

# WORSHIP<sup>+</sup>

September 3, 2017

10:00 AM  
SANCTUARY

Where + is indicated, standing or sitting, we praise God.  
You are invited to read aloud the **bold text**.

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

## We Gather to Worship God

CENTERING

Rev. Sally Howell Johnson

PRELUDE

Andrew Hackett, organist

CHORAL INTROIT

Summer Choir

ENTRY INTO CELEBRATION

Lori Sturdevant

Our help is in the name of the Lord,  
who made heaven and earth.  
**We belong to God.**

When we feel overwhelmed,  
**God is on our side.**

When we are afraid,  
**God will keep us safe.**

Our help is in the name of the Lord,  
who made heaven and earth.  
**Blessed be the Lord!**

+ HYMN NO. 89

*Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You*  
HYMN TO JOY

+ PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Caring God, you call us to be the body of Christ: to live in community, to care for one another, to use our different gifts. Instead of working to sustain community, we follow our own desires. Instead of trusting in your care, we think we can do it alone. Forgive our neglect of others. Give us obedient spirits, that we may care for one another, depend on your love, and use our gifts for your gospel. Amen.**

*Silent confession and reflection*

+ WORDS OF ASSURANCE





Based on the book by Brian D. McLaren

Sept. 3 Labor Day Weekend  
Rev. Sally Howell Johnson

Sept. 10 **Rally Sunday**  
Rev. Judy Zabel

Sept. 17 Rev. Judy Zabel

WELCOME

Rev. Judy Zabel

*Let the children come to the front for the time with children.*

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Lynne Carroll

+ SHARING THE PEACE

May the peace of God be with you.  
**And also with you.**

*The congregation may greet each other with a sign of reconciliation and peace.*

## We Hear the Word

SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 12:1-2, 9-21

The Word of God for the people of God.  
**Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

*Here's What I Want You To Do*  
Rev. Sally Howell Johnson

## We Respond to the Word

RESPONDING WITH OUR TITHES, OUR OFFERINGS & OURSELVES

MUSICAL OFFERING

*Stay With Us*  
Egil Hovland

+ PRESENTATION OF OUR GIFTS & DOXOLOGY (NO. 94)

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION

SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE

Musical Setting A, Hymnal pg. 17

THE LORD'S PRAYER

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

HYMN NO. 620

*One Bread, One Body*

ANTHEM

*If Ye Love Me, Keep My Commandments*  
Thomas Tallis

HYMN NO. 614

*For the Bread With You Have Broken*

### Our Mission

To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

### Our Vision

We will grow in our love of God and neighbor, welcome new people and heal a broken world.

### Our Strategy

Radical Hospitality  
Passionate Worship  
Intentional Faith Development  
Risk-Taking Mission & Service  
Extravagant Generosity

## Sunday Worship

**Communion Service** 8am

**Sacred Journey** 8:30am  
*Creation Spirituality*

**Traditional Worship** 10am  
*Organ, Choir*

PRAYER AFTER RECEIVING THE SACRAMENT

## We Take the Word Into the World

+ HYMN NO. 428

*For the Healing of the Nations*  
CWM RHONDDA

*The Acolytes carry the light of Christ into the world.*

+ BENEDICTION

+ POSTLUDE

Today's sanctuary flowers are given in remembrance of  
parents Harold and Harriet Holden and sister Judy Holden Wright  
by the George Holden family.

### Special UMCOR Offering for Hurricane Harvey Relief

We will be taking a special offering today and September 10th for UMCOR in response to the devastating effects of Hurricane Harvey. Please write UMCOR on the memo line of your offering. 100% of your gift goes to relief.

### In Our Prayers This Week

#### Care Centers

Sandra Moulton  
Eva Wall

#### Hospice

Jane Sieff

#### In Hospital

Bob Beach

#### Recovering at Home

Jean Vanselow

#### Prayer Requests

Loren Anderson  
JoAnn Hanson  
Zach, Judy Ottoson's Nephew  
Doug Wilkins  
Those impacted by the hurricane in  
Texas  
People in Sierra Leone



If you or a member of your family is going into the hospital or moving from one care center to another and you would like the church to know about this, please call the church office at 612-871-5303 or email [Pastoralcare@haumc.org](mailto:Pastoralcare@haumc.org). This helps our church family care for one another.



## Ministers

All members of the congregation.

## Clergy

Sally Johnson, Minister of Worship & Spiritual Formation  
Jim McChesney, Pastoral Care/Visitation  
Nate Melcher, Associate Pastor  
Richard Waggoner, Music Emeritus  
Judy Zabel, Senior Pastor

## Program Staff

Lynne Carroll, Children & Families  
Shari Speer, Music Ministry  
John Cole, Dignity Center  
Mary Martin, Outreach

## Twin Cities District Superintendent

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# We Welcome You!

We're glad you're here, and we'd love to get to know you better. Please leave your contact information in the **Welcome Pads** found in each pew. If this is your first visit, welcome. If you are returning, welcome back!

**Pick up your welcome bag** as you leave.

**Tour our beautiful building.** Meet at the front of the Sanctuary following worship.

**Grab a cup of coffee** in Carlson Hall. Our thanks to Jim Cone of Coffee and Tea, Ltd.—our coffee supplier.

**We love your children.** Nursery care for infants – age 3 is available in Longfellow Room on the main floor in Carlson Hall. Ask an usher for directions.

## Missional Parking at Hennepin Church

*To be an inviting congregation and welcome people on our campus, we need to continue being missional about how we park at Hennepin. **Please prioritize the church parking lot for our new guests, people with mobility issues, and families with infants and young children.** We ask all able-bodied members/longtime guests to please park in the Architectural Alliance lot, use street parking, or use the underground Walker ramp (paid vouchers available at Reception).*

## We are a Caring Community

**Pastoral Care:** Please notify the church office if you, a family member or any other church member are experiencing illness, hospitalization, or are in need of pastoral care. Please call 612-871-5303 and ask for Pastoral Care, ext. 771 or email [PastoralCare@haumc.org](mailto:PastoralCare@haumc.org).

**Congregational Joys and Concerns** are posted each week in the Pastoral Care area of the kiosk in Carlson Hall. Cards for members in need of cheer are available to sign at the reception desk.

**Downtown Grief Support Group:** [www.mplsgriefsupport.com](http://www.mplsgriefsupport.com) is a co-operative effort of downtown churches. Please see their website for the most current information.