- \* Hymn of Commitment Father, We Have Heard You Calling (see screen)
- Benediction
- Postlude

Communion is available at the rail following the service.



Chancel flowers are given by David Hanner in loving memory of Rev. Richard R. Hanner, Jr. and by the Tully family in celebration of Barron's baptism.

## **Clergy and Worship Leaders**

Rev. Dr. Dave Summers, Senior Pastor

Rev. Eve Williams, Associate Pastor

Rev. Andrea Andress, Associate Pastor for Spiritual Formation of Children and Families

Rev. Brenda Smith, Director, Children's Ministry and Young Adult Ministry

Christopher Wurpts, Youth Ministries Director

Dr. Ashley Snavley, Music and Arts Ministries Director and Organist

Dr. Andria Fennig, Worship Accompanist/Director of Contemporary Worship Arts

Thomas Strawser, Assistant Music Director and Youth Choir Director

## **Assisting Today**

Ushers: William Hatcher, Clint Miller, Fran & Dick Wardell Audio: Jim DeBusk Visuals: Kim Summers



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## **Worship Celebration** May 21, 2017 — 8 am

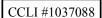


"One in Ministry to All the World"

## Meditation

The mission of the United Methodist Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.





**Hymn Sing** 

Tommy Strawser, Andria Fennig

**Words of Welcome** 

Rev. Dr. Dave Summers

\* Call to Worship

Leader: Come and hear what God has done.

People: God has made the world and breathed

the breath of life into us.

Leader: God is here, giving us dreams, building our faith,

surrounding us in power and love.

People: We live, move and have our very being in God.

Leader: Let the sound of God's praise be heard.

People: Come, Lord, we offer our thankful praise to you.

\* Hymn of Praise God of Grace and God of Glory Hymnal 577

Opening Prayer (in unison)

**Ingrid Wurpts** 

God of our future, fill us with your presence so we may discover in you a fountain of joy, a river of light, a stream of hope that moves us forward by faith.

Visit us now with your peace and your power that makes all things new, including us.

In the name of Jesus who calls us to follow. Amen.

- \* Moments of Christian Fellowship
- \* Hymn of Fellowship Lord, I Want to Be a Christian verses 1, 2, 4

  Hymnal 402

Prayer of Confession (in unison)

Lord, forgive us when we are too preoccupied to notice your presence in our lives: when we walk through this world and fail to see the wonder of your creation;

When you see an \* in the order of worship, please stand as you are able. Large-print bulletins, Bibles and hymnals are available from the ushers.

when we walk through our lives and fail to see you abiding with us; when we walk through holy moments and fail to savor your presence.

Open our eyes to your presence, God of love, that we may lean on you—for you uphold all of creation in tenderness and power. Amen.

**Silent Prayer and Words of Assurance** 

Leader: In the Name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! People: In the Name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

All: Glory to God. Amen.

(Please fill out and pass the fellowship pad)

Anthem Peace Like a River traditional

**Evelyn Ess, soloist** 

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

**Sharing of God's Tithes and Our Offerings** 

Offertory Sonata in D Minor Scarlatti

Leslie Winkler, piano

\* Doxology Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow

Hymnal 94

Jack Jones

\* Offertory Prayer

\* Hymn of Preparation As a Fire Is Meant for Burning

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Scripture Matthew 28:16-20

Leader: God's Word for God's people.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon One

3. "One in Ministry to All the World"

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