

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Organ and Tissue Donor Sunday

November 12, 2017

9:30 AM

WORDS OF WELCOME

Rev. Jon Hutchison

PRELUDE

Fairest Lord Jesus

Donna Bach

CALL TO WORSHIP

Dan Gardner

Leader: Give ear, O my people, to my teaching; incline your ears to the words of my mouth.

People: We will tell of your glorious deeds, O Lord, and the wonders that you have done.

Leader: Tell your children and your children's children that they should set their hope in God.

People: And not forget your works, O God, but keep your commandments.

Leader: Let us worship God!

People: Let us worship God!

†PRAISE SONG

Step By Step

On the wall

†PASSING OF CHRIST'S PEACE

PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

Dan Gardner

We incline our ears to the words of your mouth and will tell of your glorious deeds, O Lord. Your righteousness is like streams of goodness washing our soul. You purify the thoughts of our minds by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, and sanctify our actions by the gift of your Son Jesus Christ. We appear now before you as children renewed by your mercy, to give you all praise in response to your grace. Amen.

Prayer Response:

In My Heart

On the wall

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayers.

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

My Lord, What a Morning

#719

SCRIPTURE READING

†Gospel: Matthew 25:1-13

Dan Gardner

Response: **Thanks be to God.**

SPECIAL MUSIC

Find Us Faithful

Chancel Choir

MESSAGE

“Depending On Others”

Rev. Jon Hutchison

RECEIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

To a Wild Rose

Donna Bach

†Doxology

On the wall

†Prayer of Dedication

Wherever we look we see your grandeur about us. All that we have is a gift of your grace. You fill each day with bountiful blessings and keep us mindful of how you care for our needs. We return to you, now, what you have already provided; may it be a symbol of our thanksgiving and love. Enhance their effectiveness and multiply our efforts, so that Christ's mission may spread to wherever there is need. Amen.

†CLOSING HYMN

Come, We That Love the Lord

#732

†BENEDICTION

Alleluia

All are invited to sing this praise to God.

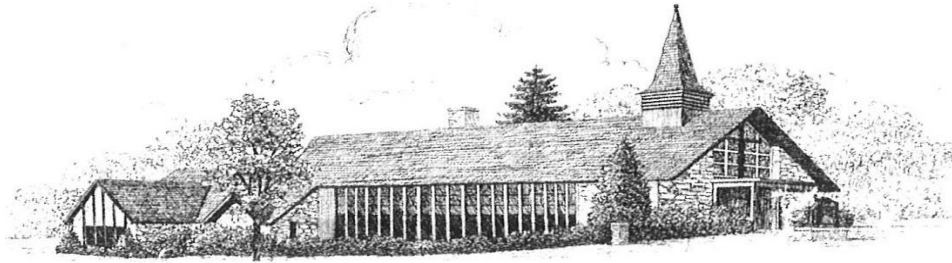
POSTLUDE:

Voluntary in E Minor

Donna Bach

†Those who are able are requested to stand.

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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. Jonathan Hutchison -- Pastor

Gwen Catron– Office Administrator

Nereyda SanchezTio – Music Director

Donna Bach – Organist

Santos Ortiz, Erika Bringas – Worship Multimedia

Omaira Mora – Lay Missioner

Rod Ball – Custodian

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