



THE RESURRECTION EFFECT:  
TRUSTING

*Faith is taking the first step even when you don't see the whole staircase.*  
--Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Edmonds United  Methodist Church

April 15, 2018 - 9:00a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

# Welcome!

The heart of our life is joining together in gratitude and praise. You are invited to join us Sunday mornings at 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. in our Sanctuary as we sing, pray, laugh and learn together. On the first Sunday of each month we share in Holy Communion, and whether or not you are a member of the church you are welcome as a full participant.

## Sunday Worship Services

**Childcare for babies and toddlers** (up to age 3) is available during both services in the nursery located in the Children's Center wing.

**Sunday School classes** for children three years old to 6th grade meet during both worship services.

The goals of Edmonds UMC **Youth Ministries** is to help youth experience God through small groups, bonding events, missions and service to those who need it most. Want to get more involved or get more information? Email Greg McLaughlin, Youth Director at [gregm@edmondsumc.org](mailto:gregm@edmondsumc.org)

After worship service share in cookies and coffee at **Coffee Hour** in the Wesley Room, located just to the right of the sanctuary.

Our Chancel Choir, Bell Choir, ensembles, and soloists of our **Music Ministry** enrich our worship.

## Grow

Our **Adult Spiritual Formation** ministry offers ongoing and short-term groups, Bible/book studies, retreats and special lectures.

We offer opportunities for **children and families** to deepen their faith through Sunday School, Youth Group, Vacation Bible School, Club 58, Family Camp, and intergenerational worship services.

## Serve

Our **Children's Center** provides enriching and developmentally appropriate preschool and daycare for children ages 2.5-12.

Each week, **Edmonds Food Bank** assists over 325 families with valuable nutrition.

The **Thrift Shop** sells low-cost clothing and other items each Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday morning. Proceeds support mission projects locally and beyond.

Volunteers in our **Tutoring Program** provide one-on-one tutoring for children in Kindergarten through Grade 6 Wednesday evenings from November through May.

The **Toy Shop**, provides a new book, stuffed animal, and toy for over 1,000 low-income local children during the holidays.

Through the **Emergency Cold Weather Shelter** network we provide safe and warm shelter to homeless families, women, and men.

Our **Advocates for Justice** works to solve the root problems of hunger, homelessness, racism, homophobia, gun violence, and climate change.

The 2018 **youth mission opportunity** will be August 5-11, on the Spokane Indian Reservation, with Sierra Service Project. The youth will do direct service projects and also participate in cultural immersion activities during the week with the local tribe.

## Order of Service

Welcome! We invite you to complete the tear-off 'I Am Here' form at the side of this bulletin and pass it to the outside aisle where it will be collected by the ushers. Hearing assistance devices are available. Please ask an usher if you would like to try one this morning. As a courtesy to other worshippers, please turn your cell phone's ringer off. Thank you!

### We Gather

**Prelude**    *Trusting Jesus*    Hyun-Ja Choi  
arr. Marianne Kim

*I Will Trust in the Lord*  
arr. John Turner

**Welcome**    Rev. Dr. Sandy Brown

**\*Passing the Peace**

**\*Opening Hymn** *Let Us With a Joyful Mind*    Black Songbook #2012

**\*Opening Prayer**    Rev. Clarissa Fuentes

**Children's Moment**    Jen McLaughlin

**Anthem**    *We Walk by Faith*    Chancel Choir  
Anne Krentz Organ

**\*Scripture Readings**    I Peter 1:3-9; John 20:24-29

**Song of Preparation**    *I Will Trust in the Lord*    Red Hymnal #464  
vs. 1 - Solo  
vs. 2 - Congregation

**Prayer of Preparation**    Pastor Sandy

**Sermon**    *The Resurrection Effect: 2) Trusting*    Pastor Sandy

### We Respond

**Silent Meditation**

**Sermon Response** *I Will Trust in the Lord*

Red Hymnal #464  
vs. 1 - Solo  
vs. 3 - Congregation

**Pastoral Prayer**

Pastor Clarissa

**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.**

**Offering our Gifts and Our Lives**

**Invitation to the Offering**

Pastor Clarissa

**Offertory**

*A Prayer of Saint Patrick*  
John Rutter

9:00a.m. - Chancel Choir  
10:30a.m. - Chamber Choir

**\*Doxology**

*Easter People Raise Your Voices*

Red Hymnal #304, vs. 1

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

## **We Scatter to Serve**

**Announcements**

Pastor Sandy

**\*Closing Hymn**

*We Walk by Faith*

Tune: LAND OF REST

**\*Benediction**

Pastor Sandy

**Postlude**

*A Rejoicing*  
Alfred V. Fedak (b. 1953)

Hyun-Ja Choi

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

*VISITORS & NEWCOMERS...so glad you are here! Please stop by the Welcome Desk near the front door after the service. We have a gift for you and a friendly person will be available to answer any questions.*

# Beyond Sunday Morning

## Upcoming Events:

### **Spring Small Group Sign-Ups Begin Today | Narthex**

This spring some old favorite groups continue, such as Women's Bible Study, Dawn Patrol and Sisters!, but they have been joined by new groups, such as Food... Fellowship...FUNversation and Opening Hearts to God's Grace. Helpful Soul Springs offerings include sessions on planning for the "third act" of life; a series on EUMC community ministries; and an immigrant and refugee panel. The third area of adult spiritual formation, The Way, will include Disciples' Path, a class intended for people considering joining EUMC as they look at a bit of history, theology, and spiritual gifts. There is something for everyone! Stop by the tables outside the Sanctuary after services and check out the Spring Adult Spiritual Formation offerings.

### **Worship Plus 2 | Today | Table in Narthex**

At Edmonds UMC, there are many opportunities for both discipleship and service. For service, there are opportunities on teams, committees, teaching Sunday School, singing in a choir, or participating in one of our outreach ministries. "Worship Plus 2" is a way of responding to that invitation to become involved in our shared ministries. If you didn't get your packet last week or receive it in the mail this week, you can pick up a packet in the Narthex after service.

### **Memorial for Virginia Stewart | April 22 2:00p.m.**

A memorial for Virginia Stewart, who passed away April 4, will be held on Sunday, April 22, at 2:00p.m. in the Sanctuary.

### **EARTH DAY | April 22**

EUMC's Earth Day project for this year has been Taming Bigfoot. Next Sunday, team members will give a brief announcement about how the project has affected them. If your group is interested in doing a Mini-Taming Bigfoot project, as the Men's Group is doing now, contact Gayla Shoemake (425-418-7673) for information.

### **Table Talk with Bishop Elaine Stanovsky on Human Sexuality | April 28 | 1:00p.m. | Kennedy Hall**

United Methodists across our region are encouraged to participate in Table Talk conversations in the Greater Northwest Area. These opportunities will provide attendees a way to engage the church's current discussion of human sexuality and the report of the Commission on a Way Forward within a structure of worship and respect for one another. Bishop Elaine JW Stanovsky views respectful dialog as a key to helping the church move forward, both here in the northwest, and globally. Edmonds UMC will host a Table Talk on Saturday, April 28, at 1:00p.m. in Kennedy Hall. Please RSVP so planners can better prepare. <http://greaternw.org/table-talks/>

### **Immigration and Refugee teams are co-sponsoring a talk by our own congregation member | April 29 | 11:45a.m.-12:45pm | Chapel**

Immigration lawyer Brandon Gillin of Genesis Law Firm, who will discuss the differences among various types of immigration status. If you are wondering what DACA really means, what it means to have a "work visa" or "temporary protected status", come to learn from Brandon! The talk will be repeated on Thursday, May 3 at 7:00 pm in the Chapel. All are welcome.

### **Help Vulnerable New Mothers with the All-Church Baby Shower April 29-May 13**

Being a new mom can be tough; the endless cycle of sleepless nights paired with an adorable, tiny human being who didn't come with an instruction book makes for fruitful, but exhausting days. Now imagine caring for an infant without the proper supplies. This Mother's Day, let's show our love to moms and children in need by giving items to the All-Church Baby Shower sponsored by the "Women Golf with God" ChristCare group. Donations will be delivered to local women's and children's shelters on Mother's Day. For more information, please contact Mary Bohmke. A playpen will be setup in the Wesley Room to collect donations.

# Beyond Sunday Morning Cont...

## **Edmonds Floretum Garden Club Annual Plant Sale | May 5 | 9:00a.m. - 12:00p.m.**

Happening right here at EUMC in the front parking lot. Plan on coming early for the best selection! Our experienced gardeners will offer locally-grown perennials, bulbs, herbs, annuals and shrubs, all at unbelievably low prices. There will also be a boutique of garden-related art, containers, vases, tools and crafts. Our gardeners will be on hand to answer any gardening questions you may have. Proceeds from the Floretum plant sale fund scholarships for local horticultural students. Visit [www.edmondsfloretumgardenclub.org](http://www.edmondsfloretumgardenclub.org) for more information, or contact [bfchase@gmail.com](mailto:bfchase@gmail.com) and [joycejohnson310@comcast.net](mailto:joycejohnson310@comcast.net)

## **Parents - Looking To Have Great Conversations With Kids On Puberty, Sex, & Growing Up | May 8 | 6:30p.m.-8:30p.m. | Appetizers & Childcare Provided**

Julie Metzger will facilitate Great Conversations with Kids on Puberty, Sex, and Growing Up - the what, when, why, who, and how for parents. Julie will address the developmental span of preschool aged children through high school. Appetizers and Q&A cards available at 6:30pm. Presentation begins at 7:00pm. \$15 per person (includes childcare). Scholarships available. All income goes to support EUMC MOPS Group Childcare. Online registration opens May 7, at [www.edmondsumc.org/family](http://www.edmondsumc.org/family).

## **Family Camp | June 22 - 24 | Camp Indianola**

Beach walks, s'mores, giant rope swing, archery, boating, bonfires, and worship with an ocean view are all reasons you don't want to miss Family Camp at Indianola. This camp is open to the entire EUMC Family! Cost: \$109 per person 13-adult; \$99 for kids ages 5-12; and free for ages birth-4. All activities and 5 meals are included. Coming for just 1 night: \$99 for ages 13+ and \$90 for ages 5-12 includes 3 meals and activities. Saturday only: \$85 for ages 13+ and \$80 for ages 5-12. Registration opens April 20!

## **Vacation Bible School | July 16-20 | 9:00a.m. – noon |**

The Power of Inclusion: Discovering New Lands. Join Jonah on his journey to Nineveh for adventure, surprises, and a lesson on loving. This justice and race themed VBS calls us to love even those who are hard to love. Kids will experience daily justice activities, and learn through science, drama, recreation, music as well! Cost is \$75 per student. Scholarships are available. Register at [edmondsumc.org/vbs](http://edmondsumc.org/vbs).

## **Tutoring Program seeks new leadership for 2018-19 and beyond.**

The tutoring program is looking to build a leadership team to take over the program in August. If you would like to explore being part of this very important ministry please contact Mary Feldhaus at [feldhaus1@comcast.net](mailto:feldhaus1@comcast.net), 425-672-1469 or Annette Roberts at [leftyanette@yahoo.com](mailto:leftyanette@yahoo.com), 425-778-2261 for more information.

## **TAMING BIGFOOT CELEBRATION AND RESULTS**

Taming Bigfoot Edmonds, the 3-month climate change city-wide project, has concluded and results will be announced at the Monday, April 23rd, Celebration, in the Plaza Room, above the Edmonds Library, starting at 6:30. Edmonds Representative Strom Peterson will open the evening, and individuals and teams who reduced the most carbon will receive prizes.

**Those experiencing grief:**

Friends and family of Virginia Stewart; Dennis and Judy Hewitt on the death of their sister-in-law, Dorothy Hewitt.

**Those with health concerns:**

Page Campbell, Roxine Kellog, Millie Surdyke, Marsha Hutto Emerson, Hillary Wagner, Cathleen Dickey, Virginia James, John Rodenberg, Vergie Knight

# In Our Thoughts & Prayers

**The peoples from the Ecumenical Prayer Cycle include:** Belarus, Moldova, Russia, Ukraine

**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

April 15, 2018  
9:00a.m. & 10:30a.m.

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Newcomer (fewer than 5 visits)

I'm Visiting with/for:  
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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)

Please check all the boxes that apply for more information on a ministry or volunteer opportunity listed below

## Grow...

I would like information about:

- Children's & Youth Ministries
- Adult Spiritual Formation
- Music & Arts Ministry
- Reconciling Team
- Advocates for Justice
- Having a Stephen Minister

## Serve...

I would like to learn about serving:

- Edmonds Food Bank Driver
- Thrift Shop
- Welcome Greeters
- Tutoring Leadership Team

## Sign-Ups...

I would like information about:

- Table Talk w/Bishop Stanovsky
- Family Camp
- Vacation Bible School

## Leading Worship Today

### Lead Pastor

Rev. Dr. Sandy Brown

### Associate Pastor

Rev. Clarissa Fuentes

### Organist

Hyun-Ja Choi

### Music Director

David Hendrix

### Scripture Readers

Kurt Schaureman

### Acolytes

Annalisa & Zoe Grant, Eli Hershey and Deason Wiley

### Ushers

Paul & Deb Hawley, Jerry Freeland, Roy Chapel, Steve Black, Keith Skore

### Altar Flowers

Julie Boyd

### Coffee Hour

Dave & Haydee Walters, David & Joyce Danielson

### Visitor Flowers

Jean Fetrow

### Bus Driver

Ken Grant

### Sound & Projection

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



RECONCILING MINISTRIES NETWORK

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](mailto:office@edmondsumc.org)

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