



Edmonds United  Methodist Church

June 16, 2019 - 9:00a.m. & 10:30a.m.

"I have loved the stars too fondly to be fearful of the night"

- Bailey Frisbie, 2019 Graduate

Welcome!

The heart of our church 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 8th grade meet during both worship services.

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. The next session begins this fall.

We offer opportunities for **children and families** to deepen their faith through Sunday School, Youth Group, VBS, Family Camp, and intergenerational worship.

Vacation Bible School: July 15-19
Who Is My Neighbor?: Exploring equity.

Youth Group (grades 7 - 12) meets Monday nights from 6:30-8:00p.m. in the Youth Hall. Join us for dinner and fellowship!

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 on Monday evenings and Tuesday mornings 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 6th Grade, 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.

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

Youth Mission Trip | July 28-August 2 | L.A.S.T.
Learn about root causes of poverty and serve the homeless population in Portland.

Intergenerational Service Learning Trip
July 24-28 | BorderLinks in Tucson, AZ and Nogales, Mexico. Learn more about the issues affecting migrants along the border. Ages 14 and up.

Order of Service

Welcome! We invite you to complete the tear-off 'I Am Here' form at the back 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 worshipers, please turn your cell phone's ringer off. We encourage congregants to speak quietly during the prelude so the music can help us center ourselves on worship. Thank you!

We Gather

Prelude

Welcome

Rev. Dr. Sandy Brown

*Passing the Peace

*Opening Hymn

All Creatures of Our God and King

Red Hymnal #62,
vs 1, 5 & 7

*Opening Prayer

Children's Message

Jen McLaughlin

*Scripture Readings

Romans 12:4-17

Anthem

You Are With Me

Andrew Marcus, Paul Baloche, & Scott Cash

Chamber Ensemble

Prayer of Preparation

Sermon

You Never Journey Alone

Greg McLaughlin

We Respond

Silent Meditation

Sermon Response

Blest Be the Tie That Binds

Tune: DENNIS

Pastoral Prayer

Pastor Sandy

The Lord's Prayer*

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

Honoring of Our Graduates

High School

Jenna Brock	Edmonds-Woodway High School, Attending Washington State University
Samantha Farmer	Edmonds Woodway High School, Attending Edmonds Community College - Pre-Engineering
Bailey Frisbie	Scriber Lake High School, Attending Shoreline Community College - Digital Media and Music
Sam Harris	Meadowdale High School, Attending Central Washington University - Communications
Alyssa Hershey	Edmonds Woodway High School, Attending College of the Pacific - Pre-Med
Anna Hochstein	Kings High School, Attending Gonzaga University - Integrated Media and Social Justice
Elise Myers	Meadowdale High School, Shoreline Community College
Lauren Payne	Shorecrest High School, San Diego State University - Business
Melissa Pere	Mariner High School, Attending Whitworth University - Pre-Med
Sarah Shelley	Meadowdale High School - Fall of 2019 at Cascadia College - International Studies
Vail Custis	Kings High School, Gonzaga University
Kaitlyn Robinson	Meadowdale High School, Washington State University, Honors College, Global Studies and Pre-law

College

Adam Simanton	Graduated in 2019 from the Washington State University - History and French
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Offering our Gifts and Our Lives

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory	<i>Kismet</i> Bailey Frisbie	Bailey Frisbie
*Doxology	<i>Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	Red Hymnal #94
*Prayer of Dedication		

We Scatter to Serve

*Closing Hymn *Servant Song*

Tune: NETTLETON

*Benediction

Greg McLaughlin

Postlude

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

**For the sake of accuracy in translation from the original, we are printing only the current translation of the Lord's Prayer, found in our Hymnal at #894. Please feel free to pray any version of the Lord's Prayer that is comfortable to you or that expresses your spiritual tradition.*

Beyond Sunday Morning

Foundry Special Guest - Aaron Niequist

On June 23 Foundry will welcome special guest Aaron Niequist to lead our evening gathering. Aaron is a liturgist, writer and pastor before most recently starting a discipleship focused, formational and ecumenical community at Willow Creek called "The Practice". Aaron's book, *The Eternal Current*, has been very influential in how we've approached this new service at EUMC so we're very excited to welcome him to our church. He'll be leading a discussion at 6:15 p.m. about his experience with *The Practice* and the benefits he sees in this approach to worship before leading our evening gathering at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is invited!

CHARGE CONFERENCE TODAY

Following today's 10:30 a.m. service a Charge Conference meeting will be held in the Sanctuary for the purpose of receiving the 2018 Annual Report and elected officers for the upcoming church year. All are welcome to attend.

Summer Church Office Hours Have Begun

The office will be open Monday through Thursday, 8:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

Celebrating Our Pride | June - July 4th

To make clear our continuing welcome to ALL and in celebration of our LGBTQ+ members, our church will be hanging a rainbow flag by our outdoor sign during Pride month (June) through the Fourth of July.

All Church Clean Up Day | June 22 | 9:00 a.m.

If you have items stored in closets or different rooms throughout the Church please plan to be here to help. Members of the "Clean-Up Team" will be here to assist you as well as members of the Trustees. For additional information, contact April at aprilj@edmondsumc.org Your HELP is greatly appreciated.

Say "goodbye" to Pastor Sandy and Theresa | Next Sunday during Coffee Hours

We'll bid a fond farewell to Pastor Sandy and his wife, Theresa, on Sunday, June 23 at coffee hours after both services. This will be Pastor Sandy's last Sunday with us and he will preach at both services. Coffee hour will have special treats and a "giving tree" where you can leave a parting gift. Please contact the church office at office@edmondsumc.org if you'd like to help with arrangements. Otherwise, plan to attend and wish Sandy and Theresa a "bon voyage!"

Beyond Sunday Morning Cont...

WAY FORWARD UPDATE

Following both Services on Sunday, June 30th, an update on actions taken at the recently concluded Annual Conference on the UMC considerations of full inclusion of the LGBTQ community will be presented in the Library by Lay Member of Annual Conference, Keith Skore.

Sunday Prayer

If you are wanting/needing a quiet place to pray, the designated Prayer Area in the Chapel is open every Sunday before, during, and after Sunday services. If you would like someone to pray with/for you, a prayer partner is available after 1st and 2nd service. If you prefer to pray alone, just let the prayer partner know and he/she will honor your privacy. All prayers are confidential.

Foundry Service Volunteers

As we prepare for our new Sunday night worship service, Foundry, we are seeking new volunteers to provide the various welcome, worship, and hospitality ministries. If you are excited about our church offering this new and unique service, we hope you will consider supporting it by volunteering in one of those capacities. Please mark the I Am Here slip today or call the church office to let us know if you are interested!

Key Exchange Campaign | Changed to July 1

As the church continues to be more safety conscious, a new door has been installed adjacent to the library. Beginning Monday, July 1, access to the building when all doors are locked will ONLY be through this door by key cards. In order to access the church facilities, you will need to exchange your metal key for a key card. Please contact April Judge at aprilj@edmondsumc.org or 425-778-2119 to set up an appointment to make the exchange.

Edmonds Fourth of July Parade

March with us! There are several opportunities to join EUMC and march in the 4th of July Parade this year. You can march with the Food Bank or with the Reconciling Network in support of LGBTQ inclusion. Watch for contact info to come!

Vacation Bible School Volunteers Wanted

Incoming 7th graders – adults are invited to join us for a week of joy, learning, and memories that last a lifetime! VBS doesn't happen without your amazing service. Whether you can help for one day or five, we need you! Week of July 15-19.

Welcoming Committee Plays Needs You!

We are asking others to please consider joining our Umbrella Greeters! Contact Bob Swerk: bobswerk@gmail.com or 206-354-6122. We also have a need for more Ushers. Please contact Steve Black: steven.black@comcast.net or 425-672-1834. Consider joining our team of Welcoming People! Ladies and Gentlemen are both needed! It's fun to Serve! Carol Woltjer, Welcome Committee Chair, cwoltjer2@gmail.com or 360-621-3504.

Would you like to be the ears and shoulders of God?

Prayer Partners are those who offer an ear to listen in times of need after service on Sundays. Listening is most important, and confidentiality is pertinent. This is an avenue of encouragement and love from God via you. We hope to get enough volunteers, so each prayer partner will only need to be there once every other month. Please contact Jacque Benjamin at 410-708-6267 or jacquez.benjamin@gmail.com.

Those experiencing grief:

The Family of Don Holmes
The Family of Floyd Hammersla
The Family of Vi Blackbourn
The family of Jeanette Morehead

Those with health concerns:

Lisa Burns, Peggy Cousins, Steve (son-in-law of Jeannette and Ron Krebs), Andrea Norman, Mary Lou Barr, Tina Barner, Don Kleweno, Virginia James, Margaret Barnes, and Theresa Jacobs

In Our Thoughts & Prayers

The peoples from the Ecumenical Prayer Cycle include: Malawi, Zambia

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: 425-778-2119 ext. 102. Please leave your name, phone number, and a brief message.

I Am Here

June 16, 2019

First Name Last 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)

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:

- Sunday Office Volunteer
- Welcome Committee
- VBS Volunteer
- Foundry Service Volunteer
 - Usher
 - Greeter
 - Audio/Visual
 - Coffeehour

Sign-Ups...

I would like information about:

- Reading Scriptures
- Assist in Communion
- Key Exchange
- UMW Reading Program

Leading Worship Today

Lead Pastor

Rev. Dr. Sandy Brown

Speaker

Greg McLaughlin

Director of Worship Arts

David Hendrix

Musicians

Lars Gaarde, Andrew Horton, Nick Sanchez, and Andrew Vinther

Family Ministry Director

Jen McLaughlin

Scripture Readers

Darryl Berg, Susan Morrow

Ushers

Paul & Deb Hawley, Norma Thompson, Steve & Doris Black Dean Averill

Blue Vist Team

Chris Alexander

Altar Flowers

Loretta Erickson

Coffee Hour

Dave and Haydee Walters, Randi Warner and Loretta Erickson

Transportation

Ken Grant

Visitor Flowers

Ron Krebs

Welcome Desk

Kathi Matthes

Sound & Projection

Pat Cross, AP Van Meter, Marilyn McKinnon



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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