

Wesley Park United Methodist Church

Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost

9:15 am - September 16, 2018

We Gather Together

Prelude

Entrance of the Light of Christ

Welcome

*Call to Worship

Season of Creation

One: We invite the waters to worship with us:

All: **The deep sea currents and coral reefs, the mountain peaks on the ocean floor.**

One: We call the surging seas to celebrate with us.

All: **The icebergs that break off from the South Pole, the calm waters that caress the equator.**

One: We join all aquatic life in songs of praise,

All: **Whales and dolphins dancing on the surface, and choirs of bass and trout and minnows assembled below.**

One: We summon the seashore to magnify the Lord,

All: **The seagulls and waves that splash in praise.**

One: Oceans, seas and Great Lakes,

All: **Celebrate with all that lives within you, and roar in praise with us today.**

One: Roar, waters, roar!

All: **Roar in praise!**

We name, silently or aloud, other creatures or parts of the waters and invite them to join us in praising our Creator.

One: We celebrate the song of the lakes, rivers, and oceans!

All: **Roar, waters, Roar!**

*Hymn #145

Morning Has Broken

Children's Blessing

Chancel Choir

The Majesty and Glory of Your Name

We Receive the Word

Scripture

Luke 5:1-11

Season of Creation: Water Sunday

Rev. Dean N. Prentiss

We Respond to the Word

*Hymn #451

Be Thou My Vision

Sacrament of Baptism and Receiving of Members

Mae Baker - Baptism

Pat Johnson - Affirmation of Faith

Anita Vogel - Affirmation of Faith

Kelly Wasnich - Transfer

Dawn Moss - Transfer

Frank Moss - Transfer

Edna Bailet - Affirmation of Faith

Reaffirmation of Faith

Please come forward by the center aisle and touch the water to remember your Baptism. This is a reaffirmation of your baptism. Bring your offering with you and place it in the offering plate. Return to your pew by the side aisles.

We Go Forth Into the World

*Hymn #89

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

Dismissal with Blessing

Postlude

**Please stand as you are able or comfortable.*

Our Mission is to build a Christian community with all people.

Our vision: by 2018, Wesley Park will strive to inspire from the youngest to the oldest and everybody in between to live out the greatest commandment: to love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, mind, and strength, and love your neighbor as yourself.

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9:15 am Worship Servants:

- ☀ **Greeters:** Kathy DenHollander, Bill & Vicky Van Dalsen
- ☀ **Ushers:** Chuck & Janice Starnes, Larry & Wendy Harr
- ☀ **Acolytes:** Zach Kinney
- ☀ **Nursery:** Skyler Maitner, Pat Beadle (9:15), Erica Jones (11 am)
- ☀ **Sound Tech:** Ross Vanderlaan
- ☀ **Video Tech:** Steven Carruthers
- ☀ **Information Desk:** Tabi Fischer
- ☀ **Musicians:** Sara Kropp, Adrienne Prentiss, Dave Strumfeld

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