently serves in the U.S. Army Reserve and holds a certification in carpentry and masonry. Please take some time to introduce yourself to our newest staff member.

Those experiencing grief:

Those with health concerns:

Howard Carr, Dana McMechan, John White,
Ginny Hardman



The peoples from the Ecumenical Prayer Cycle include: East Timor, Indonesia, Philippines

A simple prayer you may use:

We pray for all your people. Bring peace to those who fear, bring healing to those who suffer, bring comfort to those who grieve, and grow the joy of those who celebrate. We pray these things in the name of your Son. Amen.

If you have an emergency (hospitalization, death) you may dial this number: 425-366-9615. Please leave your name, phone number, and a brief message.

I Am Here

November 19, 2017

Name

Street Address

City

State

Zip

Phone

Email

Newcomer (fewer than 5 visits)

I'm Visiting with/for:

Edmonds UMC is my church home

This information is a change

I would like to receive a name tag.

I would like information about becoming a member of this church

Please add me to the email list: Weekly Announcements & Guidelights (electronic)

Please add me to the mailing list: Guidelights (paper)

Grow...

I would like information about:

- o Children's & Youth Ministries
- o Adult Spiritual Formation
- o Music & Arts Ministry
- o Reconciling Team
- o Advocates for Justice

Serve...

I would like to learn about serving:

- o Cold Weather Shelter
- o Tutoring
- o UMW Bazaar
- o Toy Shop
- o Christmas Decoration Set-up

Sign-Ups...

I would like information about:

- o Middle School Retreat
- o Reading Scriptures
- o Assist in Communion
- o Choir on the Move
- o Winter Retreat

Leading Worship Today

Lead Pastor

Rev. Sandy Brown

Pastor of Congregational Care

Rev. Clarissa Fuentes

Organist

Hyun-Ja Choi

Music Director

David Hendrix

Family Ministry Director

Jen McLaughlin

Scripture Readers

Susan Morrow

Acolytes

Elna & Iliya Salehi, Jack Nichols, Janie Hanson

Ushers

Val Mosalsky, Carol Moore, Tom Hutton, Del Campbell, Denny Balascio, Jeanette Murphy, Dean Averil

Altar Flowers

Betty Nilson

Coffee Hour

Dave & Haydee Walters, David & Joyce Danielson

Visitor Flowers

Mary Feldhaus

Bus Driver

Ken Grant

Sound & Projection

Ken Pickle, Pat Cross, Ap Van Meter, Marilyn McKinnon

ASL Interpreter

Jon Woods



Edmonds United Methodist Church is a Reconciling Congregation, welcoming all LGBTQ persons. If you'd like more information, please contact the church at 425-778-2119 or office@edmondsumc.org

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