



We're running the most dangerous experiment in history right now, which is to see how much carbon dioxide the atmosphere....can handle before there is an environmental catastrophe.
- Elon Musk

Edmonds United Methodist Church

May 07, 2017 - 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

† Please complete the tear-off at the top of your Beyond Sunday Morning insert and pass it to the outside aisle to let us know you are here and any messages you'd like to convey. They will be collected by the ushers during the anthem.

† Please silence cell phones before worship begins.

We Gather

Prelude

Lord, I Lift Your Name on High
arr. Mark Hayes

Hyun-Ja Choi

All Creatures of Our God and King
arr. Larry Shackley

Welcome & Announcements
Stephen Ministry Skit

Rev. Dr. Sandy Brown

Please take this opportunity to complete your I Am Here form and pass it to the side aisles for collection by the ushers during the Anthem.

***Passing the Peace**

Leader: The peace of Jesus Christ be with you all!
People: **And also with you!**
Leader: Let us exchange signs of peace and love.

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

***Call to Worship** *(based on Psalm 124 and James 5)*

Rev. Dennie Carcelli

Leader: Blessed be our God, the maker of heaven and earth!
People: **Praise be to God, the Giver of many gifts!**
Leader: Our help is in God's name, the One who calls us here.
People: **We come with songs of praise,
with prayers too deep for words.**
Leader: Blessed be our God, the maker of heaven and earth!
People: **Blessed be our God!**

***Opening Hymn**

Hail the Day that Sees Him Rise

Red Hymnal #312

***Opening Prayer** *(The Uniting Church of Australia)*

Pastor Dennie

Wonderful the fingers that anointed blind eyes,
the hands that gently touched lepers,
the arms that embraced little children.

Wonderful the smile that welcomed outcasts,
the frown that rebuked the arrogant,
the tongue that told parables of grace.

Wonderful the courage that led to Jerusalem,
the faith that agonised in Gethsemane,
the love that suffered at Golgotha.

Wonderful the lips that gave the Easter greeting,
the mercy which restored ashamed disciples,
the joy with which He filled them all.

Wonderful is the Saviour who has brought us here today,
filled with wonder, love and praise.
Amen.

We Proclaim

Invitation to Sunday School

Jen McLaughlin

Anthem

Praise His Holy Name
Keith Hampton

Chancel Choir

*During the anthem ushers will come forward in the side aisles to
collect your "I Am Here" form*

***Scripture Readings**

Genesis 2:4b-15; Luke 11:14-23

(9:00) Tammy Jane
(10:30) Page Campbell

Reader: For the Word of God in scripture
For the Word of God among us,
For the Word of God within us,
People: **Thanks be to God!**

Prayer of Preparation

Pastor Sandy

Leader: Take my words and speak through them,
People: Take our ears and help us hear through them,
All: Take our hearts and set them on fire with your love.

Sermon

Gathering and Scattering

Pastor Sandy

We Respond

Silent Meditation

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

Sung Response

Servant Song

The Faith We Sing #2222, verses 1&2

Offering our Gifts and Our Lives

Offertory

Stay With Us
Egil Hovland

Chancel Choir

***Doxology**

Many Gifts, One Spirit

Red Hymnal #114, refrain only

***Prayer of Dedication**

Pastor Dennie

We Celebrate the Love of God

Invitation to the Table

Pastor Dennie

Eucharistic Prayer

Pastor Sandy

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.
People: **We lift them up to the Lord.**
Pastor: Let us give thanks and praise to the Holy One, our God.
People: **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

Prayer of Consecration

Pastor Sandy

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

Words of Institution

Invitation

Everyone who would like to participate is welcome at God's communion table. Please come forward to stand at one of the communion stations at the front. If you cannot come forward, inform an usher, and you will be served at your seat. Communion this morning will be served by intinction: receive the bread, then dip it in the cup. Although we say, "wine," we actually use the unfermented juice of the grape. It contains no alcohol. "Gluten-free" bread is available. Please tell the server of your needs.

Hymns During Communion

*Here is Bread, Here is Wine
Let Us Break Bread Together
All Who Hunger*

The Faith We Sing #2266
Red Hymnal #618
The Faith We Sing #2126

Prayer after Communion

Pastor Dennie

We Scatter to Serve

Sharing of Flowers for Newcomers

Pastor Sandy and Pastor Dennie

We offer a flower to any and all newcomers as a way of saying
"Welcome" to worship at our church.

*Closing Hymn

Here I Am Lord

Red Hymnal #593

*Benediction

Pastor Sandy

Postlude

You Shall Go Out With Joy!
Douglas E. Wagner (b. 1952)

Hyun-Ja Choi

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

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Assisting in Worship Today

Acolytes:

(9:00) Chaley & Ella Ray

(10:30) Lucas & Danielle D’Couto

Altar Flowers: Judy Triggs

Coffee Hour: (9:00) Whitney Massae

(10:30) Judy Pennington & Erin Hartel

Sanctuary Environment Team:

Siouxan Christian, Sylvia Hustad,

Jeanette Murphy, Danya Tomlinson,

Van Driver: John Haines

Visitor Flowers: Linda Laurine

Sound:

(9:00) Ken Pickle

(10:30) AP Van Meter

Data Projection:

(9:00) Pat Cross

(10:30) Marilyn McKinnon

Lead Usher:

(9:00) Paul Hawley

(10:30) Steve Black

Ushers:

(9:00) Deb Hawley, Tom Hutto, Chidi Okoro

(10:30) Keith Skore, Russ Bauder

Edmonds UMC Staff

Ministers: All of us!

Lead Pastor: Rev. Dr. Sandy Brown

Interim Pastor of Congregational Care:

Dennie Carcelli

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