

# EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 10, 2016

9:30 AM

WORDS OF WELCOME

Dan Gardner

PRELUDE

*Waltz in A Minor*

Donna Bach

CALL TO WORSHIP

Nancy Gardner

Leader: We have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints.

**People: We have heard of this hope before in the word of truth, the gospel that has come to us.**

Leader: We have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God's will,

**People: So that we may lead lives worthy of the Lord as we bear fruit in every good work.**

Leader: Let us worship God!

**People: Let us worship God!**

†OPENING HYMN      *How Great Thou Art* (all 4 verses)      #77

†PASSING OF CHRIST'S PEACE

PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

Nancy Gardner

**We lift our voices to bless you, O God; we bow down before you in humble adoration. You are honored among the hosts of heaven; your word spreads throughout the earth. We proclaim you the God of all creation who sent Christ to redeem the nations. Filled with your Spirit we sing in jubilation; we are your people and your love endures. Amen.**

Response:      *As the Deer*      On the wall

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

Response:      **Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.**

PASTORAL PRAYER AND 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.**

†HYMN OF PREPARATION      *Spirit Song* (verses 1 and 2)      #347

SCRIPTURE READING

Nancy Gardner

New Testament: 1 Corinthians 13:4-7, 13

†Gospel: John 21:14-17

Response:      **Thanks be to God.**

SPECIAL MUSIC

Aleksander Krukowski

F. Chopin – *Nocturne in C sharp minor, Op. posth.*

MESSAGE

“Love is ...”

Dan Gardner

RECEIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

*Prelude in C Minor*

Donna Bach

†Doxology

On the wall

†Prayer of Dedication

**Set apart by your covenant, redeemed through Christ's sacrifice, and renewed by the refreshing winds of your living Spirit, we come bearing our gifts, O merciful God. They are but a portion of earth's treasure that you abundantly give to us; with them we commit our time and energy to be Christ's faithful servants. Use all that we bring, and all that we are, to bless your holy name. Amen.**

†CLOSING HYMN      *Jesus Loves Me* (verses 1, 2, 3)      #191

†BENEDICTION      *Alleluia*      All are invited to sing this praise to God.

POSTLUDE

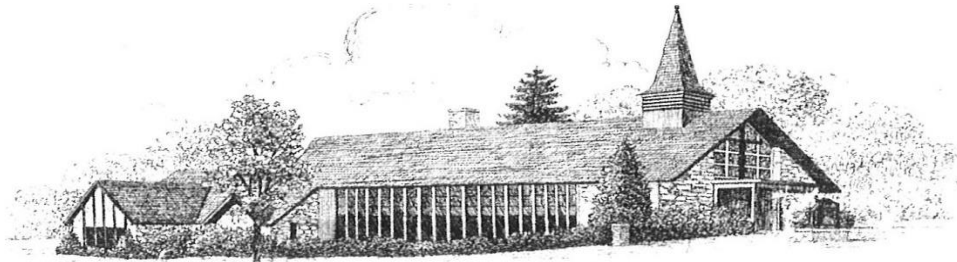
Aleksander Krukowski

F. Liszt – *Transcendental Étude No. 8 in C minor “Wilde Jagd”*

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† Those who are able are requested to stand

# JULY 10, 2016



## **Wesley United Methodist Church**

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### **Vision:**

**Living in the light of God's love and following Christ, we joyfully embrace the future as a welcoming multi-cultural church. We gather for worship, learning, spiritual growth and fellowship. We go out to serve, sharing the light of Christ by promoting justice, loving kindness, and walking humbly with God.**

(Adopted by the Wesley Church Council, April 14, 2013)

### **Sunday Morning Schedule**

9:30 A.M. Worship

Fellowship Time Following

Sunday School 11:00A.M. - Spanish Service 11:30 A.M.

### **Office Hours**

Monday through Thursday 9:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.

### **Church Staff**

Rev. Roger Zavala, Pastor

Gwen Catron– Office Administrator

Nereyda SanchezTio – Music Director

Donna Bach – Organist

Erika Bringas – Worship Multimedia

Flor Zavala – Education Lay Missioner

Omaira Mora – Lay Missioner

Rod Ball – Custodian

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