

## WE WELCOME YOU

Thank you for worshipping with us today. We're glad you're here!  
Please be sure to sign our Ritual of Friendship book, located at the end of the pew.

## PRAYER CONCERNS

If you have a prayer concern, or you would like to request a pastoral visit, please complete the prayer card found in the pews and place it in the offering plate.

## CHILDCARE

At the 8:30am worship service, childcare is provided in the Nursery, Room 208, for infants through Pre-schoolers. At the 11am worship we offer nursery care for infants through toddlers. Pre-schoolers through Kindergarten are invited to Playful Praise in Room 202 following Children's Time at the 11am worship service.

## COFFEE HOUR

Please join us in Janet Brown Fellowship Hall following the 8:30am worship service for coffee and snacks. The Traver Family will be hosting today and look forward to greeting you!

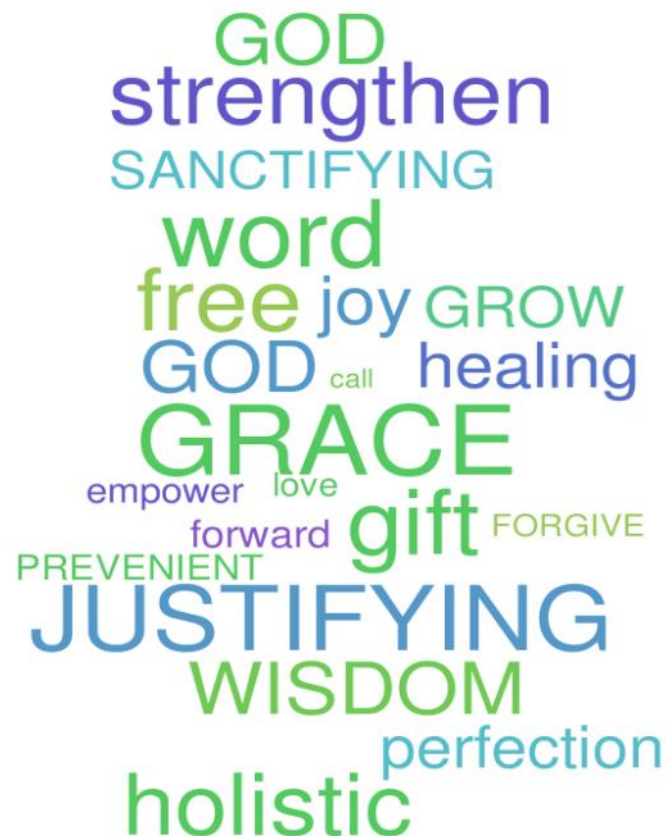
Rev. Dick Wisdom, Senior Pastor  
Rev. Sherry Steele, Minister of Faith Formation  
Roger Beitzel, Youth Director

Beth Best, Director, Chancel Choir  
Megan Marconi, Director,  
Worship Band  
Kelly Markwell, Director, Bellissimo  
Karyn Holstead, Director, Jr. Choir  
Kathleen Hermansen, Organist

## Sunday Worship Services:

**8:30a** Worship w/Chancel Choir  
**9:45a** Sunday School (all ages) and  
Confirmation Class  
**11:00a** Worship w/Worship Band

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WordItOut

*“Before You Know It”*  
*Sunday,*  
*February 24, 2019*

## SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2019, 8:30AM

\*Indicates congregation stands

Bold type indicates to read in unison

UMH indicates the United Methodist (hardcover) Hymnal

TFWS indicates "The Faith We Sing" (soft-cover) Hymnal

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**PRELUDE** -arranged by Wagner  
*"My Shepherd Will Supply My Need"*

### GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CHORAL INTROIT

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

The Spirit is here,  
**bringing vision and hope for our world.**  
Christ lifts us up,  
**welcoming us with loving arms.**  
God showers the earth,  
**nourishing all creation with grace.**  
Sense the Spirit moving within and among us.  
**Feel Christ's presence healing and blessing us.**  
As we gather in worship this day,  
**we receive the showering love of God.**

\*HYMN UMH #400  
*"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"*

#### \*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE AND LOVE

The Peace of the Lord be with you  
And also with you

**CHILDREN'S TIME** Rev. Sherry Steele  
TFWS #2233 "Where Children Belong"

This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of  
the worshiping throng. Water, God's Word, bread and cup,  
prayer, and song: This is where children belong.

**CHORAL ANTHEM** *"Amazing Grace"* -arr. Coates

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Sharing Joys and Concerns  
Pastoral Prayer  
The Lord's Prayer (on screen)

**SCRIPTURE READING** Philippians 2: 12-13 (NRSV)

**SERMON** Rev. Sherry Steele  
*"Grace - Before You Know It"*

### WORSHIP IN TITHES AND OFFERING

Offertory *"Just as I Am"* -Bradbury, arr. Sherman  
Bellissimo Handbells

\*Doxology (on screen)

\*Prayer of Dedication

\*CLOSING HYMN UMH #339  
*"Come, Sinners, to the Gospel Feast"*

### \*BENEDICTION

### \*CHORAL BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE *"I Need Thee Every Hour"* -Wagner

Bible Reader: Kacy Bronner