

# Welcome!

September 13, 2015 +8:30 A.M. +++11:00 A.M.  
Sixteenth Sunday After Pentecost

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS & WELCOME

Rev. Cara Stultz Costello

## PRELUDE

*O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing*

David Cherwien

Heather Cooper, organ

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP

ONE: Let us who worship the Lord God Almighty gather for celebration!

**MANY: We are apart of God's family called to share the Gospel today.**

ONE: Those who serve the Lord shall find new light streaming

**MANY: Only in serving the Lord can we find true joy and meaning.**

ONE: Then let us seek the will of the Lord in every path of our lives.

**MANY: Let the joyous praise and song abound as we worship our God. Blessed be the name of the Lord!**

## \*BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

Acolyte

## \*HYMN OF INTENTION

"Gather Us In"

No. 2236 Faith We Sing

**ALL CHILDREN & VBS LEADERS ARE WELCOME TO COME FORWARD DURING THE OPENING HYMN TO JOIN IN THE CHILDREN'S SERMON & WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO SING THEIR FAVORITE VBS SONGS**

## +++ CHILDREN'S SERMON

"One Thing Remains (Your Love Never Fails)" from VBS 2015

"Faith" from VBS 2015

Sandy Wallace, Cherub Choir Director

## COMMISSIONING OF WORSHIP ARTS STAFF & WORSHIP CHAIRS

Sandy Vaughan, Worship Committee Chair  
Cindy Wilcox, Worship Committee Associate Chair  
Daniel Parsley, Worship Arts Coordinator, Chancel Choir, & Schola Cantorum Director  
Matt Lautanen, Modern Worship Coordinator  
Heather Cooper, Organist  
Sandy Wallace, Cherub Choir Director & Keyboardist  
Debbie Garren, Carol Choir Director  
Mike Wiley, Joy Unlimited Youth Choir Director  
Jody Lindower, Celebration Bells Director  
Dennis Sarver, Harmonia Sacra Brass Director

## OFFERING

## OFFERTORY

*The Church's One Foundation*

Dale Grotenhuis

Kevin Wallick, trumpet; Tim Fuller, trumpet; Darin Hinderer, trombone; Kristin Lautanen, horn; Wes Bullock, tuba  
FUMC Harmonia Sacra Brass; Dennis Sarver, director & Heather Cooper, organ

## \*DOXOLOGY

No. 94 or See Below

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

## \*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

## +++ THIRD GRADE BIBLE PRESENTATION

Kathy Schmucker, Spiritual Formation Director

## COMMISSIONING OF YOUTH MINISTRY LEADERS

Brian Bowers, Youth Ministry Team Leader  
Donny Bell, Youth Ministry Team Associate Leader & Mission Trio Coordinator  
Betty Fulton, Trudy Jones, & Dale Zimmerman, Confirmation Leadership Team  
Mike Wiley, Joy Unlimited Choir Director  
Matt Hart, Youth Ministry Director

## SCRIPTURE LESSON

Revelation 3: 8 pg. 247 NT

## ANTHEM

*Seek Ye First*

Lloyd Larson

*Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God and His righteousness and all these things shall be added unto you. Alleluia! Man shall not live by bread alone but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God. Alleluia! Ask and it shall be given unto you. Seek and ye shall find. Knock and the door shall be opened unto you. Alleluia!*

Chancel Choir; Daniel Parsley, director

## COMMISSIONING OF SPIRITUAL FORMATION COORDINATORS

Lorrie Goss & Teresa Purses, Spiritual Formation Ministry Team Co-Leaders  
Betsy Gorrell & Nancy Share, Library & Media Center Coordinators  
Janet Stewart & Tory Christian, Supply Coordinators  
Joni Hendricks, Children's Sunday School Coordinator  
Mike Hubble, Wednesday Night Dinner Meal Team Coordinator  
Gary Jones, Wednesday Night Faith Connection Kids Coordinator  
Lorrie Goss & Ann Dixon, Friday Night Out Coordinators  
Kristin Krach, Nursery & Childcare Coordinator  
Emily Jacobs & Michaela Finefrock, Childcare Providers  
Pam Wig, Spiritual Practices & Resources Coordinator, Devotions, Emmaus & Retreats  
Sarah Sowers, Young Adult Coordinator  
Bob Kuchner, Tory Christian, Laura Luikart, Sue Schilling, Adult Faith Formation Coordinators

SHARING STORIES OF GOD AT WORK IN OUR LIVES  
WORSHIP & WORSHIP ARTS, SPIRITUAL FORMATION, & YOUTH MINISTRY PRAYER  
SILENT 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 glory forever. Amen.*

GOSPEL LESSON  
SERMON

*Ask, Search, Knock*

Matthew 7: 7–11 pg. 6 NT  
Rev. Steve Stultz Costello

\*HYMN OF MISSION

“Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God”

No. 405

Vs. 1-2, vs. 1 repeat

\*CHRIST'S LIGHT TO THE WORLD

Acolyte

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

Allegro Vivace I

Felix Mendelssohn

*\*Please stand as you are able*

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**Next Sunday, September 20 Fall into Faith Mini Series**

**Pastor Cara preaching**

**8:30** Heather Cooper, organ

Sharon McConnell, liturgist

**9:45** Chancel Choir & Modern Worship Team

**11:00** Heather Cooper, organ

Cindy Wilcox, liturgist



**FALL INTO FAITH SUNDAY**

**Open Door Mini-Series**

**September 13, 2015**

**Co-Pastors:** Revs. Cara & Steve Stultz Costello

**Organist:** Heather Cooper

**Liturgists:** + Suzi Thomas

+++ Paulette Baker

**Greeters:** + Bernie Miner & Dale Miller

+++ Alan Gribble & Bev Kimble

*Today's altar flowers are given by Susan & John Arnold in honor of the wedding of their daughter Allison & Chris Harris*

*Additional flowers are given from the Thursday funeral of Kristen Danniger*

**Worship Services:** Sundays at 8:30AM, 9:45AM & 11:00AM  
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